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641—202.11(10A) Finality. The certificate of need application process is continuous beginning with submission of a letter of intent or request for waiver of a letter of intent through issuance of a final decision by the council subject to judicial review under Iowa Code chapter 17A.

- **202.11(1)** The following stages of the process are intermediate and subject to judicial review only to the extent they meet criteria for intermediate review under Iowa Code section 17A.19:
- a. A decision by the department pursuant to 641—202.3(10A) that a proposed project does not require a certificate of need;
- b. A decision by the department to waive submission of the letter of intent and substitute summary review; and
- c. The rejection of an application by the department that fails to provide all information required under Iowa Code section 10A.713(1).
- **202.11(2)** The following stages of the process are final decisions subject to judicial review as final agency action under Iowa Code section 17A.19:
 - a. A decision by the department to disallow summary review;
 - b. A decision by the council that a proposed project does not require a certificate of need;
 - c. A decision by the council to approve or deny an application;
 - d. The council's final ruling on an application for rehearing; and
- e. A decision by the council to revoke a certificate of need pursuant to 641—202.13(10A). [ARC 7932C, IAB 5/1/24, effective 6/5/24]