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RE: Germane modification to Clearinghouse Rule 21-013

Dear Chief Clerk Queensland and Chief Clerk Blazel:

The Accounting Examining Board is withdrawing Clearinghouse Rule 21-013 and resubmitting the rule with a germane modification pursuant to s. 227.19 (4) (b) 4., Stats.

Clearinghouse Rule 21-013 was submitted to the legislature on March 22, 2021.

The germane modification amends the proposed creation of Accy 2.304 (5) to instead read as follows:

Accy 2.304 (5) The board may on a case-by-case basis extend the 18-month period of credit for sections of the Uniform CPA Examination passed, or the duration of the 18-month rolling period, upon the applicant showing to the board's satisfaction that the inability to pass all sections of the examination within the 18-month period was due to one of the following:

- (a) The sickness of the candidate or a member of the candidate's immediate family if the candidate substantiates the illness by a doctor's certificate.
- (b) A death in the candidate's immediate family if the candidate provides proof of death.
- (c) Temporary military service.
- (d) Other good reason deemed acceptable by the board.

Previously, the proposed rule did not enumerate possible grounds on which the board may grant a waiver.

Sincerely,

Michael E. Friedman
Chairperson, Accounting Examining Board