# STATE BOARD OF EDUCATION Consent Item

July 17, 2017

**SUBJECT:** Approval of Amendment to Rule 6A-18.049, General Description of Services and Procedures and Repeal of 6A-18.053, Determination That a Client Has Been Rehabilitated

# PROPOSED BOARD ACTION

For Approval

## **AUTHORITY FOR STATE BOARD ACTION**

Sections 413.011(3)(I), 1001.02(1), Florida Statutes

# **EXECUTIVE SUMMARY**

This proposed rulemaking is the final portion of the Division of Blind Services effort to support the Department of Education's rule consolidation and repeal goal. Language related to the determination that client has been rehabilitated will be relocated from its current rule, 6A-18.053, F.A.C., to rule 6A-18.049, F.A.C., that provides a general description of the Division's program. The standards applied by the Division will remain the same but this will allow for the repeal of rule 6A-18.053, F.A.C.

Supporting Documentation Included: Proposed Rule 6A-18.049 and 6A-18.053, F.A.C.

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### 6A-18.049 General Description of Services and Procedures.

The nature and extent of services needed to assist a client towards suitable employment vary with the individual's circumstances.

- (1) through (6) No change.
- (7) A client shall be deemed to be rehabilitated, after an appropriate stabilization period, when a vocational rehabilitation goal suitable to the individual's physical and mental abilities and limitations and other personal circumstances has been achieved.

Rulemaking Authority 20.05(1), 20.15(7), 120.53(1), 229.053(1), 413.011(3)(1)(1), (x), 1001.02 FS. Law Implemented 413.011(3)(b)(1) FS. History-New 2-13-84, Formerly 6A-18.33, 6A-18.033, 38K-1.033, Amended

## 6A-18.053 Determination That a Client Has Been Rehabilitated.

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