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## FOREWORD

The Florida Statutes (Chapter 120) provides that no rule or regulation made by any State department, board, bureau, officer, authority or commission, except such as relate to organization or internal management, shall be effective until it is filed in the Office of the Secretary of State.

The Legislature, in Chapter 61-280, has provided that the rules and regulations so filed shall be published by the Secretary of State in an Official Compilation of Rules and Regulations entitled Florida Administrative Code.

The primary purpose of this work is to make the rules and regulations of every State agency readily available to all whom they affect in convenient, current and complete form.

These volumes constitute a complete compilation of the rules and regulations of all Florida State departments and agencies with rule-making authority and comprise what it is hoped will be a significant step forward in the reporting of the great body of administrative rules and regulations in Florida.

This compilation has been designed to improve the publication of State rules and regulations in several major respects. These volumes are in loose-leaf form and will be supplemented by additional or replacement pages as required. Supplementation will be provided on a monthly basis with the supplemental material commencing immediately after initial publication of the Code. Thus, the current rules and regulations of every department and agency will be readily available in one convenient place.

Under the numbering system of the Code, a control number has been assigned to each rule-making department and agency. A rule may be cited merely by referring to the appropriate control, chapter and section number. Departments and agencies are arranged alphabetically in the set.

These volumes, as originally published, contain only the rules and regulations filed on or before July 1, 1962, together with amendments, additions, or rescissions made through September 30, 1962. All amendments, additions, or rescissions filed in the Office of the Secretary of State from October 1, 1962 through June 20, 1963, are summarized in the Florida Administrative Registers published on the 20th of each month to give official notice of all changes in rules and regulations filed during the preceding month. The complete topical index, listing subject matter contained in the Code, will be forthcoming soon after July 20, 1963, with the Florida Administrative Register of that date. In addition, supplemental pages to the Florida Administrative Code, which will make it current through June 20, 1963, will be available by July 20, 1963, with the Florida Administrative Register of that date.

The publication of this Official Compilation of the Rules and Regulations reflects the untiring efforts of a great many people, and the intense interest and inspiration of countless more. Special debts of gratitude are owed to the heads and counsel of the several departments and agencies. The interest and cooperation of many members of the Legislature also are gratefully acknowledged. And for the stimulation and inspiration provided by many members of the Bench and Bar, we are deeply indebted.

These volumes are respectfully dedicated to the people of the State of Florida whose interests they are intended to serve.

  
Secretary of State