



## Administrative Rules – Fiscal Impact Summaries

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**Fiscal Impact** The State of Iowa will receive \$5,000,000 in federal funds. Of this amount, \$500,000 will be spent on administrative costs. The Department of Economic Development (DED) will use \$200,000 for program administration, with the remaining \$300,000 going to local grant recipients for administration.

**Jobs Impact** This rule may have a positive impact on jobs dependent on what information is compared. The program's primary activities of property acquisitions, rehabilitation, demolition, and redevelopment will likely lead to increased activity in the real estate, construction, development, suppliers, skilled trades, and finance/insurance fields. Based on previous NSP funding, the DED estimates 60-70 residential units will be impacted by the Program. The DED estimates the number of jobs created based on previous projects, and tries to account for companies or individuals doing work on multiple projects. The rules will only impact individuals or companies that choose to participate in redevelopment projects associated with the Program.

Previous federal funding was considered one-time and these additional funds were not expected. Comparing the new funds to the previously received funds is a decrease in funding and therefore could result in a decrease in jobs. If the funding is compared to the previous thought of nonreceipt, the jobs could be considered new jobs. In either scenario, the jobs created by these funds are temporary. From previous calculations used by the DED, 3.25 jobs for each residential unit could exist, with a total of 195-227 jobs based on this the \$4,500,000 available for this additional funds.

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### Natural Resource Commission

**ARC 9552B**

**Rule Summary** Changes rules related to State Parks:

- Updates the definitions for "concession operation" and "friends group."
- Changes rules for advertising for a new concession and the process to renew concession contracts.
- Changes the rules for bidding new concession operations, vending machines, firewood sales, and concession operations run by a "friends group."
- Changes the evaluation criteria used when evaluating proposals that allows the Department of Natural Resources (DNR) to hire additional vendors that provide certain concession services if the service is not under a current contract or the concessionaire declines to provide the service.
- Clarifies when a temporary letter of authorization is necessary if Natural Resource Commission approval is required for language changes to reflect current terms used.

**Fiscal Impact** No fiscal impact.

**ARC 9539B**

**Rule Summary** Creates a new Chapter for establishing special events and details the permit processing. Includes permits for all-terrain vehicles, snowmobiles, and boats, as well as outlines the special event rules for State Parks, State Forests, fishing tournaments, dog trials, and firework displays. Includes a centralized special events application system and establishes fees to operate and maintain the system. Includes language that exempts certain organizations from having to pay the administrative fee. Allows events of the same type, that occur at the same location, to only pay one fee for all events which occur within a nine-day time frame.

