

04 NCAC 24A .0302 DISPOSITION OF PETITION

- (a) Upon receipt of a petition, the Secretary of Commerce, or designee shall review the petition to determine whether the public interest would be served by granting the request.
- (b) Within 30 days of receiving the petition, the Secretary or designee shall make a decision on the petition and inform the petitioner by mailing:
 - (1) a written denial of the petition and the reason for the denial; or
 - (2) written notice to the petitioner that the Secretary or designee will initiate a rule-making proceeding as required by G.S. 150B-20(c).
- (c) Each determination granting or denying a petition shall include a statement that the Secretary or designee's decision is a final agency decision subject to judicial review.
- (d) Each determination shall include instructions for filing a request for judicial review in the superior court pursuant to G.S. 150B-45 within 30 days after receiving the determination.

History Note: *Authority G.S. 96-4; 150B-20; 150B-45;*
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