State agency must submit rulemaking record and adopted regulation text to OAL within 1 year of notice publication

OAL has 30 working days to review the record for compliance with:
1) The substantive standards of the APA
2) The procedural standards of the APA

Does the rulemaking satisfy the SUBSTANTIVE and PROCEDURAL requirements of the Administrative Procedure Act?

**YES**

OAL files approved regulation text with Secretary of State

Regulation text printed in California Code of Regulations (CCR)

OAL returns rulemaking record to agency

Adopted regulations are effective quarterly unless:
1) Effective date specified by statute
2) Later date requested
3) Good cause given for earlier date

**NO**

OAL disapproves rulemaking unless agency withdraws

WITHDRAWAL

Agency must have sufficient time remaining within 1-year notice period

Prior to close of 1-year notice period, agency rectifies text/record deficiencies and resubmits rulemaking to OAL

OAL has 30 working days to review re-submitted rulemaking

DISAPPROVAL

OAL has 7 calendar days to provide disapproval decision to agency

Decision published in California Regulatory Notice Register

Within 120 days of disapproval, agency rectifies text/record deficiencies & resubmits rulemaking to OAL

Appeal to Governor (Gov. Code, sec. 11349.3)