

Annual List of Rulemaking Activity
Rules Adopted January 1, 2018 to December 31, 2018
Prepared by the Secretary of State pursuant to 5 MRS §8053-A, sub-§5

Agency name: **Maine Arts Commission**
Umbrella-Unit: **94-088**
Statutory authority: 27 MRS §409
Chapter number/title: **Ch. 2**, Rules for Awarding Grants and Providing Services
Filing number: **2018-037**
Effective date: 3/14/2018
Type of rule: Routine Technical
Emergency rule: No

Principal reason or purpose for rule:

These rule amendments make technical changes to update existing rules governing the grant-making procedures and programs by the Maine Arts Commission. Ch. 2 provides definitions for how the Maine Arts Commission awards grants and provides services, including conflict of interest definitions.

Basis statement:

The Commission is updating the language in Ch. 2 to coincide with current procedures related to the Commission's conflict of interest definitions and procedures as they related to the eligibility and criteria for awarding grants and providing services to constituents based on current practices voted into place by the Maine Arts Commission since the last rulemaking adoption process.

Fiscal impact of rule:

No fiscal impact.

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Agency name: Maine Arts Commission
Umbrella-Unit: 94-088
Statutory authority: 27 MRS §458
Chapter number/title: Ch. 3, Rules to Carry Out the Percent for Art Act
Filing number: 2018-038
Effective date: 3/14/2018
Type of rule: Routine Technical
Emergency rule: No

Principal reason or purpose for rule:

These rule amendments make technical changes to update existing rules governing the grant-making procedures and programs by the Maine Arts Commission. Ch. 3 defines the process for carrying out the *Percent for Art Act*.

Basis statement:

The Commission is updating the language in Ch. 3 to coincide with current procedures related to carrying out the *Percent for Art Act* based on current practices voted into place by the Maine Arts Commission since the last rulemaking adoption process.

Fiscal impact of rule:

No fiscal impact.