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**TRANSMITTAL SHEET FOR  
NOTICE OF INTENDED ACTION**

Control No. 220 Department or Agency Conservation and Natural Resources  
Rule No. 220-5-.05

**Rule Title: Pets and Animals**

New  Amend  Repeal (of Existing Rule)  Adopt by Reference

Would the absence of the proposed rule significantly harm or endanger the public health, welfare, or safety? YES

Is there a reasonable relationship between the state's police power and the protection of the public health, safety, or welfare? YES

Is there another, less restrictive method of regulation available that could adequately protect the public? NO

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 rule? N/A

Are all facets of the rulemaking process designed solely for the purpose of, and so they have, as their primary effect, the protection of the public? YES

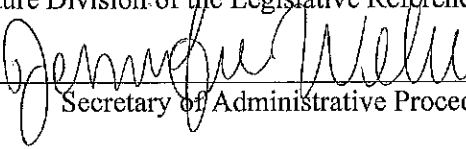
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Does the proposed rule have any economic impact? NO  
If the proposed rule has an economic impact, the proposed rule is required to be accompanied by a fiscal note prepared in accordance with subsection (f) of Section 41-22-23, Code of Alabama 1975.

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**Certification of Authorized Official**

I certify that the attached proposed rule has been proposed in full compliance with the requirements of Chapter 22, Title 41, Code of Alabama 1975 and that it conforms to all applicable filing requirements of the Alabama Administrative Procedure Division of the Legislative Reference Service.

Signature of Certifying Officer   
Secretary of Administrative Procedure  
Date 2-6-15

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Department of Conservation and Natural Resources  
State Parks Division

NOTICE OF INTENDED ACTION

AGENCY NAME: Department of Conservation and Natural Resources

RULE NO. & TITLE: 220-5-.05 Pets and Animals

INTENDED ACTION: Amendment.

SUBSTANCE OF PROPOSED ACTION: To clarify that certain provisions do not apply to areas, rooms, cabins or buildings that have been designated, in writing, as pet-friendly by the Director of State Parks and to change the term in paragraph 3 from "disabled persons" to "individuals with disabilities."

TIME, PLACE, MANNER OF PRESENTING VIEWS: Interested persons may present their views in writing to the Director of the State Parks Division at any time during the period stated below, or orally if requested in advance by personally appearing at Room 474, Folsom Administrative Building, 64 North Union Street, Montgomery, Alabama, at 10:00 a.m., Wednesday, April 8, 2015.

FINAL DATE FOR COMMENT AND COMPLETION OF NOTICE:

April 8, 2015.

CONTACT PERSON AT AGENCY: Gregory M. Lein, Director, State Parks Division, 5th Floor, 64 N. Union Street, Montgomery, Alabama 36130.

  
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JENNIFER WEBER  
Secretary of Administrative Procedure

**N. Gunter Guy, Jr.**

**220-5-.05 Pets and Animals**

(1) Bringing a dog, cat or other animal into a State Park unless it is crated, caged or upon a leash not longer than 6 feet or otherwise under physical restrictive control at all times, shall be unlawful. The foregoing shall not apply to areas, rooms, cabins or buildings that have been designated, in writing, as pet-friendly by the Director of State Parks.

(2) No person shall keep a noisy, vicious, or dangerous dog or animal or one which is disturbing other persons, in a State Park and remain therein after he has been asked by a Park officer to leave.

(3) No animal of any type shall be allowed in any hotel or motel room, cabin, or park building, or at any swimming area (including any beach area) in any State Park. This rule shall not prohibit the use of helping animals by ~~disabled persons~~ individuals with disabilities, nor shall it apply to areas, rooms, cabins or buildings that have been designated, in writing, as pet-friendly by the Director of State Parks.

(4) Bringing saddle, pack or draft animals into a site which has not been developed to accommodate them and posted accordingly shall be unlawful.

**Statutory Authority:** §§ 9-2-3, 9-2-9, and 9-2-12, Code of Alabama 1975

**PENALTY:** As provided by § 9-2-9, Code of Alabama 1975

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