

Agency Rule Review Plan

Section 2001.039 of the Texas Government Code requires each agency to review each of its rules every four (4) years and consider whether to re-adopt, re-adopt with amendments, or repeal each rule. On July 2, 2007, the agency submitted a schedule (attached) of its anticipated dates of review on the Secretary of State's web site to inform the public of its *intent* to review. The Board will need to assess whether the reason(s) for originally adopting these chapters continue to exist. Each section of these chapters will be reevaluated to determine whether it is obsolete, reflects current legal and policy considerations, reflects current procedures and practices of the Board, and/or whether it is in compliance with chapter 2001 of the Texas Government Code (Administrative Practice Act).

The public will then have thirty (30) days to comment on the rule and to submit any response or suggestion.

Texas Board of Nursing

Rule Review Plan

Pursuant to the Texas Government Code § 2001.039 (Administrative Procedure Act), this agency files the following rule review plan.

- Chapter 211 General Provisions (July 2007)
- Chapter 213 Practice and Procedure (April 2008)
- Chapter 214 Vocational Nursing Education (January 2009)
- Chapter 215 Professional Nursing Education (January 2009)
- Chapter 216 Continuing Education (April 2008)
- Chapter 217 Licensure, Peer Assistance and Practice (July 2007)
- Chapter 219 Advanced Nurse Practitioner Program (July 2007)
- Chapter 220 Nurse Licensure Compact (October 2007)
- Chapter 221 Advanced Practice Nurses (April 2008)
- Chapter 222 Advanced Practice Nurses With Prescriptive Authority (January 2009)
- Chapter 223 Fees (July 2007)
- Chapter 224 Delegation of Nursing Tasks by Registered Professional Nurses to Unlicensed Personnel for Clients with Acute Conditions or in Acute Care Environments (October 2007)
- Chapter 225 RN Delegation to Unlicensed Personnel and Tasks Not Requiring Delegation in Independent Living Environments for Clients with Stable and Predictable Conditions (October 2007)
- Chapter 226 Patient Safety Pilot Programs on Nurse Reporting Systems (January 2008)
- Chapter 227 Pilot Programs for Innovative Applications to Professional Nursing Education (July 2009)