NOTICE OF RULE ADOPTION—FINAL RULE

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Specific Legal Authority Authorizing the promulgation of Rule: {Insert citation to state or federal statute, or rule
Mississippi Code 37-43-1

Reference to Rules repealed, amended or suspended by the Proposed Rule :{Insert citation to specific rule(s) repealed, amended or suspended N/A

Date Rule Proposed: July 20, 2007

Explanation of the Purpose of the Proposed Rule and the reason(s) for proposing the rule:
The Textbook Administration Handbook Rules and Regulations has three parts. The three sections of the Handbook deal with the administration and adoption process of textbooks based on Mississippi Code 37-43-1.

The Agency Rule Making Record for this rule including any written comments received during the comment period and the record of any oral proceeding is available for public inspection by contacting the Agency at the above address.

☐ An oral proceeding was held on this rule:

Date: {Insert Date}
Time: {Insert Time}
Place: {Insert Place}

☒ An oral proceeding was not held on this rule.

The Agency has considered the written comments and the presentations made in any oral proceedings, and

☐ This rule as adopted is without variance from the proposed rule.

☐ This rule as adopted differs from the proposed rule as there are minor editorial changes which affect the form rather than the substance of the rule.

☒ The rule as adopted differs from the proposed rule. The differences however are:
Within the scope of the matters in the Notice of Proposed Rule Adoption, the logical outgrowth of the contents of the Notice of Proposed Rule Adoption and the comments submitted in response thereto, and
The Notice of Proposed Rule Adoption provided fair warning that the outcome of the proposed rule adoption could be the rule in question.

The entire text of the Proposed Rule including the text of any rule being amended or changed is attached.

Effective Date of Rule: August 17, 2007

Trecina Green, Bureau Director
Signature and Title of Person Submitting Rule for Filing