

The Labor and Employment Article Review Committee notes, for consideration by the General Assembly, that former Art. 89, § 2(4) seemed to require the acceptance of federal grants regardless of considerations such as consistency with policies of the State. See, e.g., SF § 2-202, which states the policy that consultation between the General Assembly and Governor should precede acceptance of block grants. Also, Ch. 336, Acts of 1976, which enacted Art. 89, § 2(4), stated that its purpose was merely to "permi[t] the Commissioner of Labor and Industry to accept certain federal grants". The General Assembly may wish to enable, rather than require, the Commissioner to accept a federal grant.

Defined terms: "Commissioner" § 2-101

"Division" § 2-101

"Secretary" § 2-101

## 2-106. REGULATIONS.

### (A) REQUIRED.

THE COMMISSIONER SHALL ADOPT REGULATIONS THAT GOVERN PROCEDURE FOR BOARDS OF ARBITRATION UNDER TITLE 4, SUBTITLE 1 OF THIS ARTICLE.

### (B) ALLOWED — IN GENERAL.

IN ADDITION TO AUTHORITY TO ADOPT REGULATIONS THAT IS SET FORTH ELSEWHERE, THE COMMISSIONER MAY ADOPT REGULATIONS THAT ARE NECESSARY TO CARRY OUT:

- (1) TITLE 3, SUBTITLE 3 OF THIS ARTICLE;
- (2) TITLE 3, SUBTITLE 5 OF THIS ARTICLE;
- (3) TITLE 4, SUBTITLE 2, PARTS I THROUGH III OF THIS ARTICLE;
- (4) TITLE 5 OF THIS ARTICLE;
- (5) TITLE 6 OF THIS ARTICLE; AND
- (6) TITLE 7 OF THIS ARTICLE.

### (C) SAME — WAGES AND HOURS.

(1) AFTER A PUBLIC HEARING AND WITH THE APPROVAL OF THE ADVISORY COMMITTEE ON WAGE AND HOUR LAW, THE COMMISSIONER MAY ADOPT REGULATIONS THAT ARE NECESSARY TO CARRY OUT TITLE 3, SUBTITLE 4 OF THIS ARTICLE.

(2) UNLESS THE COMMISSIONER PROVIDES OTHERWISE, A REGULATION THAT THE COMMISSIONER ADOPTS UNDER THIS SUBSECTION TAKES EFFECT ON PUBLICATION.