

Annual Regulatory Plan 2016-2017

Laws enacted or amended during the previous 12 months which create or modify the duties or authority of the Department:

Law	Mandatory Rulemaking?	Is Rulemaking Necessary?	Notice of Proposed Rule Development Published?	Expected Publication Date for Proposed Rule?	Why is Rulemaking Unnecessary?
943.0435(2) and (4)*	No	No	No	N/A	Very few juveniles are subject to the registration requirements. This, and the relative simplicity of the requirements, makes existing processes sufficient to ensure the proper receipt of registrants' information, and the required notifications under the statute.
985.6865**	No	Yes	No	February 2017	N/A

^{*} Section 943.0435, F.S., sets out the registration requirements that apply to designated adult and juvenile sexual offenders. Portions of the statute were amended in 2016 to require juvenile registrants to provide additional information to the Department, including electronic mail addresses and Internet identifiers, and further requiring the Department to notify institutions of higher education of the presence of juvenile sexual offenders.

Laws not listed above that the agency expects to implement by rulemaking before July 2016:

Law	Rulemaking Intended to:	Simplify	Clarify	Increase Efficiency	Coordinate with other agencies	Reduce regulatory costs	Delete obsolete, unnecessary, redundant rules

^{**} Section 985.6865, F.S., sets out the new, simplified scheme whereby the costs of secure detention are shared between state and county government.

Update to 2015-2016 Regulatory Plan:

Law	Mandatory Rule- making?	Rulemaking Necessary?	Notice of Proposed Rule Development Published?	Expected Publication Date for Proposed Rule?	Why is Rule- making Un- necessary?
985.601(3): DJJ rule ch. 63E-7 governing residential delinquency programs required some relatively minor, technical amendments, which the Department intended to promulgate in 2016. It became apparent that more extensive amendments were necessary to bring the rule into conformity with new, federal requirements, and with existing rules. A re- drafting of the entire chapter is underway, and promulgation will take place in 2017.	No	Yes	No	April 2017	N/A
985.644(5): A new rule chapter governing employment screening was listed in the 2015-16 Plan, but was not promulgated. It became apparent that significant changes to processes and, in particular, forms would be necessary. That re-drafting is being completed, and promulgation should commence mid-year.	No	Yes	No	April 2017	N/A

Certification

In accordance with section 120.74(1)(d), Florida Statutes, I, Christina K. Daly, Secretary of the Florida Department of Juvenile Justice, and I, Brian D. Berkowitz, General Counsel for the Florida Department of Juvenile Justice, hereby certify as follows:

- 1) We have reviewed the Florida Department of Juvenile Justice's 2016-2017 Annual Regulatory Plan;
- 2) We have verified that the Florida Department of Juvenile Justice regularly reviews all of its rules to determine if the rules remain consistent with the Florida Department of Juvenile Justice's rulemaking authority and laws implemented; and
- 3) The Florida Department of Juvenile Justice completed its Annual Rule Review in June 2016.

Dated this 17th day of November, 2016.

Christina K. Daly, Secretary

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