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PROPOSED REGULATION OF THE PERSONNEL COMMISSION

EXPLANATION – Matter in *italics* is new; matter in brackets \mapsto is material to be omitted.

Sec. 13. NAC 284.682 is hereby amended to read as follows:

Explanation of Proposed Change: This amendment, proposed by the Department of Personnel, clarifies that a grievant may only bypass a level or levels if the employee and appointing authority mutually agree or if the Department of Personnel determines that the submission at such a level would be a useless act.

NAC 284.682 Submission of grievance to next appropriate level. (NRS 284.065, 284.155, 284.384)

- 1. If the *employee and appointing authority agree that the* correction of the matter under appeal is beyond the control of a level of supervision contemplated in this procedure or if [the Department of Personnel] the Director or his designee in consultation with the appointing authority determines that the submission of the grievance to the supervisor would be a useless act, the aggrieved employee may appeal directly to the next appropriate level.
- 2. Except as otherwise provided in NAC 284.692, an employee has 10 working days to refer his grievance to the next level after:
 - (a) He receives notification of the action: or
- (b) The passage of 10 working days after his grievance is deemed to have been received, whichever occurs first, at each step in the procedure.