

# NOTICE OF INTENT TO AMEND AND REPEAL ADMINISTRATIVE RULES

TAKE NOTICE that the North Dakota Veterans Home will hold a public hearing to address proposed amendments to and repeal of N.D. Administrative Code Articles 86-03, at 10:00 am, Friday, November 21, 2008, in Meeting Room D at the Bismarck Comfort Inn, 1030 East Interstate Ave, Bismarck, ND. The purpose of the proposed amendments is to implement changes to the administrative rules. The proposed amendments are not expected to have an impact on the regulated community in excess of \$50,000.

The purpose and an explanation of the proposed rule changes follow:

## **Chapter 86-01-01-01**

4.) Amends to read Commissioner of Veterans Affairs. Delete the name Ray Harkema, Commissioner and amend Administrator of North Dakota Veterans Home. Delete the name Ken Anderson, Commandant

## **Chapter 86-03-01**

**Section 86-03-01-01** amends sentence structure and the priority list for admissions.

**Section 86-03-01-02** amends sentence structure and adds to the admission eligibility requirements. Deletes addiction counselor

**Section 86-03-01-03** amends the Board of admissions.

**Section 86-03-01-04** amends capitalization in sentences.

**Section 86-03-01-06** amends capitalization in sentence.

## **Chapter 86-03-02**

**Section 86-03-02-01** amends capitalization in sentence.

**Section 86-03-02-05** amends month finances are reviewed.

## **Chapter 86-03-03**

**Section 86-03-03-03** amends capitalization in sentence.

**Section 86-03-03-07** amends religious services to delete “or may not”

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**Chapter 86-03-05**

**Section 86-03-05-09** amends capitalization in sentence and adds the sentence “Contact information for the Ombudsman is posted on the Basic Care and Skilled Nursing Home Units”.

**Chapter 86-03-06**

**Section 86-03-06-01** amends capitalization in sentence.

**Section 86-03-06-02** amends capitalization in sentence.

**Chapter 86-03-07**

**Section 86-03-07-03** amends sentence structure and capitalization in sentence. Adds “Issuance of a discharge by the Administrator/Care Team for disciplinary reasons disqualifies the resident from gaining readmission to the home for six months.

**Chapter 86-03-08**

**Section 86-03-08-03** amends capitalization in sentence.

**Chapter 86-03-10**

**Section 86-03-10-01** amends capitalization in sentence.

The proposed rules may be reviewed at the North Dakota Veterans Home, 1400 Rose Street, Lisbon, ND 58054. A copy of the proposed rules may be requested by writing the above address or calling 701-683-6500. Written or oral comments on the proposed rules submitted to the North Dakota Veterans Home, Po Box 673, Lisbon, ND 58054-0673 by Monday, December 01, 2008 will be fully considered.

If you plan to attend the public hearing and will need special facilities or assistance relating to a disability, please contract the North Dakota Veterans Home at the above telephone number or address at least 7 days prior to the public hearing.

Dated this 30<sup>th</sup> day of October, 2008

Respectfully,

Mark B. Johnson, Administrator  
North Dakota Veterans Home