

CHAPTER 2506
CONTESTED CASES

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The Uniform Rules on Agency Procedure, 7—Chapters 2500 through 2506, are rules generally applicable to agencies pursuant to Iowa Code section 17A.24. Additions, exceptions, or amendments to the corresponding chapter are below.

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495—2506.1(17A) Scope and applicability. This chapter applies to contested case proceedings conducted by the agency, including vendor appeals. However, this chapter does not apply to the extent that a claim being addressed by the agency is governed by Iowa Code chapter 97B or if the competitive solicitation will be paid for with investment management expenses charged to the investment income of the retirement fund as set forth in Iowa Code section 97B.7(3) “d.”

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495—2506.2(17A) Definitions.

“*Presiding officer*” means the administrative law judge designated pursuant to Iowa Code section 97B.20B.

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495—2506.6(17A) Presiding officer. This rule is not adopted.

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495—2506.14(17A) Subpoenas.

2506.14(1) This subrule is not adopted.

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495—2506.26(17A) Final decisions.

2506.26(1) This subrule is not adopted.

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495—2506.27(17A) Appeals and review.

2506.27(1) *Appeal by party.* Any adversely affected party may appeal a proposed decision to the employment appeal board as provided in Iowa Code section 97B.27.

2506.27(3) *Notice of appeal.* An appeal of a proposed decision is initiated by filing a timely notice of appeal with the employment appeal board as provided in Iowa Code section 97B.27. The notice of appeal is to be signed by the appealing party or a representative of that party and contain a certificate of service. The notice will specify:

2506.27(4) This subrule is not adopted.

2506.27(5) *Scheduling.* The employment appeal board will issue a schedule for consideration of the appeal.

2506.27(6) *Briefs and arguments.* Unless otherwise ordered, within 20 days of the notice of appeal or order for review, each appealing party may file exceptions and briefs. Within 20 days thereafter, any party may file a responsive brief. Briefs will include any applicable legal authority and specify relevant portions of the record in that proceeding. Written requests to present oral argument will be filed with the briefs. The employment appeal board may resolve the appeal on the briefs or provide an opportunity for oral argument. The employment appeal board may shorten or extend the briefing period as appropriate.

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