including signs, billboards, banners, electronic displays, pamphlets, flyers, coupons, magazines, newspapers or other similar publications and displays.

- (b) Signs The actual rates for public lodging establishments rented by the day or week displayed on any static display or electronic sign or signs visible from a public highway or street shall not exceed the maximum rate schedules posted in each guest unit and filed with the division. At a minimum, any sign or signs as described above, displaying any room rate information shall include:
  - 1. The number of rooms available at each rate;
  - 2. The rate for single occupancy;
  - 3. The extra person charge if, applicable; and
- 4. The effective dates of such rates, in accordance with Section 509.201, F.S.
- (c) No more than 1 percent variance in the size and prominence of letters and figures shall be allowed on signs containing room rate information.
- (4) The division shall consider it an unethical business practice for any establishment to engage in, or knowingly permit anyone on the licensed premises to engage in, any illegal, unfair or deceptive act. Such acts include:
- (a) <u>imposition</u> <u>Imposition</u> of a charge separate and apart from, or in addition to, the room rate, that is not disclosed in writing to the guest at the time of check-in;
- (b) <u>failing</u> The failure to disclose that additional telephone surcharges are being applied which exceed the user-line charges of the local telephone company; <u>or and</u>
- (e) depriving When an individual or party is deprived of accommodations at a public lodging establishment after having prepaid reservations for said accommodations. To avoid depriving a guest of a prepaid reservation for accommodations at a public lodging establishment the establishment shall:
- 1. make Make every effort to find other comparable accommodations; and
- 2. refund Refund all monies deposited for such reservation whether deposited with the public lodging establishment, or a travel or booking agent.
- (5) Resort condominiums, resort dwellings and nontransient apartments are exempt from subsections (1), (2), and (3) of this rule.

Rulemaking Specific Authority 509.032(6) FS. Law Implemented 509.032(1), 509.201(1), (2), 509.2015 FS. History–Amended 4-20-63, Revised 2-4-71, Amended 9-19-84, 6-6-85, Formerly 7C-3.02, Amended 12-31-90, Formerly 7C-3.002, Amended 3-31-94, 9-25-96.

NAME OF PERSON ORIGINATING PROPOSED RULE: Bill L. Veach, Director, Division of Hotels and Restaurants, Department of Business and Professional Regulation

NAME OF AGENCY HEAD WHO APPROVED THE PROPOSED RULE: Charles W. Drago, Secretary, Department of Business and Professional Regulation

DATE PROPOSED RULE APPROVED BY AGENCY HEAD: October 22, 2009

DATE NOTICE OF PROPOSED RULE DEVELOPMENT PUBLISHED IN FAW: July 18, 2008

# DEPARTMENT OF BUSINESS AND PROFESSIONAL REGULATION

### **Division of Pari-Mutuel Wagering**

RULE NO.: RULE TITLE:

61D-14.0055 Temporary Individual Slot Machine

Occupational License

PURPOSE AND EFFECT: The purpose and effect of the proposed rule will be to implement and interpret Florida Statutes that relate to rules regulating the conduct of slot machine operations at pari-mutuel racing facilities.

SUMMARY: The proposed rule implements the division's authority to issue a temporary individual slot machine occupational license upon the election of the division.

SUMMARY OF STATEMENT OF ESTIMATED REGULATORY COSTS: No Statement of Estimated Regulatory Costs was prepared.

OTHER RULES INCORPORATING THIS RULE: None EFFECT ON THOSE OTHER RULES: None

Any person who wishes to provide information regarding a statement of estimated regulatory costs, or provide a proposal for a lower cost regulatory alternative must do so in writing within 21 days of this notice.

RULEMAKING AUTHORITY: 551.103(1), 551.1045, 551.122 FS.

LAW IMPLEMENTED: 551.1045, 551.107 FS.

IF REQUESTED WITHIN 21 DAYS OF THE DATE OF THIS NOTICE, A HEARING WILL BE HELD AT THE DATE, TIME AND PLACE SHOWN BELOW (IF NOT REQUESTED, THIS HEARING WILL NOT BE HELD):

DATE AND TIME: December 8, 2009, 2:00 p.m. – 3:30 p.m.

PLACE: Florida Department of Business and Professional Regulation, Northwood Centre, Board Room, 1940 N. Monroe Street, Tallahassee, Florida 32399

Pursuant to the provisions of the Americans with Disabilities Act, any person requiring special accommodations to participate in this workshop/meeting is asked to advise the agency at least 5 days before the workshop/meeting by contacting: Mary Polombo at (850)413-0750. If you are hearing or speech impaired, please contact the agency using the Florida Relay Service, 1(800)955-8771 (TDD) or 1(800)955-8770 (Voice).