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<b>Fiscal Impact</b>	<p>The DNR will charge a \$25 administrative fee for special events that includes fireworks displays and a \$2 fee for dog trials and retriever meets.</p> <p>Total fees for FY 2012 are estimated at \$19,235 and will be deposited in the following accounts:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Fishing tournaments and dog trial fees are deposited in the Fish and Game Protection Fund. In FY 2010, there were 617 registered fishing tournaments and 232 registered dog trials, that resulted in \$16,635 of revenue to the DNR. The estimated impact is a reduction of 61 registered fishing tournaments and 25 dog trials, with an estimated reduction of \$1,575 in revenue for a net total of \$15,060.</li><li>• Boating event fees are deposited in the Fish and Game Protection Fund. In FY 2010, there were 91 registered boating events. The change allows events of the same type, that occur at the same location, to pay only one fee for all events that occur within a nine-day time frame. This will reduce the number of boating events by 22, for a total of 69 events. The estimated revenue for boating events, based on past events and the change, is \$1,725.</li><li>• Off Highway Vehicle event fees will be deposited in the All-Terrain Vehicle (ATV) Fund and in FY 2010 there were no Off Highway Vehicle events.</li><li>• Snowmobile event fees are deposited in the Snowmobile Registration Fund. In FY 2010, there were 24 registered snowmobile events. The change is not expected to impact the number of snow events and the estimated revenue is \$600.</li><li>• State Park and State Forest event fees will be deposited in the Conservation Fund. In FY 2010, there were 74 registered State Park or State Forest events that would have been subject to the administrative fee. The estimated revenue for these events is \$1,850.</li></ul> <p>The DNR reports the registered events for FY 2011 look to be similar in number, and does not anticipate drastically higher revenue estimates. The DNR estimates the time for processing the special event permits to be minimal.</p>
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<b>Rule Summary</b>	<p>Establishes wildlife refuges or sanctuaries for the purpose of preserving the biological balance and support for sound wildlife management. The changes reclassify some existing refuges for the purposes of improving public use and safety and to reduce the time required to post refuge sites each fall.</p>	<b>ARC 9524B</b>
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<b>Fiscal Impact</b>	<p>The Department of Natural Resources (DNR) estimates the cost to replace the signs at the wildlife refuges at \$15,000, with funding from the Fish and Game Trust Fund. No additional labor will be used, as the signs will be replaced during normal inspection times.</p>	
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<b>Rule Summary</b>	<p>Rescinds special event rules that are being relocated.</p>	<b>ARC 9541B</b>
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<b>Fiscal Impact</b>	<p>No fiscal impact.</p>	
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<b>Rule Summary</b>	<p>Rescinds special event rules that are being relocated.</p>	<b>ARC 9540B</b>
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<b>Fiscal Impact</b>	<p>No fiscal impact.</p>	
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	<b>ARC 9506B</b>
<b>Rule Summary</b>	Adjusts rules for hunting waterfowl and coot and includes season dates, bag limits, possession limits, shooting hours, and areas open to hunting. The dates are adjusted to comply with federal regulations and to ensure the seasons open on weekends.
<b>Fiscal Impact</b>	No fiscal impact.
	<b>ARC 9542B</b>
<b>Rule Summary</b>	Revises the regulation for nonresident deer hunting. This includes season dates, bag limits, possession limits, shooting hours, areas open to hunting, licensing procedures, means and methods of take, and transportation and reporting requirements. Modifies the hunter orange requirement for blinds during the shotgun season so that the visible orange is a minimum size not shape. Clarifies that antlerless deer are tagged on a leg and antlered deer are tagged on the main beam of the antler.
<b>Fiscal Impact</b>	No fiscal impact to the State.
	<b>ARC 9507B</b>
<b>Rule Summary</b>	Changes rules for the spring wild turkey hunting season and includes season dates, bag limits, possession limits, shooting hours, areas open to hunting, licensing procedures, means and method of taking, and transportation tag requirements. Lengthens the youth hunting season from three to nine days and moves the regular turkey hunting seasons approximately by three days. Refunds the purchase of a preference point by a nonresident if the nonresident obtains a hunting license in a different hunting zone or season.
<b>Fiscal Impact</b>	No fiscal impact.
	<b>ARC 9543B</b>
<b>Rule Summary</b>	Changes the regulations for hunting rabbits and squirrels and includes season dates, bag limits, possession limits, shooting hours, and areas open to hunting. Closes the jackrabbit season statewide.
<b>Fiscal Impact</b>	No fiscal impact.
	<b>ARC 9544B</b>
<b>Rule Summary</b>	Changes the following hunting rules: <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Updates the season dates, bag limits, possession limits and areas open to hunting and trapping.</li><li>• Changes the closing date for the open season of taking of beavers from April 1 to April 15.</li><li>• Increases the quota for bobcats from 250 to 350 and increases the quota for river otters from 500 to 650.</li><li>• Increases the seasonal bag limit for river otters from two to three.</li><li>• Changes the grace period for taking a bobcat or river otter from 48 hours to a period that ends at midnight of the day after the quota fills and the season is announced as being closed.</li></ul>

- Increases the amount of time allowed to get a Convention on International Trade in Endangered Species (CITES) tag for a bobcat or river otter from 48 hours to seven days. The bobcat or river otter must still be reported within 24 hours of capture so that an accurate count can be maintained. The trapper is required to bring the skin and the carcass when the trapper picks up the CITES tag so that biological samples may be obtained from the carcass. An exception is made if the bobcat or river otter will be taken to a taxidermist to be mounted.

**Fiscal Impact** No fiscal impact.

**Rule Summary** Changes rules for taking groundhogs by establishing a continuous year round season. Previously, groundhogs could be taken from June 15 to October 31. There is no daily bag or possession limit. **ARC 9545B**

**Fiscal Impact** No fiscal impact.

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**Board of Pharmacy**

**Rule Summary** Identifies the technical functions that can be delegated to a pharmacy technician trainee or an uncertified pharmacy technician by a supervising pharmacist. Clarifies the functions that can be delegated to a pharmacy technician. **ARC 9502B**

**Fiscal Impact** No fiscal impact.

**Rule Summary** Terminates Noticed Rule ARC 8924B that eliminated the requirement that pharmacies maintain a copy of the *Iowa Pharmacy Law and Information Manual*. **ARC 9530B**

