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263—6.4(17A) Criteria for waiver. In response to a petition completed pursuant to rule 6.6(17A), the board may in its sole discretion issue an order waiving in whole or in part the requirements of a rule if the board finds, based on clear and convincing evidence, all of the following:

- 1. The application of the rule would impose an undue hardship on the person for whom the waiver is requested;
- 2. The waiver from the requirements of the rule in the specific case would not prejudice the substantial legal rights of any person;
- 3. The provisions of the rule subject to the petition for a waiver are not specifically mandated by statute or another provision of law; and
- 4. Substantially equal protection of public health, safety, and welfare will be afforded by a means other than that prescribed in the particular rule for which the waiver is requested. [ARC 5823C, IAB 8/11/21, effective 9/15/21]