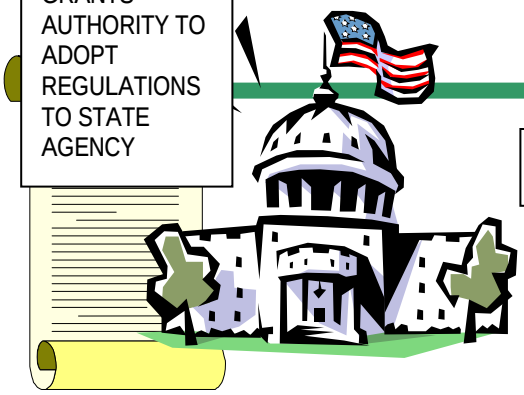
The Rulemaking Process

LEGISLATURE GRANTS AUTHORITY TO ADOPT REGULATIONS TO STATE AGENCY



State agency



PRELIMINARY ACTIVITIES
- **Special Considerations**
- **Fiscal Impact**

TEXT OF REGULATIONS

INITIAL STATEMENT OF REASONS

NOTICE OF PROPOSED RULEMAKING

RULEMAKING RECORD OPEN

PUBLISHES & ISSUES NOTICE

Minimum 45 day public

PUBLIC HEARING



AGENCY HOLDS PUBLIC HEARING AS SCHEDULED OR BY REQUEST

AGENCY CONSIDERS COMMENTS

CHANGES MADE TO REGULATIONS?

Major Changes: New 45 day notice

substantial & sufficiently related

non-substantial or no changes

15 Day-Comment Period; Agency mails Notice of Proposed Changes

FINAL STATEMENT OF REASONS

SUMMARY & RESPONSE TO COMMENTS:

Changed to accommodate

Reason for rejection

Agency adopts regulation

RULEMAKING RECORD CLOSED