

# SECRETARY OF STATE ANNUAL REGULATORY AGENDA

December 1, 2003

**Pursuant to A.R.S. § 41-1021.02, the Office of the Secretary of State provides the following agenda for rulemaking activity.**

**§ 41-1021.02. State agencies; annual regulatory agenda**

- A. On or before December 1 of each year, each agency, except for a self-supporting regulatory board as defined in section 41-1092, shall prepare and make available to the public the regulatory agenda that the agency expects to follow during the next calendar year.
- B. The regulatory agenda shall include all of the following:
  - 1. A notice of docket openings.
  - 2. A notice of any proposed rule making, including potential sources of federal funding for each proposed rule making.
  - 3. A review of existing rules.
  - 4. A notice of final rulemaking.
- C. The regulatory agenda shall also provide for the following information:
  - 1. Any rule making terminated during the current calendar year.
  - 2. Any privatization option and nontraditional regulatory approach being considered by the agency.
- D. This section does not prohibit an agency from undertaking any rule making action even if that action has not been included in the agency's annual regulatory agenda.

**Historical Note**

Added by Laws 2002, Ch. 334, § 3, effective August 22, 2002.

**1. Docket Openings for 2004:** None expected.

**2. Proposed Rulemaking for 2004:** None expected.

**3. Review of Existing Rules:** None expected, unless necessitated by legislative changes to the APA or changes to 1 A.A.C. 6, the rules of the Governor's Regulatory Review Counsel.

**4. Final Rulemaking and Termination of Rulemaking:** The Office filed a Notice of Final Rulemaking for 1 A.A.C. 1 with the Attorney General in December 2002. The Office expects the Attorney General to approve the rules in early 2004.