**Fiscal Impact** No fiscal impact.

**Rule Summary** Changes include the following: **ARC 9526B**

- Adds pharmacy technicians, pharmacy support persons, and pharmacist-interns to those regulated individuals subject to unethical conduct activities.
- Prohibits any purchasing pharmacy or pharmacist from engaging in a transaction for the sale or transfer of prescription records that would prevent or prohibit prior patient notification of a pending transfer of the patient's records.
- Permits a closing pharmacy to transfer prescription and patient records to a pharmacy that agrees to act as the custodian of the transferred records and is subject to the same confidentiality standards as the originating pharmacy.
- Clarifies requirements when a change in ownership of a pharmacy takes place.
- Provides for the responsibilities of the pharmacies when a pharmacy closes.

Changes to Noticed Rule ARC 9295B include the following:

- Revises the time period from 60 days to 21 days prior to the closure that an owner is required to notify the pharmacist in charge that the pharmacy is closing.
- Revises the time period from four weeks to 14 days prior that the Board of Pharmacy and the federal Drug Enforcement Agency must be notified of the pharmacy's pending closure.
- Eliminates the requirement that a copy of sale or purchase agreement be provided to the Board of Pharmacy. Instead the documentation must be available on request of the Board.
- Requires that clients with a restrictive-use pharmacy be notified that the pharmacy is closing so that the client can notify the program.

**Fiscal Impact** No fiscal impact. The Board of Pharmacy retains fees charged to licensees to fund their operations.

**Rule Summary** **ARC 9527B**  
The Board of Pharmacy is terminating Noticed Rule 9116B, relating to drugs in emergency medical service programs, due to comments and questions received from the public.

**Fiscal Impact** No fiscal impact.

**Rule Summary** **ARC 9528B**  
The changes relate to drugs in emergency medical service (EMS) programs and include the following:

- Provides for definitions of terms.
- Establishes responsibilities for parties involved in the provision of drugs for EMS programs.
- Requires a written agreement between an EMS program and the party responsible for providing drugs to a program. Provides for procedures for termination of those services.
- Provides for requirements for storage and security of drugs maintained at an EMS program site.
- Establishes recordkeeping requirements, clarifies methods for utilization and replenishment of drug stock, and special handling and recordkeeping relating to controlled substances.

**Fiscal Impact** No fiscal impact.

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**Real Estate Commission – Department of Commerce**

**Rule Summary** **ARC 9505B**  
Requires a broker seeking to enforce a protective clause to furnish to an owner by regular mail and certified mail, return receipt requested, a copy of the list of names for the protection is sought.

**Fiscal Impact** No fiscal impact.

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### Held over - ARC 9486B

**Rule Summary** Creates a timeframe for reporting disciplinary action in another State or jurisdiction. Specifies that failure to notify the Real Estate Commission within 15 days after entry of an adverse action taken by another state or jurisdiction is cause for disciplinary action.

**Fiscal Impact** No fiscal impact.

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### Department of Veterans Affairs – Iowa Veterans Home

### Held over - ARC 9492B

**Rule Summary** Iowa Veterans Home: Permits Gold Star parents to be eligible for admission to the Iowa Veterans Home if the parent has lost at least one child in active military service. Clarifies the support billing process and the resident financial obligations at the Home.

**Fiscal Impact** No fiscal impact.

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### Professional Licensure Division – Department of Public Health

### ARC 9547B

**Rule Summary** Board of Behavioral Science: Adds the definition of mental health setting. Updates educational requirements for marital and family therapists and mental health counselors. Changes the word “felony” to “crime” to be consistent with Code Chapter 147 requirements. The words “behaviorial health” are added to the definition of mental health setting provided for in Noticed Rule ARC 9116B due to public comment received.

**Fiscal Impact** No fiscal impact.

### ARC 9513B

**Rule Summary** Board of Chiropractic Physicians: Removes the requirement for mailing renewal notices to licensees.

**Fiscal Impact** Minimal fiscal impact. Some administrative savings may occur due to a reduction of staff time, postage, printing, and paper for the renewal notices. The Board retains fees charged to licensees to fund its operations.

### ARC 9551B

**Rule Summary** Board of Chiropractic Physicians: Clarifies that conviction of a crime includes when the judgment of conviction or sentence was deferred.

