

NOTICE OF PROPOSED EMERGENCY ACTION

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Department of Parks and Recreation proposes to adopt 2007 Off-Highway Motor Vehicle Recreation (OHMVR) Grants and Cooperative Agreements Program Emergency Regulations for the 2007/2008 grant cycle to avoid serious harm to the public peace, health, safety, and general welfare.

PROPOSED EMERGENCY REGULATORY ACTION

The Department proposes to adopt 2007 emergency regulations, which will revise the OHMVR Grants and Cooperative Agreements Program Application Filing Date for the 2007/2008 grant cycle, by amending the regulations contained in the California Code of Regulations (CCR), Title 14, Division 3, Chapter 15.5, Articles 1 through 5, § 4970.49 – 4970.72 including the Off-Highway Motor Vehicle Recreation Division Grants and Cooperative Agreements Program, Grants Program Manual, which is incorporated by reference. The proposed emergency action is presented in strikeout/underline format in the attached revised text of the regulations and documents incorporated by reference and is described in the attached Finding of Emergency.

WRITTEN COMMENT PERIOD

Any interested person, or his or her authorized representative, may submit written comments relative to the proposed emergency regulations described in the attached Finding of Emergency. In order to be considered, public comments on the proposed emergency regulations must:

1. Be in writing.
2. Be sent or delivered to **both** the OHMVR Division and the Office of Administrative Law.
3. Be received by both the Office of Administrative Law (OAL) and the OHMVR Division **within 5 (five) calendar days of filing the emergency regulations**. The Department will file the proposed emergency regulations with the Office of Administrative Law on July 9, 2007. The written comment period begins on **July 10, 2007** and ends at 5:00 p.m., on **July 14, 2007**. OAL and the Department will consider only written comments received during that time.
4. Identify the emergency topic.

All written comments shall be mailed, hand delivered, faxed or e-mailed to OAL at the following address, facsimile number, or e-mail address:

Office of Administrative Law
300 Capitol Mall, Suite 1250
Sacramento, California 95814-4339
Fax number: (916) 323-6826
E-mail address: staff@oal.ca.gov

All written comments shall be submitted to the OHMVR Division at the following address:

Department of Parks and Recreation
Off-Highway Motor Vehicle Recreation Division
Attn: Allen Chancey, Manager
Grants and Winter Recreation
P.O. Box 942896
Sacramento, California 94296-0001

Written comments can also be hand delivered to the OHMVR Division, to the contact person listed above, at the following address:

Department of Parks and Recreation
Off-Highway Motor Vehicle Recreation Division
1725 23rd Street, Suite 200
Sacramento, California 95816

Written comments that are not more than 10 pages will be accepted by the OHMVR Division via facsimile at (916) 324-1610. A fax transmission must be completed by the deadline given above.

Written comments may also be delivered electronically to Allen Chancey at achancey@parks.ca.gov by the deadline given above.

The back-up contact person regarding the proposed action/text is John Pelonio, Supervising Ranger, phone number (916) 324-5734 or e-mail address: jpelonio@parks.ca.gov.