IDAPA 02 – DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE

02.02.14 - RULES FOR WEIGHTS AND MEASURES
DOCKET NO. 02-0214-1901 (OARC may reassign?)

NOTICE OF INTENT TO PROMULGATE RULES - NEGOTIATED RULEMAKING

AUTHORITY: In compliance with Sections 67-5220(1) and 67-5220(2), Idaho Code, notice is hereby given that this agency intends to promulgate rules and desires public comment prior to initiating formal rulemaking procedures. This negotiated rulemaking action is authorized pursuant to Section 71-111, Idaho Code.

MEETING SCHEDULE: A negotiated rulemaking meeting(s) has been scheduled. Additional meetings may be scheduled and will be posted on the ISDA website.

MEETING SET FOR PUBLIC PARTICIPATION
VIA TELEPHONE AND WEB CONFERENCING
Tuesday, June 23, 2020 - 9 a.m. to 11:30 a.m.
Contact Janis.perry@isda.idaho.gov to make arrangements for participation by telephone and web conferencing.

On March 25, 2020, Governor Little issued a Proclamation declaring an emergency and taking steps to reduce and slow the coronavirus spread. In compliance with the Proclamation and Stages of Reopening, ISDA will hold this meeting via telephone and web conferencing.

METHOD OF PARTICIPATION: Those interested in participating in the negotiated rulemaking process are encouraged to attend the scheduled meeting via telephone and web conferencing. Individuals interested in participating by telephone and web conferencing should contact Janis.perry@isda.idaho.gov. For those who cannot participate by attending the meeting, information for submitting written comments is provided below.

Upon conclusion of the negotiated rulemaking, any unresolved issues, all key issues considered, and conclusions reached during the negotiated rulemaking will be addressed in a written summary and made available on the agency website.

DESCRIPTIVE SUMMARY AND STATEMENT OF PURPOSE: The following is a statement in nontechnical language of the substance and purpose of the intended negotiated rulemaking and the principal issues involved:

ISDA proposes increasing fees for device licenses to cover ongoing and rising costs associated with growth in the state and an additional position which was added to ensure devices used for commerce in the State of Idaho are inspected. The proposal would increase the current license fees for commercial weighing and measuring devices in Table 1-A. The agency also proposes to update Table 1-A to include electric vehicle charging stations and mass flow meters and establish a license fee for those new services.

ASSISTANCE ON TECHNICAL QUESTIONS, SUBMISSION OF WRITTEN COMMENTS, OBTAINING DRAFT COPIES:
For assistance on technical questions concerning this negotiated rulemaking, contact Kevin Merritt, Section Manager, Weights and Measures at Kevin.Merritt@isda.idaho.gov or (208) 332-8690. Materials pertaining to the negotiated rulemaking, including any available preliminary rule drafts, can be found on the ISDA website at the following web address: www.agri.idaho.gov/rulemaking.

Anyone may submit written comments regarding this negotiated rulemaking. All written comments must be directed to the undersigned and must be delivered on or before July 7, 2020.

DATED this 30th day of April, 2020.

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