**Fiscal Impact** No fiscal impact.

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### ARC 9519B

**Rule Summary** Board of Optometry: The changes are as follows:

- Removes the requirement for mailing renewal notices to licensees.
- Increases the required number of continuing education hours in a two-year period for diagnostically-certified optometrists to be consistent with requirements for therapeutically-certified optometrists.
- Clarifies that conviction of a crime includes when the judgment of conviction or sentence was deferred.

**Fiscal Impact** Minimal fiscal impact. Some administrative savings may occur due to a reduction of staff time, postage, printing, and paper for the renewal notices. The Board retains fees charged to licensees to fund its operations. Diagnostically-certified optometrists may see an increase in cost for continuing education; however the cost is undeterminable since requirements can be met using different sources.

### ARC 9509B

**Rule Summary** Board of Podiatry: Removes the requirement for mailing renewal notices to licensees.

**Fiscal Impact** Minimal fiscal impact. Some administrative savings will occur due to a reduction of staff time, postage, printing, and paper. The Board retains fees charged to licensees to fund its operations.

### ARC 9508B

**Rule Summary** Board of Podiatry: Changes the word “felony” to “crime” to be consistent with Code Chapter 147 requirements.

**Fiscal Impact** No fiscal impact.

### ARC 9549B

**Rule Summary** Board of Physician Assistants: Removes the requirement for mailing renewal notices to licensees.

**Fiscal Impact** Minimal fiscal impact. Some administrative savings will occur due to a reduction of staff time, postage, printing, and paper. The Board retains fees charged to licensees to fund its operations.

### ARC 9550B

**Rule Summary** Board of Physician Assistants: Permits advanced notification by a supervising physician to the entity filling a prescription, of a list of supervised physician assistants that have been delegated prescriptive authority. Currently many billing systems do not have fields to allow multiple names to be submitted and current law requires a supervising physician’s name to be included on each electronic prescription.

**Fiscal Impact** No fiscal impact.



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**ARC 9517B**

**Rule Summary** Board of Physician Assistants: Clarifies renewal application requirements regarding Category II continuing education for the purposes of an audit of activity by the Board. Additional clarification is provided for the definition of “current certification” after public comment was received on Noticed Rule ARC 9360B.

**Fiscal Impact** No fiscal impact. The Board retains fees charged to licensees to fund its operations.

**ARC 9548B**

**Rule Summary** Board of Physician Assistants: Clarifies that conviction of a crime includes when the judgment of conviction or sentence was deferred.

**Fiscal Impact** No fiscal impact.

**70-day Delay - ARC 9424B**

**Rule Summary** Board of Hearing Aid Dispensers: Clarifies the requirements for supervision reports by temporary permit holders. Removes the requirement for mailing renewal notices to licensees. Revises the continuing education requirements.

**Fiscal Impact** Minimal fiscal impact. Some administrative savings will occur due to a reduction of staff time, postage, printing, and paper. The Board retains fees charged to licensees to fund its operations.

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### Department of Public Health

**ARC 9537B and 9536B**

**Rule Summary** Provides for health care profession students that volunteer at the entities already protected under the Volunteer Health Care Provider Program (VHCPP) to be covered by that Program.

**Fiscal Impact** Minimal fiscal impact. Cost increases may occur if claims involving the Attorney General's Office increase. Staff workload may increase due to increased submission of documents relating to the additional health care providers.

**ARC 9535B**

**Rule Summary** Clarifies when surgery can be performed in a volunteer health care provider clinic, where the surgery can be performed, the person that can perform the surgery, and the required follow-up for the surgery. Delineates the health care provider professions eligible to receive VHCPP protection. Changes were made to Noticed Rule ARC 9245B to add the definitions of “major surgical procedure” and “outpatient surgical center.”

**Fiscal Impact** Minimal fiscal impact. Cost increases may occur if claims involving the Attorney General's Office increase. Staff workload may also increase due to increased applications of providers, clinics, and other eligible entities.

**ARC 9533B**

**Rule Summary** Increases the following fees related to the Iowa Office of the State Medical Examiner (IOSME):

- Base autopsy fee from \$1,200 to \$1,400.
- Expert witness testimony by IOSME physicians from \$350 per hour to \$450 per hour.
- Creates a cremation permit fee of \$75 for cremation permits investigated by the IOSME.
- Clarifies that a copy of an autopsy report is automatically sent to the county medical examiner and the county attorney free of charge.

