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NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING – RULE MAKING

On April 14, 2006 - 8:30 a.m.

Proposed Changes To Commission Rule

Rule 5 § 4(E)

Failure of Any Phase of the Examination or Screening Process (For Original Appointment)

On **Friday, April 14, 2006, at 8:30 a.m.** the Civil Service Commission will hold a public hearing in the Commission conference room at **1570 Grove St., Denver, CO 80204-1930**, for the purpose of receiving public comment on proposed **amendments to the above noted Commission Rule. Attachment A provides a summary table of the proposed rule changes.**

The **full text** of the proposed changes to Rule 5 § 4(E) is **posted at the Commission's office and on the Commission's web site** at: www.denvergov.org/civilservice. Click on the link "Commission Rule Changes". Additional copies are available by email or fax.

Written comment or questions may be submitted by mail, fax, email or in-person to Earl Peterson, Executive Director, Civil Service Commission, 1570 Grove St., Denver, CO 80204-1930. Submissions must be received by the **deadline of Tuesday, April 11, 2006, at 12:00 noon.** Fax: 720-913-3373; Email: earl.peterson@ci.denver.co.us.

Oral comment, limited to ten (10) minutes, may be scheduled for the public hearing by contacting Brian Kellogg, Sr. Personnel Analyst, by the **deadline of Tuesday, April 11, 2006, at 12:00 noon.** Phone: 720-913-3366; Fax: 720-913-3373; Email: brian.kellogg@ci.denver.co.us.

Authority for rule making is provided by City and County of Denver Charter § 9.3.4 and Commission Rule 2 § 4(A).

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Earl E. Peterson".

Earl E. Peterson, Executive Director
March 17, 2006

**City and County of Denver
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**Summary of Proposed Rule Changes
 RULE 5, Section 4(E)
 Failure of Any Phase of the Examination or Screening Process
 (For Original Appointment)
 (Approved on March 10, 2006, for Posting)**

Existing Rule 5 By Section		Nature and Summary of Proposed Changes to Current Rule (Comments listed in numerical order.)	
Section 4(E)	Existing Provisions	1.	Existing provisions, consisting of one paragraph, are incorporated into a sub-paragraph 1 and sub-paragraph 3
		2.	Language of existing provisions is modified to provide for an exception created by a new sub-paragraph 2.
	New Sub-paragraph 2	3.	Creates a new exception that permits the possibility of one re-test on any entry-level Physical Ability Test, for individuals who fail the Physical Ability Test on their first attempt, in lieu of disqualification and a requirement to re-apply and begin a new examination process. Currently, upon failing the Physical Ability Test, applicants must wait one year from the date of their written test in order to re-apply and start a new testing cycle. The proposed change would permit the Commission, through a respective examination announcement, to establish regulations governing the opportunities for a re-test on the Physical Ability Test in lieu of disqualification upon the first failed attempt at the test.