



## FLORIDA DEPARTMENT *of* STATE

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May 4, 2022

Danielle Boudreaux  
Florida Department of Revenue  
Building One, Room 2600  
2450 Shumard Oak Blvd.  
Tallahassee, FL 32399-0100

Attention: Janet Young

Dear Danielle Boudreaux:

Your adoption package for Rule 12B-7.008, F.A.C. was received, electronically, by the Florida Department of State, Administrative Code and Register at 3:00 p.m. on May 3, 2022. After review, it appears that the package meets statutory requirements and those of Rule 1-1.010, F.A.C. and is deemed filed for adoption at the time received, as indicated above. The effective date is May 23, 2022.

Sincerely,

Anya C. Owens  
Program Administrator

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**Swain, Margaret A.**

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**From:** Danielle Boudreaux <Danielle.Boudreaux@floridarevenue.com>  
**Sent:** Tuesday, May 3, 2022 3:00 PM  
**To:** RuleAdoptions  
**Cc:** Owens, Anya C.; Janet Young; Jennifer Ensley; Tonya Fulford  
**Subject:** RE: Department of Revenue Rule Certification Packets  
**Attachments:** 12-13\_Certification Packet\_050322.pdf; 12-24\_Certification Packet\_050322.pdf; 12-29\_Certification Packet\_050322.pdf; 12A-16\_Certification Packet\_050322.pdf; 12A-19\_Certification Packet\_050322.pdf; 12B-4\_Certification Packet\_050322.pdf; 12B-5\_Certification Packet\_050322.pdf; 12B-7\_Certification Packet\_050322.pdf; 12B-8\_Certification Packet\_050322.pdf; 12C-1\_Certification Packet\_050322.pdf

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Good afternoon,

Attached are the updated certification packets with the corrected agency certification form.

Thank you,



**Danielle Boudreaux**  
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**From:** RuleAdoptions <RuleAdoptions@Dos.myflorida.com>  
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**To:** Danielle Boudreaux <Danielle.Boudreaux@floridarevenue.com>  
**Cc:** Owens, Anya C. <Anya.Owens@dos.myflorida.com>  
**Subject:** RE: Department of Revenue Rule Certification Packets

Good morning Danielle,

Our office is in receipt of your adoption filings for the 10 Department of Revenue Rule Chapters. Upon further review, however, it appears that the Agency Certification page for each adoption is not the current effective version found in 1-1.010. The updated version took effect May 16, 2021 and removes the line that reads, "Attached are the original and two copies of each rule covered by this certification."

Updated filing procedures:

<https://www.flrules.org/gateway/ruleNo.asp?id=1-1.010>

<https://www.flrules.org/gateway/ruleNo.asp?id=1-1.013>

Please update the adoptions with the current version of the Agency Certification and the re-submit your filings for processing.

Respectfully,

Margaret Swain  
Government Operations Consultant III  
Florida Administrative Code and Register  
Room 701 The Capitol | Tallahassee, Florida  
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**From:** Danielle Boudreaux <[Danielle.Boudreaux@floridarevenue.com](mailto:Danielle.Boudreaux@floridarevenue.com)>  
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### CERTIFICATION

**Department:** Department of Revenue  
**Agency:** Miscellaneous Tax  
**Rule No(s):** 12B-7.008  
**File Control No:** 186511

As required by subparagraph 120.54(3)(e)4 F.S., the Joint Administrative Procedures Committee hereby certifies that:

- ☒ There were no material and timely written comments or written inquiries made on behalf of the committee regarding the above listed rule; or
- ☐ The adopting agency has responded in writing to all material and timely written comments or written inquiries made on behalf of the committee regarding the above listed rules; or
- ☐ The adopting agency has not responded in writing to all material and timely written comments or written inquiries made on behalf of the Committee regarding the above listed rules.

