**Section 1445.400 Granting Variances**

a) The Director may grant variances from this Part in individual cases when the Director finds that:

1) The provision from which the variance is granted is not statutorily mandated;

2) No party will be injured by the granting of the variance; and

3) The rule from which the variance is granted would, in the particular case, be unreasonable or unnecessarily burdensome.

b) The Director shall notify the Board of the granting of the variance at the next meeting of the Board.

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