

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 15-4.140 Area Agency on Aging Plan. The department is amending sections (1), (3) and (4).

PURPOSE: This amendment updates legal authority and terminology and makes grammatical updates.

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(1) The area agency **on aging** shall develop the area plan in accordance with all applicable federal and state regulations, the uniform plan format and other guidelines issued by the division.

(3) The area plan shall be amended under the following situations:

(B) A [s]Supreme [c]Court decision changes the interpretation of a statute or regulation;

(C) The area agency **on aging** changes the designation of the single organizational unit or component unit;

(D) Receipt by area agency **on aging** staff or board members of compensation or other items of value above their salaries or the normal fringe benefits available to all staff; [and]or

(E) The area agency **on aging** takes any action for which prior division approval is required by state regulation, divisional policy, or preprint instructions.

(4) The area plan or plan amendments shall not be implemented until approved in writing by the division **director or designee**.

AUTHORITY: sections[660.050] 192.2000 and 192.2025, RSMo [Supp. 1999] 2016. This rule was previously filed as 13 CSR 15-6.095 and 13 CSR 15-4.140. Original rule filed Jan. 6, 1986, effective April 30, 1986. Amended: Filed Feb. 17, 1988, effective June 15, 1988. Amended: Filed Aug. 28, 2000, effective March 30, 2001. Moved to 19 CSR 15-4.140, 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 and 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.*