

**TITLE 17**

**DEPARTMENT OF TREASURY—GENERAL**

**CHAPTER 1**

**GENERAL ADMINISTRATION**

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**Chapter Historical Note**

Chapter 1, General Administration, was adopted and became effective prior to September 1, 1969.

Subchapter 6, Judicial Pension Fund, was repealed by R.1973 d.258, effective September 12, 1973. See: 5 N.J.R. 292(d), 5 N.J.R. 358(b).

Subchapter 10, Prescription Drug Program, was adopted as R.1977 d.117, effective April 1, 1977. See: 9 N.J.R. 142(c), 9 N.J.R. 243(a).

Subchapter 11, Dental Expense Program, was adopted as R.1978 d.99, effective March 15, 1978. See: 10 N.J.R. 38(b), 10 N.J.R. 175(d).

Subchapter 12, Administrative Practices, was adopted as R.1982 d.350, effective October 18, 1982. See: 14 N.J.R. 329(a), 14 N.J.R. 1164(a).

Pursuant to Executive Order 66(1978), Chapter 1, General Administration, was readopted as R.1983 d.174, effective May 16, 1983. See: 15 N.J.R. 523(a), 15 N.J.R. 930(b).

Pursuant to Executive Order No. 66(1978), Chapter 1, General Administration, was readopted as R.1988 d.243, effective May 6, 1988. See: 20 N.J.R. 636(a), 20 N.J.R. 1208(a). Pursuant to Executive Order No. 66(1978), Chapter 1, General Administration, expired on May 6, 1993.

Pursuant to Executive Order No. 66(1978), Chapter 1, General Administration, was adopted as new rules by R.1993 d.376, effective August 2, 1993. See: 25 N.J.R. 1955(a), 25 N.J.R. 3506(a).

Subchapter 13, New Jersey State Employees Cafeteria Plan was adopted as R.1996 d.345, effective August 5, 1996. See: 28 N.J.R. 1942(a), 28 N.J.R. 3808(b).

Pursuant to Executive Order No. 66(1978), Chapter 1, General Administration, was readopted as R.1998 d.240, effective April 22, 1998. See: 30 N.J.R. 1023(a), 30 N.J.R. 1847(a).

Subchapter 2, Alternate Benefit Program, was recodified as N.J.A.C. 17:7 by R.2001 d.159, effective May 21, 2001. See: 33 N.J.R. 988(a), 33 N.J.R. 1601(a).

Chapter 1, General Administration, was repealed and new rules adopted as R.2003 d.323, effective August 4, 2003. See: Source and Effective Date.

Subchapter 11, Volunteer Emergency-Workers Survivors Pension, was adopted by R.2003 d.396, effective October 6, 2003. See: 35 N.J.R. 2790(a), 35 N.J.R. 4733(a).

Subchapter 14, New Jersey State Employees Commuter Tax Savings Program (Commuter Tax\$ave Program), was adopted as R.2004 d.267, effective July 19, 2004. See: 36 N.J.R. 1735(a), 36 N.J.R. 3414(b).

Subchapter 16, Implementation of State Early Retirement Incentive Program (P.L. 2008, c. 21), was adopted as special new rules by R.2008 d.233, effective July 11, 2008. See: 40 N.J.R. 4625(a).

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**SUBCHAPTER 1. ADMINISTRATIVE PRACTICES**

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(a) The Division of Pensions and Benefits is the successor to the former Bureau of Public Employees' Pensions created in June 1952. Under the general reorganization acts of 1948, the pension funds were located within the State Division of Budget and Accounting. In 1950 they were transferred to the Division of Investment under the statute creating that division.

(b) The Division of Pensions and Benefits, under the Department of the Treasury, was created by Chapter 70, P.L. 1955. All administrative functions of the State pension funds, except for the investment of the assets retained in the Division of Investment, were assigned to the Division of Pensions and Benefits.

(c) The Division of Pensions and Benefits is responsible for one of the largest public employee benefits program in the nation. It administers a comprehensive benefit program that