**Fiscal Impact** The proposed changes to certain fees charged by the IOSME will generate revenue as follows:

- Currently, the IOSME collects \$795,600 annually for an average of 663 autopsy cases per year. Raising the fee by \$200 will generate an additional \$132,600 for a total of \$928,200. This revenue is retained by the Office and used to pay for supplies, equipment, and other related expenses. The fee was last increased in 2003.
- The IOSME currently collects \$63,000 for an average of 180 hours of court preparation and testimony per year. The \$100 increase is expected to generate an additional \$18,000 for a total of \$81,000. This revenue is retained by the Office. The fee was last increased in 2003.
- The IOSME authorizes an average of 291 cremation permits annually. The Office will retain approximately \$21,825 annually under this change.

**ARC 9534B**

**Rule Summary** Establishes a Substance Abuse and Gambling Treatment Program Committee under the State Board of Health and specifies the duties of the Committee. Changes were made to Noticed Rule ARC 9436B due to public comment to clarify the make-up of the Committee and to require the Committee Chairperson to have direct experience with substance abuse treatment or prevention.

**Fiscal Impact** No fiscal impact.

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**Department of Public Safety**

**ARC 9515B**

**Rule Summary** Makes the following changes:

- Adds the definition of registered apprenticeship program to clarify that completion of an apprenticeship program registered at the State level satisfies the apprenticeship requirement.
- Corrects references to dates related to Class B electrician licenses (licenses based on experience with no testing) to be consistent with the related statutory language.
- Clarifies that an unclassified person license is not required to work as an electrician's helper for persons that already hold some type of license issued by the Electrical Examining Board, except for those that hold certain special electrician licenses.
- Includes Board procedures and standards for post-secondary electrician education programs.

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- Adopts a definition for residential electrical work to be consistent with previously adopted definitions for the electrician and electrical contractor licensing program.

**Fiscal Impact** No fiscal impact.

**Rule Summary** Establishes procedures for the Statewide Interoperable Communications System Board, including procedures for meetings, election of board officers, awarding of grants, entering contracts, and selection of the Statewide Interoperability Coordinator (SWIC). **ARC 9516B**

**Fiscal Impact** The Board is under the joint purview of the Departments of Public Safety and Transportation for administrative purposes. The Board is currently funded from the federal 2009 Interoperability Emergency Communications Grant Program (IECGP) that will end in September of 2011. The Board intends to use funding from the 2011 IECGP for the position. The Board has not indicated that it will seek State General Funds for the SWIC.

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### Utilities Division – Department of Commerce

**Rule Summary** Updates technical standards including changes to include new federal reporting forms for pipeline safety, control center standards, and distribution integrity management regulations. Provides references to the Iowa Utilities Board's electronic filing system. Clarifies definitions. **ARC 9501B**

**Fiscal Impact** No fiscal impact.

**Rule Summary** Establishes procedures for rate-regulated natural gas utilities to implement an automatic adjustment mechanism to recover certain capital infrastructure investments between general rate case proceedings. **ARC 9529B**

**Fiscal Impact** No fiscal impact. The recovery of infrastructure investment under an automatic adjustment mechanism will ultimately be recovered in rates through the rate making process.

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### Dental Board

**Rule Summary** Removes the Western Regional Examining Board, Inc. (WREB) and the American Board of Dental Examiners, Inc., (ADEX) from the allowable examination list for dental or dental hygienist licensure. The Dental Board will continue to accept the Central Regional Dental Testing Service, Inc. (CRDTS) as the dental or dental hygienist licensure examination. One change was made to Noticed Rule ARC 9243B due to public comment to provide for a transition provision for fourth year students at the University of Iowa College of Dentistry that have taken, or intend to take, the WREB examination prior to September 1, 2011. **ARC 9510B**

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**Fiscal Impact** No fiscal impact. The Dental Board retains fees charged to licensees to fund its operations. In FY 2011, the CRDTS cost \$1,900 per applicant and the WREB cost \$2,110 per applicant. The ADEX is no longer administered in the State of Iowa.

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### Department of Inspections and Appeals

**Rule Summary** Clarifies the methods that an agency subpoena may be requested from an administrative law judge. Increases the time period (from three days to seven calendar days) that a request for a subpoena must be received by the Division of Administrative Hearings prior to a scheduled hearing. **ARC 9514B**

**Fiscal Impact** No fiscal impact.

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### Department of Human Services

**Rule Summary** Allows licensed mental health counselors and certified alcohol and drug counselors to enroll as Medicaid Program providers of behavioral health services. **ARC 9538B**

**Fiscal Impact** The majority of Medicaid Program members receive mental health services through the Iowa Plan and are not affected by this change. Because this change will affect a relatively small number of Medicaid members and those members may be currently receiving mental health services from other providers, this change is estimated to have a very minimal impact.

