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Illinois Regulation is a summary of the weekly regulatory decisions of State agencies published in the Illinois Register and action taken by the Illinois General Assembly's Joint Committee on Administrative Rules. Illinois Regulation, also titled The Flinn Report in memory of founding JCAR member Rep. Monroe Flinn, is designed to inform and involve the public in changes taking place in agency administration.

Proposed Rulemakings

■ IEPA LOAN PROGRAM

The ILLINOIS ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY proposed amendments to Procedures for Issuing Loans From the Water Pollution Control Loan Program (35 IAC 365; 39 Ill Reg 13131) establishing criteria for evaluating applications for loan principal forgiveness submitted by loan recipients with a service population of 15,000 or fewer. Criteria include median household income, present population, unemployment, and population decrease. The rulemaking also adds stormwater treatment systems to the list of projects eligible for assistance under this Part. Small municipalities and other units of local government may be affected by this rulemaking.

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■ UNIVERSITY PERSONNEL

The STATE UNIVERSITIES CIVIL SERVICE SYSTEM proposed amendments to State Universities Civil Service System (80 IAC 250; 39 Ill Reg 13172) implementing Public Act 99-72, which states that the three candidates with the highest scores (instead of the three "highest standing" candidates) on the original entry or promotion registers shall be referred for hiring consideration when a vacancy occurs. Filing of employment examination results with SUCSS shall be on a monthly basis or as designated (currently, quarterly).

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■ LIBRARIES

The SECRETARY OF STATE proposed amendments to Illinois State Library Grant Programs (23 IAC 3035; 39 Ill Reg 13147) clarifying that per capita funds may be used for capital improvements. Public libraries with limited funds may also apply for mini-grants for construction projects. Library grants to Veterans' Homes will be subject to the same application, reporting and appeal process as other grants. Reporting requirements are standardized for Educate and Automation/Technology, Talking Book and Braille Service and Library Service and Technology Grants. The definition of intersystem reciprocal borrowing is being

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NEW RULES: Rules adopted by agencies this week. **EMERGENCY RULES:** Adopted for a temporary period not to exceed 150 days.
PROPOSED RULES: Rules proposed by agencies this week, commencing a 45-day First Notice period during which public comments must be accepted.
PEREMPTORY RULES: Rules adopted without prior public notice or JCAR review as authorized by 5 ILCS 100/5-50.
■ Designates rules of special interest to small businesses, small municipalities, and not-for-profit corporations. Agencies are required to consider comments from these groups and minimize the regulatory burden on them.
QUESTIONS/COMMENTS: Submit mail, email or phone calls to the agency personnel listed below each summary.
RULE TEXT: Available on the Secretary of State (www.cyberdriveillinois.com) and General Assembly (www.ilga.gov) websites under Illinois Register. Second Notice text (original version with changes made by the agency during First Notice included) is available on the JCAR website.

Proposed Rulemakings

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deleted and statewide reciprocal borrowing is being added. The ADA self-evaluation requirement is being removed and public libraries will no longer have to

submit a list of all applicable bidding ordinances. Public libraries may also deposit grant funds in interest bearing accounts. Local library districts may be affected by this rulemaking.

Questions/requests for copies/comments through 11/9/15: Joseph Natale, Illinois State Library (SOS), Gwendolyn Brooks Bldg., Springfield IL 62701-1796, 217/558-4185, jnatale@ilsos.net

Second Notices

The following rulemakings were moved to Second Notice this week by the agencies listed below, commencing the JCAR review period. These rulemakings will be considered at the Committee's October 13, 2015 meeting. Other items not published in the *Illinois Register* or The Flinn Report may also be considered. Further comments concerning these rulemakings should be addressed to JCAR using the contact information on page 1.

DEPT OF FINANCIAL AND PROFESSIONAL REGULATION

Illinois Professional Land Surveyor Act of 1989 (68 IAC 1270; 39 Ill Reg 9786) proposed 7/17/15

The Professional Engineering Practice Act of 1989 (68 IAC 1380; 39 Ill Reg 9819)
proposed 7/17/15

The Structural Engineering Practice Act of 1989 (68 IAC 1480; 39 Ill Reg 9836) proposed 7/17/15

DEPT OF INSURANCE

Construction and Filing of Life Insurance and Annuity Forms (50 IAC 1405; 39 Ill Reg 8677)
proposed 6/26/15

Variable Contracts (50 IAC 1451; 39 Ill Reg 8684) proposed 6/26/15

Family Group Life Insurance Policy Forms (Repealer) (50 IAC 1603; 39 Ill Reg 10357)
proposed 7/24/15

STATE BOARD OF EDUCATION

Special Education Facilities under Section 14-7.02 of the School Code
(23 IAC 401; 39 Ill Reg 8973) proposed 7/6/15

POLLUTION CONTROL BOARD

Primary Drinking Water Standards (35 IAC 611; 39 Ill Reg 8691) proposed 6/26/15