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 Title Chapter Section Paragraph
 Subtitle Regulation Subsection Subparagraph

A regulation may be divided into lettered sections, a section divided into numbered subsections, a subsection divided into lettered paragraphs, and a paragraph divided into numbered subparagraphs.

Cumulative Table of COMAR Regulations Adopted, Amended, or Repealed

This table, previously printed in the Maryland Register lists the regulations, by COMAR title, that have been adopted, amended, or repealed in the Maryland Register since the regulations were originally published or last supplemented in the Code of Maryland Regulations (COMAR). The table is no longer printed here but may be found on the Division of State Documents website at www.dsd.state.md.us.

Table of Pending Proposals

The table below lists proposed changes to COMAR regulations. The proposed changes are listed by their COMAR number, followed by a citation to that issue of the Maryland Register in which the proposal appeared. Errata pertaining to proposed regulations are listed, followed by "(err)". Regulations referencing a document incorporated by reference are followed by "(ibr)". None of the proposals listed in this table have been adopted. A list of adopted proposals appears in the Cumulative Table of COMAR Regulations Adopted, Amended, or Repealed.

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- SB1029** Sens Hershey and Eckardt. Rural Public Institutions of Higher Education - Nurse Practitioner and Physician Assistant Students - Recruitment.
- SB1030** The Pres (Kirwan Commission), et al. The Blueprint for Maryland’s Future.
- SB1031** Sen Peters. Environment - Maryland Oil Disaster Containment, Clean-Up and Contingency Fund and Oil Contaminated Site Environmental Cleanup Fund - Funding, Reallocation, and Reimbursements.
- SB1032** Sen Nathan-Pulliam. Morgan State University - Task Force on Reconciliation and Equity - Extension.
- SB1033** Sen Klausmeier. Highways - Bridge Realignments - Sound Barriers.
- SB1034** Sen Klausmeier (By Request). Civil Actions - Family Caregiver Reimbursement.
- SB1035** Sen Klausmeier. Medical Laboratories - Use or Sale of Data for Research Study and Advertising or Solicitation of Business.
- SB1036** Sen Hershey, et al. Environment - Conowingo Dam - Water Quality Certification.
- SB1037** Sen Carter. Maryland Police Training and Standards Commission - Uniform Citizen Complaint Process (Anton’s Law).
- SB1038** Sen Salling. State Highway Administration - Overweight Vehicle Permits.
- SB1039** Sen Reilly. Maryland Medical Assistance Program and Managed Care Organizations That Use Pharmacy Benefits Managers - Reimbursement Requirements.
- SB1040** Chr B&T, et al. Budget Reconciliation and Financing Act of 2019.
- SB1041** Sen Nathan-Pulliam. Public Health - Care of Medically Fragile Individuals (Channing’s Law).
- SB1042** Sens Ready and Salling. Family Law - Removal of Child From United States - Injunction.
- SB1043** Sen Hough. Children in Need of Assistance - Qualified Residential Treatment Programs (Family First Prevention Services Act).
- SB1044** Sens Carter and Hayes. Labor and Employment - Motor Vehicle Repair and Career Certification Program for Ex-Offenders.
- SB1045** Sen Kelley (Dept). Maryland Health Insurance Plan Fund - Use of Remaining Balance.

SB1046 Sen Nathan-Pulliam, et al. Office of Personnel Services and Benefits - Study of Diversity of Employees in State Agencies.

SB1047 Sens Lam and Guzzone. Public Service Commission - Recapture and Redirection of Funds.

SB1048 Sen Waldstreicher. Real Property – Recorded Covenants – Substantially Changed Circumstances.

[19-07-22]

The Judiciary

COURT OF APPEALS OF MARYLAND

DISCIPLINARY PROCEEDINGS

This is to certify that by an Opinion & Order of the Court of Appeals dated March 6, 2019, **MELINDA MALDONADO**, 2633 Barton Hills Drive, Austin, Texas 78704, a non-admitted attorney, is excluded under Maryland Rule 19-742(g) from exercising the privilege of practicing law in this State.

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This is to certify that by an Order of the Court of Appeals dated March 11, 2019, **TONI S. L. HOLCOMB**, 804 Cougar Pointe Circle, Seven Valleys, Pennsylvania 17360, has been disbarred by consent, effective immediately, from the further practice of law in this State, and her name as an attorney at law has been stricken from the register of attorneys in this Court (Maryland Rule 19-761).