Certification Date: 5/2/2022

This certification expires after: 5/9/2022

Certifying Attorney: Jamie Jackson

#### NOTE:

- ☒ *The above certified rules include materials incorporated by reference.*
- ☐ *The above certified rules do not include materials incorporated by reference.*



**Florida Department of Revenue**  
*Office of the Executive Director*

**Jim Zingale**  
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May 3, 2022

Ms. Anya Owens, Chief  
Florida Department of State  
R.A. Gray Building, Mail Station 22  
500 S. Bronough Street  
Tallahassee, Florida 32399-0250

Re: Certification of Department of Revenue Rule

Dear Ms. Owens:

The following Department of Revenue Rule is presented for certification:

12B-7.008                  Public Use Forms

The following persons may be contacted regarding these rule certifications:

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Sincerely,

Janet Young  
Agency Rules Coordinator

Attachments

CERTIFICATION OF DEPARTMENT OF REVENUE  
ADMINISTRATIVE RULES FILED WITH THE DEPARTMENT OF STATE

I hereby certify:

☒ (1) That all statutory rulemaking requirements of chapter 120, F.S., and all rulemaking requirements of the Department of State have been complied with; and

☒ (2) That there is no administrative determination under section 120.56(2), F.S., pending on any rule covered by this certification; and

☒ (3) All rules covered by this certification are filed within the prescribed time limitations of section 120.54(3)(e), F.S. They are filed not less than 28 days after the notice required by section 120.54(3)(a), F.S.; and

☒ (a) Are filed not more than 90 days after the notice; or

☐ (b) Are filed more than 90 days after the notice, but not more than 60 days after the administrative law judge files the final order with the clerk or until 60 days after subsequent judicial review is complete; or

☐ (c) Are filed more than 90 days after the notice, but not less than 21 days nor more than 45 days from the date of publication of the notice of change; or

☐ (d) Are filed more than 90 days after the notice, but not less than 14 nor more than 45 days after the adjournment of the final public hearing on the rule; or

☐ (e) Are filed more than 90 days after the notice, but within 21 days after the date of receipt of all material authorized to be submitted at the hearing; or

☐ (f) Are filed more than 90 days after the notice, but within 21 days after the date the transcript was received by this agency; or

☐ (g) Are filed not more than 90 days after the notice, not including days the adoption of the rule was postponed following notification from the Joint Administrative Procedures Committee that an objection to the rule was being considered; or

☐ (h) Are filed more than 90 days after the notice, but within 21 days after a good faith written proposal for a lower cost regulatory alternative to a proposed rule is submitted which substantially accomplishes the objectives of the law being implemented; or

☐ (i) Are filed more than 90 days after the notice, but within 21 days after a regulatory alternative is offered by the ombudsman in the Executive Office of the Governor.

The rules are hereby adopted by the undersigned agency by and upon their filing with the Department of State.

Rule No(s).

12B-7.008

Under the provision of section 120.54(3)(e)6., F.S., the rules take effect 20 days from the date filed with the Department of State or a later date as set out below:

Effective Date:

\_\_\_\_\_  
(month) (day) (year)

  
Signature, Person Authorized to Certify Rules

\_\_\_\_\_  
Deputy Executive Director  
Title

\_\_\_\_\_  
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Number of Pages Certified

CERTIFICATION OF DEPARTMENT OF STATE  
DESIGNATION OF RULE THE VIOLATION OF WHICH IS A MINOR VIOLATION

Pursuant to Section 120.695(2)(c)3, Florida Statutes, I certify as agency head, as defined by section 20.05(1)(b), Florida Statutes, that:

☒ All rules covered by this certification are not rules the violation of which would be a minor violation pursuant to Section 120.695, F.S.

☐ The following parts of the rules covered by this certification have been designated as rules the violation of which would be a minor violation pursuant to Section 120.695, F.S.:

Rule No(s).

Rules covered by this certification:

Rule No(s).

12B-7.008

  
\_\_\_\_\_  
Signature of Agency Head  
\_\_\_\_\_  
Executive Director  
\_\_\_\_\_  
Title

STATE OF FLORIDA

DEPARTMENT OF REVENUE

CHAPTER 12B-7, FLORIDA ADMINISTRATIVE CODE

SEVERANCE TAXES, FEES, AND SURCHARGES

AMENDING RULE 12B-7.008

SUMMARY OF PROPOSED RULE

Rule 12B-7.008, F.A.C., has been amended to incorporate revisions to four forms: Form DR-144, Gas and Sulfur Production Quarterly Tax Return; Form DR-144ES, Declaration of Estimated Gas and Sulfur Production Tax; Form DR-145, Oil Production Monthly Tax Return; Form DR-145X, Oil Production Monthly Amended Tax Return. These forms have been amended to include lines for taxpayers to take credits under the Strong Families Tax Credit program and the New Worlds Reading Initiative tax credit against tax due.

