

Dear Senators HEIDER, Nuxoll, Bock, and  
Representatives WOOD, Perry, Rusche:

The Legislative Services Office, Research and Legislation, has received the enclosed rules of the Bureau of Occupational Licenses - State Board of Social Work Examiners:  
IDAPA 24.14.01 - Rules Pertaining To The Rules of the State Board of Social Work Examiners  
(Docket No. 24-1401-1301).

Pursuant to Section 67-454, Idaho Code, a meeting on the enclosed rules may be called by the cochairmen or by two (2) or more members of the subcommittee giving oral or written notice to Research and Legislation no later than fourteen (14) days after receipt of the rules analysis from Legislative Services. The final date to call a meeting on the enclosed rules is no later than 10/08/2013. If a meeting is called, the subcommittee must hold the meeting within forty-two (42) days of receipt of the rules analysis from Legislative Services. The final date to hold a meeting on the enclosed rules is 11/05/2013.

The germane joint subcommittee may request a statement of economic impact with respect to a proposed rule by notifying Research and Legislation. There is no time limit on requesting this statement, and it may be requested whether or not a meeting on the proposed rule is called or after a meeting has been held.

To notify Research and Legislation, call 334-4845, or send a written request to the address on the memorandum attached below.



Jeff Youtz  
Director

# Legislative Services Office Idaho State Legislature

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## MEMORANDUM

**TO:** Rules Review Subcommittee of the Senate Health & Welfare Committee and the House Health & Welfare Committee  
**FROM:** Principal Legislative Research Analyst - Eric Milstead  
**DATE:** September 19, 2013  
**SUBJECT:** Bureau of Occupational Licenses - State Board of Social Work Examiners

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cc: Bureau of Occupational Licenses - State Board of Social Work Examiners  
Tana Cory

**IDAPA 24 - BUREAU OF OCCUPATIONAL LICENSES**  
**24.14.01 - RULES OF THE STATE BOARD OF SOCIAL WORK EXAMINERS**  
**DOCKET NO. 24-1401-1301**  
**NOTICE OF RULEMAKING - TEMPORARY AND PROPOSED RULE**

**EFFECTIVE DATE:** The effective date of the temporary rule is June 19, 2013.

**AUTHORITY:** In compliance with Sections 67-5221(1) and 67-5226, Idaho Code, notice is hereby given that this agency has adopted a temporary rule, and proposed rulemaking procedures have been initiated. The action is authorized pursuant to Section 54-3204, Idaho Code.

**PUBLIC HEARING SCHEDULE:** Public hearing(s) concerning this rulemaking will be scheduled if requested in writing by twenty-five (25) persons, a political subdivision, or an agency, not later than September 18, 2013.

The hearing site(s) will be accessible to persons with disabilities. Requests for accommodation must be made not later than five (5) days prior to the hearing, to the agency address below.

**DESCRIPTIVE SUMMARY:** The following is the required finding and concise statement of its supporting reasons for adopting a temporary rule and a nontechnical explanation of the substance and purpose of the proposed rulemaking:

This rule change will allow experience obtained in any state to qualify for supervisor registration. The current rule affects the ability of those social workers moving to Idaho from other states to immediately qualify as a supervisor. The Board is also clarifying that the supervision rule only applies to those individuals in Idaho pursuing licensure. The Board does not have any jurisdiction over individuals practicing outside of Idaho.

**TEMPORARY RULE JUSTIFICATION:** Pursuant to Section 67-5226(1) (c), Idaho Code, the Governor has found that temporary adoption of the rule is appropriate for the following reasons:

The Board of Social Work Examiners is revising its supervisor registration rule to allow the experience obtained in other states to qualify for registration. Currently, only Idaho experience qualifies. The Board is also clarifying when postgraduate supervision is required.

**FEE SUMMARY:** The following is a specific description of the fee or charge imposed or increased: None.

**FISCAL IMPACT:** The following is a specific description, if applicable, of any negative fiscal impact on the state general fund greater than ten thousand dollars (\$10,000) during the fiscal year: N/A

**NEGOTIATED RULEMAKING:** Pursuant to Section 67-5220(2), Idaho Code, negotiated rulemaking was not conducted because the rule being amended confers a benefit to potential supervisors and clarifies when post graduate supervision of an individual is necessary.

**INCORPORATION BY REFERENCE:** Pursuant to Section 67-5229(2)(a), Idaho Code, the following is a brief synopsis of why the materials cited are being incorporated by reference into this rule: N/A

**ASSISTANCE ON TECHNICAL QUESTIONS, SUBMISSION OF WRITTEN COMMENTS:** For assistance on technical questions concerning the temporary and proposed rule, contact Cherie Simpson at 208 334-3233.

Anyone may submit written comments regarding the proposed rulemaking. All written comments must be directed to the undersigned and must be delivered on or before September 25, 2013.

DATED this 9th day of August, 2013.

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**THE FOLLOWING IS THE TEMPORARY RULE AND THE PROPOSED TEXT  
OF DOCKET NO. 24-1401-1301**

**211. SOCIAL WORK SUPERVISOR REGISTRATION (RULE 211).**

Idaho licensed social workers shall be registered with the Board in order to provide postgraduate supervision for those individuals in Idaho pursuing licensure ~~in Idaho~~ as a clinical social worker. ~~(4-4-13)~~(6-19-13)T

**01. Requirements for Registration.** (3-14-05)

**a.** Document at least two (2) years experience as ~~an Idaho~~ licensed clinical social worker. ~~(4-4-13)~~(6-19-13)T

**b.** Have not been the subject of any disciplinary action for five (5) years prior to application for registration. (3-14-05)

**c.** Document fifteen (15) contact hours of education in clinical supervisor training as approved by the Board, or if previously registered as a supervisor with the Board, document six (6) hours of education in advanced supervisor training as approved by the Board. (4-4-13)

**02. Registration.** A supervisor applicant shall submit to the Bureau a completed application form as approved by the board. (3-14-05)

**a.** Upon receipt of a completed application verifying compliance with the requirements for registration as a supervisor, the applicant shall be registered as a supervisor. (3-14-05)

**b.** A supervisor's registration shall remain valid only so long as the individual's clinical social worker license remains current and in good standing. (4-4-13)

**03. Renewal.** Subject to the conditions in Paragraph 211.03.c., a supervisor's registration is valid for a term of five (5) years. To renew a supervisor registration, the registered supervisor must submit to the Board a complete application for registration renewal on forms approved by the Board and meet the following requirements: (4-4-13)

**a.** Hold an active Idaho clinical social worker license which has not been subject to discipline and is current and in good standing; and (4-4-13)

**b.** Document six (6) hours of continuing education in advanced supervisor training as approved by the Board and completed within the previous five (5) years. (4-4-13)

**c.** For supervisors registered prior to the effective date of this rule subsection 211.03., the following renewal requirements and conditions apply: (4-4-13)

i. A registered supervisor who has been registered for at least five (5) years prior to July 1, 2013 must submit a complete application for registration renewal and meet the renewal requirements by July 1, 2015. (4-4-13)

ii. A registered supervisor who has been registered for less than five (5) years prior to July 1, 2013 must submit a complete application for registration renewal and meet the renewal requirements by July 1, 2017.  
(4-4-13)