THE PERSON TO BE CONTACTED REGARDING THE PROPOSED RULE IS: Mary Polombo, Clerk, Division of Pari-Mutuel Wagering, 1940 North Monroe Street, Tallahassee, Florida 32399-1035

THE FULL TEXT OF THE PROPOSED RULE IS:

- 61D-14.0055 Temporary Individual Slot Machine Occupational License.
- (1) The division shall issue a temporary individual slot machine occupational license, general or professional, when the following conditions are met within 30 days of receipt of the application:
- (a) The applicant has submitted a complete license application;
- (b) The applicant has not been convicted of or had adjudication withheld on any disqualifying criminal offense listed in Section 551.107(6), F.S.; and
- (c) The division has not issued the applicant's permanent occupational license.
- (2) The 30-day requirement of subsection (1) shall be tolled when the division issues a letter notifying the applicant of errors or omissions in the license application pursuant to Section 120.60(1), F.S.
- (3) All temporary licenses issued by the division are subject to the same terms and conditions of Chapter 551, F.S., and Chapter 61D-14, F.A.C., as are permanent licenses, and shall be immediately surrendered if the division:
  - (a) Grants the applicant a permanent license;
  - (b) Denies the applicant a permanent license; or
- (c) Finds the applicant in violation of Chapter 551, F.S., or Chapter 61D-14, F.A.C.
- (4) A holder of a temporary individual slot machine occupational license shall cease all activity requiring the possession of a slot machine occupational license if:
  - (a) The division denies the application; or
- (b) The applicant is convicted of a disqualifying criminal offense listed in Section 551.107(6), F.S.

<u>Rulemaking Authority 551.103(1), 551.1045, 551.122 FS. Law Implemented 551.1045, 551.107 FS. History–New</u>.

NAME OF PERSON ORIGINATING PROPOSED RULE: Joe Dillmore, Interim Director, Division of Pari-Mutuel Wagering

NAME OF AGENCY HEAD WHO APPROVED THE PROPOSED RULE: Charles W, Drago, Secretary, Department of Business and Professional Regulation

DATE PROPOSED RULE APPROVED BY AGENCY HEAD: October 27, 2009

DATE NOTICE OF PROPOSED RULE DEVELOPMENT PUBLISHED IN FAW: May 2, 2008

# DEPARTMENT OF BUSINESS AND PROFESSIONAL REGULATION

### **Board of Landscape Architecture**

RULE NO.: RULE TITLE:

61G10-18.001 Continuing Education Credit

Requirements

PURPOSE AND EFFECT: The Board proposes to amend the rule to award CE credit for exam writing.

SUMMARY: CE credit will be awarded for exam writing.

SUMMARY OF STATEMENT OF ESTIMATED REGULATORY COSTS: No Statement of Estimated Regulatory Cost was prepared. The Board determined the proposed rule will not have an impact on small business.

Any person who wishes to provide information regarding a statement of estimated regulatory costs, or provide a proposal for a lower cost regulatory alternative must do so in writing within 21 days of this notice.

RULEMAKING AUTHORITY: 455.2124, 489.306, 481.313 FS

LAW IMPLEMENTED: 481.313, 553.841 FS.

IF REQUESTED WITHIN 21 DAYS OF THE DATE OF THIS NOTICE, A HEARING WILL BE SCHEDULED AND ANNOUNCED IN THE FAW.

THE PERSON TO BE CONTACTED REGARDING THE PROPOSED RULE IS: Juanita Chastain, Executive Director, Board of Landscape Architecture, 1940 North Monroe Street, Tallahassee, Florida 32399-0750

#### THE FULL TEXT OF THE PROPOSED RULE IS:

61G10-18.001 Continuing Education Credit Requirements.

Every person licensed pursuant to Chapter 481, Part II, F.S., must obtain at least sixteen (16) continuing education credits per biennium. There shall be no carryover of hours permitted from one licensure renewal biennium to the next.

- (1) through (5) No change.
- (6) Licensees who participate in the development of Florida exam questions may be awarded up to six (6) hours of continuing education credit, comprised of two (2) hours of laws and rules and 4 hours optional, upon request to the Board.

  (7)(6) No change.

Rulemaking Authority 455.2124, 481.306, 481.313 FS. Law Implemented 481.313, 553.841 FS. History–New 9-19-01, Amended 7-3-03, 3-1-05, 11-12-07, 9-6-09,

NAME OF PERSON ORIGINATING PROPOSED RULE: Board of Landscape Architecture

NAME OF AGENCY HEAD WHO APPROVED THE PROPOSED RULE: Board of Landscape Architecture

DATE PROPOSED RULE APPROVED BY AGENCY HEAD: October 16, 2009

DATE NOTICE OF PROPOSED RULE DEVELOPMENT PUBLISHED IN FAW: August 14, 2009

#### DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION

Notices for the Department of Environmental Protection between December 28, 2001 and June 30, 2006, go to http://www.dep.state.fl.us/ under the link or button titled "Official Notices."