

BEFORE THE SECRETARY OF STATE
OF THE STATE OF MONTANA

In the matter of the amendment of ARM) NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING ON
1.2.419 regarding the scheduled dates) PROPOSED AMENDMENT
for the 2012 Montana Administrative)
Register)

TO: All Concerned Persons

1. On November 3, 2011, a public hearing will be held at 10:30 a.m. in the Secretary of State's Office Conference Room, Room 260, State Capitol Building, Helena, Montana, to consider the proposed amendment of the above-stated rule.

2. The Secretary of State will make reasonable accommodations for persons with disabilities who wish to participate in this public hearing or need an alternative accessible format of this notice. If you require an accommodation, contact the Secretary of State no later than 5:00 p.m. on October 28, 2011, to advise us of the nature of the accommodation that you need. Please contact Jorge Quintana, Secretary of State's Office, P.O. Box 202801, Helena, MT 59620-2801; telephone (406) 461-5173; fax (406) 444-4249; TDD/Montana Relay Service (406) 444-9068; or e-mail jquintana@mt.gov.

3. The rule proposed to be amended provides as follows, stricken matter interlined, new matter underlined:

1.2.419 FILING AND PUBLICATION SCHEDULE FOR THE MONTANA ADMINISTRATIVE REGISTER (1) The scheduled filing dates, time deadline, and publication dates for material to be published in the Montana Administrative Register are listed below:

2011 Schedule	
Filing	Publication
January 3	January 13
January 18	January 27
January 31	February 10
February 14	February 24
February 28	March 10
March 14	March 24
April 4	April 14
April 18	April 28
May 2	May 12
May 16	May 26
May 31	June 9
June 13	June 23
July 5	July 14

July 18	July 28
August 1	August 14
August 15	August 25
August 29	September 8
September 12	September 22
October 3	October 13
October 17	October 27
October 31	November 10
November 14	November 25
November 28	December 8
December 12	December 22

2012 Register Publication Schedule

<u>Issue</u>	<u>Filing (due by noon)</u>	<u>Publication</u>
<u>1</u>	<u>January 3</u>	<u>January 12</u>
<u>2</u>	<u>January 17</u>	<u>January 26</u>
<u>3</u>	<u>January 30</u>	<u>February 9</u>
<u>4</u>	<u>February 13</u>	<u>February 23</u>
<u>5</u>	<u>February 27</u>	<u>March 8</u>
<u>6</u>	<u>March 12</u>	<u>March 22</u>
<u>7</u>	<u>April 2</u>	<u>April 12</u>
<u>8</u>	<u>April 16</u>	<u>April 26</u>
<u>9</u>	<u>April 30</u>	<u>May 10</u>
<u>10</u>	<u>May 14</u>	<u>May 24</u>
<u>11</u>	<u>May 29</u>	<u>June 7</u>
<u>12</u>	<u>June 11</u>	<u>June 21</u>
<u>13</u>	<u>July 2</u>	<u>July 12</u>
<u>14</u>	<u>July 16</u>	<u>July 26</u>
<u>15</u>	<u>July 30</u>	<u>August 9</u>
<u>16</u>	<u>August 13</u>	<u>August 23</u>
<u>17</u>	<u>August 27</u>	<u>September 6</u>
<u>18</u>	<u>September 10</u>	<u>September 20</u>
<u>19</u>	<u>October 1</u>	<u>October 11</u>
<u>20</u>	<u>October 15</u>	<u>October 25</u>
<u>21</u>	<u>October 29</u>	<u>November 8</u>
<u>22</u>	<u>November 13</u>	<u>November 23</u>
<u>23</u>	<u>November 26</u>	<u>December 6</u>
<u>24</u>	<u>December 10</u>	<u>December 20</u>

(2) remains the same.

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4. ARM 1.2.419 is proposed to be amended to set dates pertinent to the publication of the Montana Administrative Register during 2012. The schedule is proposed during the month of October in order that it may be adopted during November to allow state agencies the opportunity to plan their rulemaking schedule to meet program needs for the upcoming year.

5. Concerned persons may present their data, views, or arguments, either orally or in writing, at the hearing. Written data, views, or arguments may also be submitted to Jorge Quintana, Secretary of State's Office, P.O. Box 202801, Helena, Montana 59620-2801, or by e-mailing jquintana@mt.gov, and must be received no later than 5:00 p.m., November 10, 2011.

6. Jorge Quintana, Secretary of State's Office, P.O. Box 202801, Helena, Montana 59620-2801, has been designated to preside over and conduct the hearing.

7. The Secretary of State maintains a list of interested persons who wish to receive notices of rulemaking actions proposed by this agency. Persons who wish to have their name added to the list shall make a written request which includes the name and mailing address of the person to receive notices and specifies that the person wishes to receive notices regarding administrative rules, corporations, elections, notaries, records, uniform commercial code, or combination thereof. Such written request may be mailed or delivered to the Secretary of State's Office, Administrative Rules Services, 1236 Sixth Avenue, P.O. Box 202801, Helena, MT 59620-2801, faxed to the office at (406) 444-4263, or may be made by completing a request form at any rules hearing held by the Secretary of State's Office.

8. The bill sponsor contact requirements of 2-4-302, MCA, do not apply.

/s/ Jorge Quintana
JORGE QUINTANA
Rule Reviewer

/s/ Linda McCulloch
LINDA MCCULLOCH
Secretary of State

Dated this 3rd day of October, 2011.