**Rule Summary** Makes technical changes for the implementation of the Iowa Electronic Health Record Incentive Program. **ARC 9531B**

**Fiscal Impact** No fiscal impact.

**Rule Summary** Updates the sliding scale used to determine premiums for medical assistance benefits under the IowaCare Program. Premiums are updated based on new federal poverty guidelines. **ARC 9532B**

**Fiscal Impact** The change is estimated to increase premiums collected by \$8,700 in FY 2012 and \$16,500 in FY 2013.

**Rule Summary** The following changes are made for the Child Care Assistance (CCA) Program and the Family Investment Program (FIP) and the PROMISE JOBS Program as they relate to eligibility for the CCA Program: **ARC 9518B**

- Clarifies income projection when assessing eligibility for the CCA Program. Adds several personal revenue sources to income that is considered in determining eligibility. Exempts emergency and major disaster assistance from income calculations.

- Clarifies that for two-parent homes, assistance will be approved only for the parents' coinciding hours of participation in any approved activity (employment, training, or job search).
- Clarifies that assistance will be paid for actual travel time between the location of the child care and the training facility or place of employment.
- Prohibits payment of assistance for education in a field if the participant will not be able to be employed because of known criminal convictions or founded child or dependent adult abuse.
- Adds a definition for on-line training and clarifies that on-line training is not an allowed eligibility category when it is completed in the client's home and there are no specified times for attendance.
- Clarifies that in order to qualify for assistance based on medical incapacity, the parent must already have been determined eligible for assistance based on either the employment or training need for service.
- Clarifies that a job search is limited to 30 consecutive days.
- Clarifies that FIP families that need child care for employment do not need to meet the 28-hour weekly employment requirement.
- Clarifies that only general (nonfinancial) eligibility requirements are reviewed for PROMISE JOBS families and families receiving assistance for protective needs.
- Clarifies that a review form is not required for PROMISE JOBS participants, protective cases, and families receiving assistance during a 30-day job search.
- Clarifies that the Department of Human Services (DHS) can pay for no more than the number of units for child care authorized on the notice of decision regarding the family's eligibility for the CCA Program.
- Clarifies that the DHS may deny or cancel a provider agreement when a provider does not meet the criteria to be an eligible provider.
- Removes obsolete forms, references, and requirements.

**Fiscal Impact** Minimal fiscal impact. There may be minimal fiscal impact for the change that limits the need for services due to medical incapacity however it is expected to be minimal since there are few cases like this on an annual basis. All other changes are for clarification of existing rules and procedures and are not expected to have a fiscal impact.

**Rule Summary** **70-day (partial rule) Delay - ARC 9403B**  
Updates, streamlines, and clarifies Medicaid policy for Home and Community-Based Services to achieve uniform application of policy and to reduce the number of policy exceptions requested.

**Fiscal Impact** No fiscal impact due to waiver enrollment caps. The change is not expected to increase in cost since most expected costs are being incurred with current exceptions to policy.

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### Department of Agriculture and Land Stewardship

#### ARC 9525B

**Rule Summary** Allows the Department of Agriculture and Land Stewardship to inspect the premises and review the records of a commercial establishment (Iowa Code Section 162.2 defines as an animal shelter, boarding kennel, commercial breeder, commercial kennel, dealer, pet shop, pound, public auction, or research facility) with a federal permit.

**Fiscal Impact** There is no fiscal impact to the State.

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### Labor Services Division – Department of Workforce Development

#### ARC 9511B

**Rule Summary** Eliminates and amends definitions for the administration of the Boiler and Pressure Vessel Program relating to references to international boiler and pressure vessel codes.

**Fiscal Impact** No fiscal impact.

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### Board of Veterinary Medicine

#### ARC 9512B

**Rule Summary** Permits the Board of Veterinary Medicine to refuse to issue a credential, or may revoke, suspend, or not renew any credential if the Board receives a certificate of noncompliance issued by the Child Support Recovery Unit or by the Centralized Collection Unit in the Department of Revenue.

**Fiscal Impact** No fiscal impact.

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