

653—25.26 (17A) Application for rehearing.

25.26(1) *Who may file.* Any party to a contested case proceeding may file an application for rehearing from a final order.

25.26(2) *Content of application.* The application for rehearing shall state on whose behalf it is filed, the specific grounds for rehearing, and the relief sought. In addition, the application shall state whether the applicant desires reconsideration of all or part of the agency decision on the existing record and whether, on the basis of the grounds enumerated in paragraph 25.24(2) “e” and subrule 25.26(5), the applicant requests an opportunity to submit additional evidence.

25.26(3) *Filing deadline.* The application shall be filed with the board within 20 days after issuance of the final decision.

25.26(4) *Notice to other parties.* A copy of the application shall be timely mailed by the applicant to all parties of record not joining therein.

25.26(5) *Additional evidence.* A request that additional evidence be considered on rehearing shall be governed by paragraph 25.24(2) “e.”

25.26(6) *Disposition.* Any application for a rehearing shall be deemed denied unless the agency grants the application within 20 days after its filing.

25.26(7) *Only remedy.* Application for rehearing is the only procedure by which a party may request that the board reconsider a final board decision.