**Section 125.170 Order of Proceedings**

The following shall be the order of all proceedings held, pursuant to Subpart C of this Part, subject to modification by the Hearing Officer for good cause:

a) Presentation, argument and disposition of motions preliminary to a hearing on the merits of the matters raised in the complaint or answer;

b) presentation of opening statements;

c) complainant's case;

d) respondent's case;

e) complainant's case in rebuttal;

f) statements from interested citizens, if authorized by the Hearing Officer;

g) complainant's closing statement, which may include legal argument;

h) respondent's closing statement, which may include legal argument; and

i) ruling on any reserved motions.

(Source: Amended at 35 Ill. Reg. 2351, effective February 4, 2011)