

# JOINT COMMITTEE ON ADMINISTRATIVE RULES

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## MEETING MINUTES December 17, 2025

### MEETING CALLED TO ORDER

The Joint Committee on Administrative Rules met on Wednesday, December 17, 2025, at 11:00 a.m. in Room C-600 of the Bilandic Building, Chicago. Co-Chair Spain called the meeting to order and announced that the policy of the Committee is to allow only representatives of State agencies to testify orally on any rule under consideration at Committee meetings. Other persons are encouraged to submit their comments to the JCAR office in writing.

### ATTENDANCE ROLL CALL

X Senator Cristina Castro	X Representative Eva-Dina Delgado
X Senator Bill Cunningham	X Representative Jackie Haas
X Senator Donald DeWitte	X Representative Steven Reick
Senator Dale Fowler	X Representative Ryan Spain
X Senator Napoleon Harris, III	X Representative Curtis J. Tarver, II
Senator Sally Turner	X Representative Dave Vella

### APPROVAL OF THE MINUTES OF THE NOVEMBER 18, 2025 MEETING

Rep. Haas moved, seconded by Sen. Harris, that the minutes of the November 18, 2025 meeting be approved. The motion passed unanimously (10-0-0).

### REVIEW OF AGENCY RULEMAKINGS

*Elevator Safety Review Board – Illinois Elevator Safety Rules (41 Ill. Adm. Code 1000; 49 Ill. Reg. 3711)*

Katherine Nunes, Blake Fawns, and John Andersen represented ESRB.

Discussion.

Rep. Reick moved, seconded by Rep. Tarver, with the concurrence of the Elevator Safety Review Board, to extend this rulemaking for an additional 45 days. The motion passed unanimously (10-0-0).

***Department of Public Health – Home Health, Home Services, and Home Nursing Agency Code (77 Ill. Adm. Code 245; 49 Ill. Reg. 7878)***

Rep. Vella moved, seconded by Sen. DeWitte, with the concurrence of the Department of Public Health, to extend this rulemaking for an additional 45 days. The motion passed unanimously (10-0-0).

***State Police Merit Board – Procedures of the Department of State Police Merit Board (80 Ill. Adm. Code 150; 49 Ill. Reg. 11623)***

Emily Fox and Daniel Dykstra represented SPMB.

Discussion.

Sen. Castro moved, seconded by Rep. Tarver, with the concurrence of the State Police Merit Board, to extend this rulemaking for an additional 45 days. The motion passed unanimously (10-0-0).

**CERTIFICATION OF NO OBJECTION**

Co-Chair Spain announced that the Department of Corrections' emergency rulemaking titled Rights and Privileges (20 Ill. Adm. Code 525; 49 Ill. Reg. 10945) will be placed on the January agenda. Co-Chair Spain further announced that no action will be taken on the Chief Procurement Officer for General Services rulemaking titled Chief Procurement Officer for General Services Standard Procurement (44 Ill. Adm. Code 1; 49 Ill. Reg. 6643) and the Department of Corrections rulemaking titled Rights and Privileges (20 Ill. Adm. Code 525; 49 Ill. Reg. 10945).

Rep. Delgado moved, seconded by Rep. Haas, that the Committee inform the agencies to whose rulemakings the Committee has not voted an Objection or Extension, or did not remove from the No Objection List, that the Committee considered their respective rulemakings at the monthly meeting and, based upon the Agreements for modification of the rulemaking made by the agency, no Objections will be issued. The motion passed unanimously (10-0-0).

**ANNOUNCEMENT OF NEXT MEETING**

Co-Chair Spain announced that the next JCAR meeting will be Friday, January 9, 2026, at 11:00 a.m. in Hearing Room C-600 of the Bilandic Building, Chicago.

**ADJOURNMENT**

Co-Chair Cunningham moved, seconded by Rep. Reick, that the meeting stand adjourned. The motion passed unanimously (10-0-0).

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