



3 Rule Determination Categories

Necessary with Substantive Public Interest

Means any rule for which the agency has received a public comment within the past 2 years OR if it affects the property interest of the regulated public and the agency knows or suspects that any person may object to the rule.

Necessary without Substantive Public Interest

Means a rule for which the agency has not received a public comment concerning the rule within the past 2 years. Includes a rule that merely identifies information that is readily available to the public, such as an address or telephone number.

Unnecessary

Means a rule that the agency determines to be obsolete, redundant, or otherwise not needed.