[19-07-20]

Final Action on Regulations

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Title 09

DEPARTMENT OF LABOR, LICENSING, AND REGULATION

Subtitle 08 HOME IMPROVEMENT COMMISSION

09.08.01 General Regulations

Authority: Business Regulation Article, §§8-207(a), 8-212(a)(1) and (2), 8-309, 8-311(a)(11)–(13), and 8-616, Annotated Code of Maryland

Notice of Final Action

[18-319-F]

On February 7, 2019, the Home Improvement Commission adopted new Regulation .27 under **COMAR 09.08.01 General Regulations**. This action, which was proposed for adoption in 45:24 Md. R. 1167—1168 (November 26, 2018), has been adopted as proposed.

Effective Date: April 8, 2019.

JOSEPH TUNNEY
Chairman
Home Improvement Commission

Subtitle 23 BOARD FOR PROFESSIONAL ENGINEERS

09.23.01 Procedural Regulations

Authority: Business Occupations and Professions Article, §§14-205 and 14-208, Annotated Code of Maryland

Notice of Final Action

[19-002-F]

On March 5, 2019, the Board for Professional Engineers adopted amendments to Regulation .04 under **COMAR 09.23.01 Procedural Regulations**. This action, which was proposed for adoption in 46:2 Md. R. 56—57 (January 18, 2019), has been adopted as proposed.

Effective Date: April 8, 2019.

DR. STEVEN ARNDT, P.E.
Chairman
Board for Professional Engineers

Title 13A

STATE BOARD OF EDUCATION

Subtitle 12 CERTIFICATION

13A.12.04 Administrators and Supervisors

Authority: Education Article, §§2-205, 2-303(g), and 6-701—6-705, Annotated Code of Maryland

Notice of Final Action

[18-336-F]

On March 7, 2019, the Professional Standards and Teacher Education Board adopted the repeal of existing Regulation .03 and new Regulation .03 under **COMAR 13A.12.04 Administrators and Supervisors**. This action, which was proposed for adoption in 45:26 Md. R. 1270—1271 (December 21, 2018), has been adopted as proposed.

Effective Date: April 8, 2019.

KAREN B. SALMON, Ph.D.
State Superintendent of Schools

Title 14

INDEPENDENT AGENCIES

Subtitle 09 WORKERS' COMPENSATION COMMISSION

Notice of Final Action

[19-025-F]

On March 14, 2019, the Workers' Compensation Commission adopted amendments to:

- (1) Regulation .04 under **COMAR 14.09.02 Requirements for Filing and Amending Claims**;
- (2) Regulation .02 under **COMAR 14.09.03 Hearing Procedures**;
- (3) Regulation .03 under **COMAR 14.09.04 Legal Representation and Fees**; and
- (4) The chapter heading **COMAR 14.09.07 Vocational Rehabilitation**.

This action, which was proposed for adoption in 46:2 Md. R. 79—80 (January 18, 2019), has been adopted as proposed.

Effective Date: April 8, 2019.

R. KARL AUMANN
Chairman
Workers' Compensation Commission

Title 26
DEPARTMENT OF THE
ENVIRONMENT

Subtitle 03 WATER SUPPLY,
SEWERAGE, SOLID WASTE, AND
POLLUTION CONTROL PLANNING
AND FUNDING

26.03.13 Bay Restoration Fund Implementation

Authority: Environment Article, §9-1605.2, Annotated Code of Maryland

Notice of Final Action

[19-039-F]

On March 19, 2019, the Secretary of the Environment adopted amendments to Regulation .04 under **COMAR 26.03.13 Bay Restoration Fund Implementation**. This action, which was proposed for adoption in 46:3 Md. R. 153 (February 1, 2019), has been adopted as proposed.

Effective Date: April 8, 2019.

BENJAMIN H. GRUMBLES
Secretary of the Environment

Subtitle 04 REGULATION OF WATER
SUPPLY, SEWAGE DISPOSAL, AND
SOLID WASTE

26.04.02 Sewage Disposal and Certain Water
Systems for Homes and Other Establishments
in the Counties of Maryland Where a Public
Sewage System Is Not Available

Authority: Environment Article, §§9-216, 9-217, 9-223, 9-252, 9-319, 9-510, 9-1108, 10-103, 10-301, and 10-304, Annotated Code of Maryland

Notice of Final Action

[19-041-F]

On March 19, 2019, the Secretary of the Environment adopted amendments to Regulations .01 and .05 under **COMAR 26.04.02 Sewage Disposal and Certain Water Systems for Homes and Other Establishments in the Counties of Maryland Where a Public Sewage System Is Not Available**. This action, which was proposed for adoption in 46:3 Md. R. 154—155 (February 1, 2019), has been adopted as proposed.

