

NOTICES OF RULEMAKING DOCKET OPENING

This section of the *Arizona Administrative Register* contains Notices of Rulemaking Docket Opening under A.R.S. § 41-1021.

A docket opening is the first part of the administrative rulemaking process. It is an “announcement” that an agency intends to work on its rules.

When an agency opens a rulemaking docket to consider rulemaking, the Administrative Procedure Act (APA) requires publication of the Notice of Rulemaking Docket Opening in the Register.

Under the APA, effective January 1, 1995, agencies must submit a Notice of Rulemaking Docket Opening before beginning the formal rulemaking process. An agency may file the Notice of Rulemaking Docket Opening along with the Notice of Proposed Rulemaking.

The Office of the Secretary of State is the filing office and publisher of these notices. Questions about the interpretation of this information should be directed to the agency contact person listed in item #4 of this notice.

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TITLE 4. PROFESSIONS AND OCCUPATIONS

CHAPTER 11. STATE BOARD OF DENTAL EXAMINERS

[R23-89]

1. **Title and its heading:** 4, Professions and Occupations
Chapter and its heading: 11, State Board of Dental Examiners
Article and its heading: 4, Fees
Section number: R4-11-403 (*Sections may be added, deleted, or further modified as necessary.*)
2. **The subject matter of the proposed rule:**
 The Board needs to amend its rules relating to fees.
3. **A citation to all published notices relating to the proceeding:**
 Notice of Proposed Rulemaking: 29 A.A.R. 1387, June 23, 2023 (*in this issue*)
4. **The name and address of agency personnel with whom persons may communicate regarding the rulemaking:**
 Name: Ryan Edmonson, Executive Director
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 Telephone: (602) 542-4493
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5. **The time during which the agency will accept written comments and the time and place where oral comments may be made:**
 The Department will accept comments during business hours at the address listed in item 4. Information regarding an oral proceeding will be included in the Notice of Proposed Rulemaking.
6. **A timetable for agency decisions or other action on the proceeding, if known:**
 To be determined.

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[R23-90]

1. **Title and its heading:** 4, Professions and Occupations
Chapter and its heading: 11, State Board of Dental Examiners
Article and its heading: 5, Dentists
 9, Restricted Permits
 15, Complaints, Investigations, Disciplinary Action
Section number: R4-11-502, R4-11-903, and R4-11-1503 (*Sections may be added, deleted, or further modified as necessary.*)
2. **The subject matter of the proposed rule:**
 The Board needs to amend its rules to update outdated references and clarify that the Board shall disclose the identity of a licensee in order to ensure there is no conflict of interest during a Clinical Evaluation.

3. A citation to all published notices relating to the proceeding:

Notice of Proposed Rulemaking: 29 A.A.R. 1389, June 23, 2023 (*in this issue*)

4. The name and address of agency personnel with whom persons may communicate regarding the rulemaking:

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