

**Title 19—DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND SENIOR SERVICES**  
**Division 15—Division of Senior and Disability Services**  
**Chapter 4—Older Americans Act**

**PROPOSED AMENDMENT**

**19 CSR 15-4.135 Area Agency on Aging Director.** The department is amending sections (3) and (4).

*PURPOSE: This amendment updates terminology and legal authority.*

*PURPOSE: This rule establishes and describes procedures each area agency on aging shall follow in hiring a director unless otherwise governed by merit system requirements established under local law, ordinance, or charter.*

(3) The governing body shall establish a salary range for the director of the area agency on aging which is commensurate with the duties and responsibilities of the position.

(4) The search committee shall advertise the vacancy [in at least one (1) major newspaper with the greatest circulation in the area].

*AUTHORITY: section[660.050] 192.2000, RSMo [Supp. 1999] 2016.\* This rule previously filed as 13 CSR 15-4.135. Original rule filed Feb. 17, 1988, effective June 15, 1988. Amended: Filed Aug. 28, 2000, effective March 30, 2001. Moved to 19 CSR 15-4.135, effective Aug. 28, 2001.*

*\*Original authority: 660.050, RSMo 1984, amended 1988, 1992, 1993, 1994, 1995.*

*PUBLIC COST: This proposed amendment will not cost state agencies or political subdivisions more than five hundred dollars (\$500) in the aggregate.*

*PRIVATE COST: This proposed amendment will not cost private entities more than five hundred dollars (\$500) in the aggregate.*

*NOTICE TO SUBMIT COMMENTS: Anyone may file a statement in support of or in opposition to this proposed amendment with Missouri Department of Health of Senior Services, Division of Senior and Disability Services, Melanie Highland, Division Director, PO Box 570, Jefferson City, MO 65102-0570. Telephone: (573) 526-3626. Email: DSDSDirectorsOffice@health.mo.gov. To be considered, comments must be received within thirty (30) days after publication of this notice in the **Missouri Register**. No public hearing is scheduled.*