

PUBLIC HEARING NOTICE

Pursuant to Ohio Revised Code Section 119.03, notice is hereby given that the Department of Administrative Services intends to conduct a public hearing for the purpose of amending Ohio Administrative Code Sections 123:1-19-01, 123:1-25-01, 123:1-32-01, 123:1-32-10, and 123:1-47-01.

The proposed to be amended rules deal with the following subject matter:

- 123:1-19-01 Nature of probationary period – To change the requirement for written reasons for a probationary removal or reduction to simple notice by the appointing authority.
- 123:1-25-01 Transfers and intra-transfers in classified service – To delete paragraph (N) to remove conflict with ORC 123.13(E) and OAC 123:1-32-10(A)(3)(a)-(A)(3)(c).
- 123:1-32-01 Availability and charge of sick leave, vacation leave, and personal leave and compensation for sick leave of employees paid by warrant of the director of budget and management – To add clarification to paragraph (C) that sick leave accompanying a transferring employee who is coming from an entity that is not paid by warrant of the director of budget and management will be treated as “old sick” for usage purposes.
- 123:1-32-10 Transfer of sick leave, personal leave and vacation leave credits, restoration of sick leave, personal leave and vacation leave credit – To correct a grammatical error in paragraph (A)(3)(c).
- 123:1-47-01 Definition of terms – To amend the definition of the term “base rate of pay” in paragraph (A)(12) to bring it in line with ORC 124.382(A)(6).

The Department of Administrative Services shall hold a public hearing on the proposed rule amendments on Tuesday, February 17, 2015, at 9:00 a.m. in Room 2793, on the 27th floor of the James A. Rhodes State Office Tower located at 30 East Broad Street, Columbus, Ohio. At this hearing, any person affected by the rules may appear and be heard in person, by the person's attorney, or both, may present the person's position, arguments, or contentions orally or in writing, offer and examine witnesses, and present evidence that tends to show that the rules, if adopted or effectuated, will be unreasonable or unlawful.

Individuals desiring only to submit their position, arguments, or contentions in writing (written statement) may do so by submitting them to the following address:

Department of Administrative Services
HRD/OCB Policy Development Office
1602 West Broad Street
Columbus, Ohio 43223

Attn: February 2015 Public Rules Hearing

Any such written statements actually received by close of business on Tuesday, February 17, 2015, will be considered by the Department of Administrative Services. A person who timely submits a written statement as described above, is not required to appear at the hearing to have the written statement considered in the rule making process.