

REVIEW OF AGENCY RULES

This section contains notices of state agency rule review as directed by the Texas Government Code, §2001.039. Included here are proposed rule review notices, which

invite public comment to specified rules under review; and adopted rule review notices, which summarize public comment received as part of the review. The complete text of an agency's rule being reviewed is available in the *Texas Administrative Code* on the Texas Secretary of State's website.

For questions about the content and subject matter of rules, please contact the state agency that is reviewing the rules. Questions about the website and printed copies of these notices may be directed to the *Texas Register* office.

Proposed Rule Reviews

Texas Department of Agriculture

Title 4, Part 1

The Texas Department of Agriculture (the Department) files this notice of intent to review Texas Administrative Code, Title 4, Part 1, Chapter 1, Subchapter H, Requests for Public Information. This review is being conducted in accordance with the requirements of Texas Government Code §2001.039 (Agency Review of Existing Rules).

The Department will consider whether the initial factual, legal, and policy reasons for adopting each rule continue to exist and whether these rules should be repealed, readopted, or readopted with amendments.

Written comments pertaining to this rule review may be submitted by mail to Skyler Shafer, Assistant General Counsel, at Texas Department of Agriculture, P.O. Box 12847, Austin, Texas 78711-2847 or by email at skyler.shafer@texasagriculture.gov. The deadline for comments is 30 days after publication of this notice in the *Texas Register*.

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The Texas Department of Agriculture (the Department) files this notice of intent to review Texas Administrative Code, Title 4, Part 1, Chapter 1, Subchapter K, Employee Training Rules. This review is being conducted in accordance with the requirements of Texas Government Code §2001.039 (Agency Review of Existing Rules).

The Department will consider whether the initial factual, legal, and policy reasons for adopting each rule continue to exist and whether these rules should be repealed, readopted, or readopted with amendments.

Written comments pertaining to this rule review may be submitted by mail to Danielle Mitchell, Assistant General Counsel, at Texas Department of Agriculture, P.O. Box 12847, Austin, Texas 78711-2847 or by email at danielle.mitchell@texasagriculture.gov. The deadline for comments is 30 days after publication of this notice in the *Texas Register*.

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Adopted Rule Reviews

Texas Board of Professional Geoscientists

Title 22, Part 39

In accordance with Government Code §2001.039, the Texas Board of Professional Geoscientists adopts its review for 22 TAC Chapters 850 and 851, as follows:

Chapter 850

Subchapter A (Authority and Definitions)

Subchapter B (Organization and Responsibilities)

Subchapter C (Fees)

Subchapter D (Advisory Opinions)

Chapter 851

Subchapter A (Definitions)

Subchapter B (P.G. Licensing, Firm Registration, and GIT Certification)

Subchapter C (Code of Professional Conduct)

Subchapter D (Compliance and Enforcement)

Subchapter E (Hearings--Contested Cases and Judicial Review)

The notice of proposed review was published in the January 8, 2021, of the *Texas Register* (46 TexReg 325). TBPG received no comments regarding the review.

The Texas Board of Professional Geoscientists (TBPG) has determined that the reasons for initially adopting these chapters continue to exist. TBPG readopts these rules in their entirety, with the exception of 22 TAC §851.154 and subject to any proposed amendments, repeals, and new rules which will be proposed separately in a future edition of the *Texas Register*.

These rules are adopted pursuant to the authority of Occupations Code, section 1002.151, which authorizes the board to adopt and enforce rules consistent with the Texas Geoscience Practice Act (Act), and necessary for the performance of its duties.

This concludes the TBPG's review of Chapters 850 and 851.

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