

## Red Tape Review Rule Report (Due: September 1, 2025 )

<b>Department Name:</b>	IEDA	<b>Date:</b>	6/30/25	<b>Total Rule Count:</b>	4
<b>IAC #:</b>	261	<b>Chapter/ SubChapter/ Rule(s):</b>	Chapter 171	<b>Iowa Code Section Authorizing Rule:</b>	Iowa Code chapter 15A and section 15.439
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**What is the intended benefit of the rule?**

The intended benefit of Chapter 171 is to provide for additional points in evaluating applications for certain of the authority’s competitive financial assistance programs pursuant to Iowa Code chapter 15A and section 15.439.

**Is the benefit being achieved? Please provide evidence.**

No. Iowa Code section 15.439 was repealed by 2025 Iowa Acts, House File 975. The requirements in Iowa Code chapter 15A do not require rules.

**What are the costs incurred by the public to comply with the rule?**

Not applicable.

**What are the costs to the agency or any other agency to implement/enforce the rule?**

There is no cost to the agency for this rule.

**Do the costs justify the benefits achieved? Please explain.**

Not applicable.

**Are there less restrictive alternatives to accomplish the benefit?  YES  NO**

**If YES, please list alternative(s) and provide analysis of less restrictive alternatives from other states, if applicable. If NO, please explain.**

IEDA did not identify any less restrictive alternatives.

Does this chapter/rule(s) contain language that is obsolete, outdated, inconsistent, redundant, or un-necessary language, including instances where rule language is duplicative of statutory language? [list chapter/rule number(s) that fall under any of the above categories]

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Yes. The chapter is unnecessary.

**RULES PROPOSED FOR REPEAL (list rule number[s]):**

261.171.1  
261.171.2  
261.171.3  
261.171.4

**RULES PROPOSED FOR RE-PROMULGATION (list rule number[s] or include rule text if available):**

None.

***\*For rules being re-promulgated with changes, you may attach a document with suggested changes.***

#### METRICS

Total number of rules repealed:	4
Proposed word count reduction after repeal and/or re-promulgation	398
Proposed number of restrictive terms eliminated after repeal and/or re-promulgation	11

**ARE THERE ANY STATUTORY CHANGES YOU WOULD RECOMMEND INCLUDING CODIFYING ANY RULES?**

No.