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2. For future housing projects undertaken by a county improvement authority, a housing preference must be created for homeless and disabled veterans. This preference shall take priority over all other preferences.

3. Within the preference for veterans, a county improvement authority shall provide for a priority to applicants in the following order:

- i. Veterans who are both homeless and disabled;
- ii. Homeless veterans; and
- iii. Disabled veterans. Any preference for veterans who are disabled shall include family members who are the primary residential caregivers to such veterans and who are residing with them.

4. Veterans must meet all eligibility criteria for a housing project.

5:40-2.5 Housing preference; Department of Community Affairs housing vouchers

(a) Housing vouchers administered by the Department shall provide for a housing preference for veterans and surviving spouses, as set forth in this subsection.

1. For all housing vouchers administered by the Department, a preference shall be created for veterans and surviving spouses. These preferences shall take priority over all other preferences.

2. Within the preference for veterans and surviving spouses, the Department shall have the discretion to implement more specific preferences; for example, to prioritize homeless veterans or disabled veterans based on an applicant's status as homeless or disabled, and may include family members who are the primary residential caregivers for disabled veterans and who are residing with them.

3. Veterans and surviving spouses must meet all eligibility criteria for the housing vouchers at issue.

(a)

DIVISION OF CODES AND STANDARDS

**Notice of Readoption
Landlord Tenant Relations**

Readoption: N.J.A.C. 5:29

Authority: N.J.S.A. 46:8-28 and 29 and 52:27D-3(e).

Authorized By: Charles A. Richman, Commissioner, Department of Community Affairs.

Effective Date: November 29, 2017.

New Expiration Date: November 29, 2024.

Take notice that pursuant to N.J.S.A. 52:14B-5.1, the rules at N.J.A.C. 5:29 were scheduled to expire on March 22, 2018. This chapter prescribes a form that is required to be given by landlords to tenants in single-dwelling units and in two-dwelling units pursuant to N.J.S.A. 46:8-28 and 29.

This chapter has one subchapter, which contains the one- and two-unit dwelling registration form to be given by the landlord to tenants in single-dwelling and two-dwelling units that are not owner-occupied and to be filed in the office of the clerk of the municipality in which any such single- or two-dwelling unit is situated.

The Department of Community Affairs has reviewed the rules and has determined that they should be readopted without amendment. The rules are necessary, reasonable, and proper for the purpose for which they were originally promulgated. Therefore, pursuant to N.J.S.A. 52:14B-5.1.c(1), these rules are readopted and shall continue in effect for a seven-year period.

EDUCATION

(b)

STATE BOARD OF EDUCATION

Programs to Support Student Development

Adopted Amendments: N.J.A.C. 6A:16-1.2, 1.3, and 7.7

Adopted New Rule: N.J.A.C. 6A:16-7.8

Proposed: September 6, 2016, at 48 N.J.R. 1743(a).

Notice of Proposed Substantial Changes upon Adoption to Proposed Amendments: June 5, 2017, at 49 N.J.R. 1285(a).

Adopted: November 1, 2017, by the State Board of Education, Kimberley Harrington, Commissioner, Department of Education and Secretary, State Board of Education.

Filed: November 1, 2017, as R.2017 d.215, **with substantial changes** to proposal after additional notice and public comment, pursuant to N.J.S.A. 52:14B-10 and with **non-substantial changes** not requiring additional public notice and comment (see N.J.A.C. 1:30-6.3).

Authority: N.J.S.A. 18A:38-1.

Effective Date: January 2, 2018.

Operative Date: July 1, 2018.

Expiration Date: February 18, 2021.

Summary of Public Comments and Agency Responses:

Comments on the original notice of proposal were received from the following commenters, some of whom also commented on the changes in the notice of proposed substantial changes:

- 1. Elizabeth Athos Esq., Education Law Center
- 2. Christian Fuscarino, Executive Director, Garden State Equality
- 3. Gordon Sauer, Vice President of Community Services, Gay Activist Alliance in Morris County
- 4. Carol Watchler, Co-Chair, Gay Lesbian and Straight Education Network, Central Jersey Chapter
- 5. Barbra Siperstein, Director, Gender Rights Advocacy Association of New Jersey
- 6. Elizabeth Schedl, Deputy Director, Hudson Pride
- 7. Dr. Stuart Green, Director, New Jersey Coalition for Bullying Awareness and Prevention
- 8. Dr. Michael Greene, Research Advisor, New Jersey Coalition for Bullying Awareness and Prevention
- 9. John Burns, Counsel, New Jersey School Boards Association
- 10. Michael A. Vrancik, Director of Governmental Relations, New Jersey School Boards Association
- 11. Joe Endres, Rainbow Café Morris
- 12. Marie Endres, Rainbow Café Morris
- 13. A. Skurna, Rainbow Café Morris
- 14. Amanda Thompson, Rainbow Café Morris
- 15. Dr. Paula C. Rodriguez Rust, Founder, Spectrum Diversity
- 16. Maria Docherty, Director of Technical Assistance, Statewide Parent Advocacy Network
- 17. Mark McSpirit, President, The Pride Center of New Jersey
- 18. Christine Hamlett, Retired educator, Newark Public Schools
- 19. Alexandra Lawrence, Clinical social worker
- 20. Tea Sefer
- 21. Andrea Mystrena, Mount Laurel, NJ
- 22. Leichena Young, Somerset, NJ
- 23. Michael Smith, Toms River, NJ
- 24. Linda Murphy, Ocean City, NJ
- 25. Marsha Shapiro, Monmouth Junction, NJ
- 26. Nora Lambert, Flemington, NJ
- 27. Maddy Smith, Mount Laurel, NJ
- 28. LanChi Pham, North Charleston, SC
- 29. Kathleen McGoldrick, Flanders, NJ
- 30. Ronnie Weyl, Hillsborough, NJ
- 31. Margo Saltzman, Oakhurst, NJ
- 32. Kathleen Loughran, Teacher, Lakewood, NJ