FACTS AND CIRCUMSTANCES JUSTIFYING PROPOSED RULE

The purpose of this rulemaking is to update the Department's rules to address 2021 legislative changes contained in Chapters 2021-31 and 2021-193, Laws of Florida. Section 38 of Chapter 2021-31, L.O.F., created s. 402.62, F.S., Strong Families Tax Credit program, which provides that a taxpayer may receive a credit against certain taxes for making an eligible contribution to an eligible charitable organization designated by the Department of Children and Families. Section 16 of Chapter 2021-31, L.O.F., created s. 211.0253, F.S., which establish the amount of tax credits allowed for contributions to eligible charitable organizations. Section 10 of Chapter 2021-193, L.O.F., created s. 1003.485, F.S., The New Worlds Reading Initiative, which provides that a taxpayer may receive a credit against certain taxes for making an eligible contribution to the administrator of the initiative designated by the Department of Education. Section 2 of Chapter 2021-193, L.O.F., created s. 211.0252, F.S., which establish the amount of tax credits allowed for contributions to the administrator of the initiative. The proposed amendments to four forms, incorporated by reference in Rule 12B-7.008, F.A.C., reflect these provisions.

### FEDERAL COMPARISON STATEMENT

The provisions contained in this rule do not conflict with comparable federal laws, policies, or standards.

### SUMMARY OF RULE DEVELOPMENT WORKSHOP

November 16, 2021

A Notice of Proposed Rule Development was published in the *Florida Administrative Register* on November 1, 2021 (Vol. 47, No. 212, pp. 5109-5110), to advise the public of the proposed changes to Rule 12B-7.008, F.A.C., and to provide that, if requested in writing, a rule development workshop would be held on November 16, 2021. No request to hold a workshop was received, and no written comments were received.

### SUMMARY OF PUBLIC MEETING

March 29, 2022

The Governor and Cabinet, sitting as head of the Department of Revenue, met on March 29, 2022, and approved the publication of the Notice of Proposed Rule for changes to Rule 12B-7.008, F.A.C., as well as approval to file and certify the rule with the Secretary of State pursuant to s. 120.54(3)(e)1., F.S., if the substance of the proposed rule remains unchanged upon reaching the date applicable to filing for final adoption pursuant to s. 120.54(3)(e)2., F.S. A notice for the public meeting was published in the *Florida Administrative Register* on March 18, 2022 (Vol. 48, No. 54, p. 1049).

### SUMMARY OF RULE HEARING

April 21, 2022

A Notice of Proposed Rule was published in the *Florida Administrative Register* on March 31, 2022 (Vol. 48, No. 63, pp. 1240-1241), to advise the public of the proposed changes to Rule 12B-7.008, F.A.C., and to provide that, if requested in writing, a rule hearing would be held on April 21, 2022. No request was received, and no hearing was held. No written comments were received by the Department.

STATE OF FLORIDA  
DEPARTMENT OF REVENUE  
CHAPTER 12B-7, FLORIDA ADMINISTRATIVE CODE  
SEVERANCE TAXES, FEES, AND SURCHARGES  
AMENDING RULE 12B-7.008

**12B-7.008 Public Use Forms.**

(1)(a) No change

(b) Copies of these forms are available, without cost, by one or more of the following methods: 1) downloading the form from the Department's website at ~~www.floridarevenue.com/forms~~; or, 2) calling the Department at (850)488-6800, Monday through Friday (excluding holidays); or, 3) ~~visiting any local Department of Revenue Service Center~~; or 4) writing the Florida Department of Revenue, Taxpayer Services, Mail Stop 3-2000, 5050 West Tennessee Street, Tallahassee, Florida 32399-0112. Persons with hearing or speech impairments may call the Florida Relay Service at 1(800)955-8770 (Voice) and 1(800)955-8771 (TTY).

