TRANSMITTAL SHEET FOR NOTICE OF INTENDED ACTION

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Does the proposed rule have the effect of directly or indirectly increasing the costs of any goods or services involved and, if so, to what degree?				No
Is the increase in cost, if any, more harmful to the public than the harm that might result from the absence of the proposed rule?				N/A
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Does the proposed rule have an economic impact?				<u>No</u>
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ALABAMA BOARD OF REHABILITATION SERVICES

NOTICE OF INTENDED ACTION

AGENCY NAME: Alabama Board of Rehabilitation Services

RULE NO. & TITLE: Amend Rule No. 795-7-2-.03 Probation.

<u>INTENDED ACTION</u>: The ALABAMA BOARD OF REHABILITATION SERVICES proposes to amend rules and regulations.

SUBSTANCE OF PROPOSED ACTION: The amendment of this rule is authorized under the authority of ALA. CODE 1975 §21-9-1 et seq., and the Alabama Board of Rehabilitation Services wishes to amend this rule so as to come in compliance with requirements for the program. This amended rule and regulation is issued under the authority of ALA.CODE 1975 §21-9-1 et seq. This rule covers specific requirements and procedures necessary for the proper administration of Alabama law. The amendment clarifies the length of probation for each facility.

Copies of the proposed amended rule are available for inspection in the offices of the Board, 602 South Lawrence Street, Montgomery, Alabama 36104. Upon reasonable notice, persons requiring accommodation may obtain copies in large print, Braille or other media.

<u>TIME, PLACE, MANNER OF PRESENTING VIEWS</u>: All interested persons may submit written comments, and if requested in advance may personally appear before the Alabama Board of Rehabilitation Services by submitting a request to appear, to:

Stephen K. Simpson 602 South Lawrence Street Montgomery, Alabama 36104 Telephone: (334) 293-7187

To be considered by the Board, written comments must be received in the office of the Board no later than two days before the next regularly scheduled Board meeting on March 3, 2017, to wit: not later than March 1, 2017. Persons desiring to orally express their views before the Board must first submit their comments in writing as stated above, and shall be limited to ten minutes per person.

FINAL DATE FOR COMMENT AND COMPLETION OF NOTICE: March 1, 2017.

CONTACT PERSON AT AGENCY:

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ALABAMA DEPARTMENT OF REHABILITATION SERVICES BUSINESS ENTERPRISE PROGRAM

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795-7-2-.03 <u>Probation</u>. A probationary period is established to provide vendors the opportunity to gain knowledge and experience related to facility operations. Each vendor shall serve a probationary period of 180 days <u>for each facility</u> from the first business day of his/her assignment to a permanent BEP facility.

Author: Alabama Board of Rehabilitation Services, Alabama Elected Committee of Blind Vendors

Statutory Authority: Alabama Code 1975 21-1-490 and 21-9-9; 20 U. S. C. § 107 et. seq.

History: New Rule: Filed January 19, 2000; effective February 23, 2000;

Amendment: Filed December 16, 2016.