

ADMINISTRATIVE LAW SYLLABUS

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Text: Mashaw, Merrill, and Shane, *ADMINISTRATIVE LAW: The American Public Law System*, 6th edition

Also Required: Law-In-A-Flash Administrative Law Flashcards (closely correlated to the final exam questions)

EXAM: Multiple choice, 170-180 questions

Each number represents one or two class sessions. Please be prepared ONE UNIT (number) BEYOND wherever we left off at the end of the previous class.

1. Introduction to Administrative Law, pp. 1-65
2. Nondelegation Doctrine, pp. 72-106
3. Legislative Vetoes – SKIM ONLY pp. 107-126
4. Statutory Precision, pp. 127-148
5. Techniques of Legislative Control, pp. 150-176
6. Executive Powers of Appointment, pp. 177-215
7. Congressional Limits on Appointment Powers, pp. 216-252
8. Executive Authority over Policy, pp. 253-307
9. Administrative Adjudication, pp. 308-375
10. More Agency Adjudication, pp. 376-400
11. Statutory Hearing Rights, pp. 408-437
12. Formal Adjudication vs. Policy Decisions – pp. 438-489
13. Administrative Rulemaking: Authority, pp. 490-506
14. Rulemaking: Substantive Judicial Review, pp. 507-553
15. APA Procedural Requirements, pp. 554-617
16. Going Without Rules, pp. 617-656
17. Investigation, Discovery, & Subpoenas pp. 657-681
18. Reporting Requirements and Inspections, pp. 681-721
19. FOIA, pp. 722-792 (see extra material on website)
20. Judicial Review (*Chevron*), pp. 793-845
21. Substantial Evidence Review pp. 846-882
22. Availability & Timing of Review, pp. 894-1024
23. Standing, pp. 1025-1126
24. Damage Actions Against the Government, pp. 1127-1222