

ADOPTED RULE REVIEW: CHAPTER 806

ADOPTED RULE REVIEW TO BE SUBMITTED TO THE *TEXAS REGISTER*. THIS DOCUMENT WILL HAVE NO SUBSTANTIVE CHANGES BUT IS SUBJECT TO FORMATTING CHANGES AS REQUIRED BY THE *TEXAS REGISTER*.

The Texas Workforce Commission (TWC) adopts the review of Chapter 806, Purchases of Products and Services from People with Disabilities, in accordance with Texas Government Code, §2001.039. The proposed notice of intent to review rules was published in the November 7, 2025, issue of the *Texas Register* (50 TexReg 7343).

During the review, TWC determined that Chapter 806, Subchapter J, Transition and Retention Plans, is obsolete and no longer needed, because the subchapter expired on September 1, 2023, and therefore should be repealed.

PUBLIC COMMENTS

The public comment period closed on December 8, 2025. TWC received comments from East Texas Lighthouse for the Blind and an ability rights advocate, KJH Consultant Services.

COMMENT: Both commenters expressed support for the Purchasing from People with Disabilities program. One of the commenters provided recommendations for strengthening the rules.

RESPONSE: The Commission appreciates the comments and support for the program. The commenter's recommendations are beyond the scope of this rule review project. This project's scope is to determine whether the reasons for adopting the rules in Chapter 806 continue to exist. TWC will, however, take the comments into consideration when determining whether any amendments to the rules are warranted in future rulemaking projects.

TWC has assessed and determined that the reasons for adopting the rules continue to exist and therefore readopts Chapter 806, Purchases of Products and Services from People with Disabilities. As a result of the review, Chapter 806, Subchapter J, will be repealed in a future agency rulemaking.