

**FILINGS OF ADMINISTRATIVE RULES,
ORDERS, AND REGULATIONS**

2007 GENERAL SESSION

STATE OF UTAH

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LONG TITLE

General Description:

This bill updates the code regarding a reference to the Division of Administrative Rules to conform with current law.

Highlighted Provisions:

This bill:

- ▶ deletes the reference to the Division of Archives and replaces it with a reference to the Division of Administrative Rules, to reflect statute provisions regarding filings of orders, rules, and regulations of the governor or an entity of the executive branch.

Monies Appropriated in this Bill:

None

Other Special Clauses:

None

Utah Code Sections Affected:

AMENDS:

63-5a-7, as last amended by Chapter 286, Laws of Utah 2006

Be it enacted by the Legislature of the state of Utah:

Section 1. Section **63-5a-7** is amended to read:

63-5a-7. Orders, rules, and regulations having force of law -- Filing requirements -- Suspension of state agency rules.

(1) All orders, rules, and regulations promulgated by the governor, a political

30 subdivision, or other agency authorized by this act to make orders, rules, and regulations, not in
31 conflict with existing laws except as specifically provided herein, shall have the full force and
32 effect of law during the state of emergency, when a copy of the order, rule, or regulation is filed
33 with:

34 (a) the Division of [~~Archives~~] Administrative Rules, if issued by the governor or a state
35 agency; or

36 (b) the office of the clerk of the political subdivision, if issued by the chief executive
37 officer of a political subdivision of the state or agency of the state.

38 (2) The governor may suspend the provisions of any order, rule, or regulation of any
39 state agency, if the strict compliance with the provisions of the order, rule, or regulation would
40 substantially prevent, hinder, or delay necessary action in coping with the emergency or
41 disaster.