Form Number	Title	Effective Date
(2) DR-144	Gas and Sulfur Production Quarterly Tax Return ( <a href="http://www.flrules.org/Gateway/reference.asp?No=Ref-14244">http://www.flrules.org/Gateway/reference.asp?No=Ref-14244</a> <del>10178</del> )	<u>01/22</u> <del>01/19</del>
(3) DR-144ES	Declaration of Estimated Gas and Sulfur Production Tax ( <a href="http://www.flrules.org/Gateway/reference.asp?No=Ref-14245">http://www.flrules.org/Gateway/reference.asp?No=Ref-14245</a> <del>10178</del> )	<u>01/22</u> <del>01/19</del>
(4) DR-145	Oil Production Monthly Tax Return ( <a href="http://www.flrules.org/Gateway/reference.asp?No=Ref-14246">http://www.flrules.org/Gateway/reference.asp?No=Ref-14246</a> <del>10179</del> )	<u>01/22</u> <del>01/19</del>
(5) DR-145X	Oil Production Monthly Amended Tax Return ( <a href="http://www.flrules.org/Gateway/reference.asp?No=Ref-14247">http://www.flrules.org/Gateway/reference.asp?No=Ref-14247</a> <del>10180</del> )	<u>01/22</u> <del>01/19</del>

*Rulemaking Authority 211.075(2), (3), 213.06(1), 402.62(7)(b), 1002.395(12)(b), ~~(13)~~ 1003.485(5)(b) FS. Law Implemented ~~92.525(1)(b)~~, ~~(2)~~, ~~(3)~~, ~~(4)~~, 211.02, 211.0251, 211.0252, 211.0253, 211.026, 211.06, 211.075, 211.076, 211.125, 213.255, 213.37, 213.755(1), 215.26, 402.62(5), 1002.395(5), 1003.485(3) FS. History—New 12-28-78, Formerly 12B-7.08, Amended 12-18-94, 5-4-03, 10-1-03, 11-6-07, 1-27-09, 1-11-10, 1-12-11, 1-25-12, 5-9-13, 1-8-19, 05-23-22.*

CERTIFICATION OF MATERIALS INCORPORATED  
BY REFERENCE IN RULES FILED WITH THE DEPARTMENT OF STATE

I hereby certify pursuant to Rule 1-1.013, Florida Administrative Code, that materials incorporated by reference in Rule 12B-7.008 have been:

☒ (1) Filed through the Department of State's e-rulemaking website at [www.flrules.org](http://www.flrules.org).

☐ (2) That because there would be a violation of federal copyright laws if the submitting agency filed the incorporated materials as described in option (1) above, a true and complete copy of the incorporated materials has been provided to the Department of State as outlined in paragraph 1-1.013(5)(c), F.A.C. Copies of the incorporated materials below may be obtained at the agency by [include address(es)/location(s)].

List form number(s) and form title(s), or title of document(s) below:

<u>Form Number</u>	<u>Form Title</u>
Form DR-144	Gas and Sulfur Production Quarterly Tax Return
Form DR-144ES	Declaration of Estimated Gas and Sulfur Production Tax
Form DR-145	Oil Production Monthly Tax Return
Form DR-145X	Oil Production Monthly Amended Tax Return

Under the provisions of Section 120.54(3)(e)6., F.S., the attached material(s) take effect 20 days from the date filed with the Department of State, or a later date as specified in the rule.

  
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Signature, Person Authorized to Certify Rules

Deputy Executive Director  
\_\_\_\_\_  
Title

## Danielle Boudreaux

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**From:** FL-Rules@dos.state.fl.us  
**Sent:** Monday, May 2, 2022 7:31 AM  
**To:** Danielle Boudreaux  
**Cc:** flrules@dos.state.fl.us  
**Subject:** 12B-7.008 Reference Material for Rule Adoption Approved

Dear dboudreaux:

The reference material for rule adoption you submitted has been approved by the Administrative Code and Register Staff.

The approved material is available in the [Review/Modify Agency Reference Material](#) list (Agency Main Menu page).

Rule Number: 12B-7.008

Reference Number: Ref-14244; Reference Name: DR-144 R. 01/22

Reference Number: Ref-14245; Reference Name: DR-144ES R. 01/22

Reference Number: Ref-14246; Reference Name: DR-145 R. 01/22

Reference Number: Ref-14247; Reference Name: DR-145X R. 01/22

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