

Chapter 817. Child Labor. §§817.1-817.8 (repeal) §§817.1-817.5, 817.22-817.23, 817.31-817.33 (new) Prior rules repealed and new rules adopted

Part XX. Texas Workforce Commission

Chapter 817. Child Labor

The Texas Workforce Commission adopts the repeal of §§817.1- 817.8 and new §§817.1-817.5, 817.21-23, and 817.31-33, concerning Child Labor, without changes to the proposed text as published in the October 31, 1997, issue of the *Texas Register* (22 TexReg 10633).

The repeal and new rules result in a rearrangement of the rules into a new format incorporating technical and clarity changes.

The technical changes include items such as changing "Texas Employment Commission" to "Texas Workforce Commission," changing "administrator" to "executive director," and changing "agency" to "commission." The technical changes are being adopted to conform terms to those required by the Texas Labor Code, Chapter 51 and the Texas Workforce Commission's enabling legislation. The clarity changes include items such as adding subchapters, breaking down old sections into several shorter sections, naming sections accordingly and adding clarifying language to the rules as needed. New language is adopted clarifying the expiration date of a special authorization for child actors employed as extras.

No comments were received regarding adoption of the repeals and new sections.

40 TAC §§817.1-817.8

The repeals are adopted under Texas Labor Code, Title 2, which provides the Texas Workforce Commission with the authority to adopt, amend, or rescind such rules as it deems necessary to promote the purpose of Texas Labor Code, Chapter 51, Employment of Children.

This agency hereby certifies that the adoption has been reviewed by legal counsel and found to be a valid exercise of the agency's legal authority.

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Subchapter A. General Provisions

40 TAC §§817.1-817.5

The new rules are adopted under Texas Labor Code, Title 2, which provides the Texas Workforce Commission with the authority to adopt, amend, or rescind such rules as it deems necessary for the effective administration of the Commission and compliance with Texas Labor Code, Chapter 51, Employment of Children.

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Subchapter B. Limitations on the Employment of Children

40 TAC §§817.21-817.23

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Subchapter C. Employment of Child Actors

40 TAC §§817.31-8187.33

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