Effective Date: April 8, 2019.

BENJAMIN H. GRUMBLES
Secretary of the Environment

Proposed Action on Regulations

For information concerning citizen participation in the regulation-making process, see inside front cover.

Symbol Key

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Promulgation of Regulations

An agency wishing to adopt, amend, or repeal regulations must first publish in the Maryland Register a notice of proposed action, a statement of purpose, a comparison to federal standards, an estimate of economic impact, an economic impact on small businesses, a notice giving the public an opportunity to comment on the proposal, and the text of the proposed regulations. The opportunity for public comment must be held open for at least 30 days after the proposal is published in the Maryland Register.

Following publication of the proposal in the Maryland Register, 45 days must pass before the agency may take final action on the proposal. When final action is taken, the agency must publish a notice in the Maryland Register. Final action takes effect 10 days after the notice is published, unless the agency specifies a later date. An agency may make changes in the text of a proposal. If the changes are not substantive, these changes are included in the notice of final action and published in the Maryland Register. If the changes are substantive, the agency must repropose the regulations, showing the changes that were made to the originally proposed text.

Proposed action on regulations may be withdrawn by the proposing agency any time before final action is taken. When an agency proposes action on regulations, but does not take final action within 1 year, the proposal is automatically withdrawn by operation of law, and a notice of withdrawal is published in the Maryland Register.

Title 09

DEPARTMENT OF LABOR, LICENSING, AND REGULATION

Subtitle 20 BOARD OF PLUMBING

09.20.02 Enforcement of the Plumbing Law by the Board

Authority: Business Occupations and Professions Article, §§12-207(a), 12-302(d), (e), (g)(2), and (h)(3), and 12-304(d)(1), Annotated Code of Maryland

Notice of Proposed Action

[19-066-P]

The Board of Plumbing proposes to amend Regulations **.03** and **.05** and adopt new Regulation **.11** under **COMAR 09.20.02 Enforcement of the Plumbing Law by the Board**. This action was considered at a public meeting of the Board held on November 15, 2018, notice of which was provided by posting on the Board of Plumbing's website pursuant to General Provisions Article, §3-305(c)(3)(ii), Annotated Code of Maryland.

Statement of Purpose

The purpose of this action is to decrease the score required to pass a license examination to obtain a journey or master plumber/gasfitter license from 75 to 70 and to establish a uniform passing examination score required for a license or certificate issued by the Board of Plumbing.

Comparison to Federal Standards

There is no corresponding federal standard to this proposed action.

Estimate of Economic Impact

The proposed action has no economic impact.

Economic Impact on Small Businesses

The proposed action has minimal or no economic impact on small businesses.

Impact on Individuals with Disabilities

The proposed action has no impact on individuals with disabilities.

Opportunity for Public Comment

Comments may be sent to Robin Bailey, Executive Director, Mechanical Boards, Department of Labor, Licensing, and Regulations, 500 N. Calvert Street, 4th Floor, Baltimore, MD 21202, or call 410-230-6130, or email to robin.bailey@maryland.gov, or fax to 410-244-0977. Comments will be accepted through April 29, 2019. A public hearing has not been scheduled.

Open Meeting

Final action on the proposal will be considered by Board of Plumbing during a public meeting to be held on April 18, 2019, at the Department of Labor, Licensing, and Regulation, 500 North Calvert Street, 3rd Floor, Baltimore, MD 21202.

.03 Examination for Journey Plumber Certificates.

A. (text unchanged)

B. Examinations.

(1)—(2) (text unchanged)

(3) An applicant shall attain a passing grade of [75] 70 to qualify for licensure as a journey plumber.

C. (text unchanged)

.05 Passing Grade Required for a Master's License.

An applicant shall attain a passing grade of [75] 70 to qualify for a license as a master plumber.

.11 Passing Grade for License and Certificate Examinations.

In accordance with Business Occupations and Professions Article, §12-304(d)(1), Annotated Code of Maryland, and as set forth in Regulations .03B(3) and .05 of this chapter, an applicant for any license or certificate issued by the Board shall attain a passing score of 70 to qualify for the license or certificate.

MICHAEL J. KASTNER, JR.

Chairman

Board of Plumbing

**Subtitle 22 BOARD OF
COSMETOLOGISTS**

09.22.01 General Regulations

Authority: Business Occupations and Professions Article, Title 5, Annotated Code of Maryland

Notice of Proposed Action

[19-065-P]

The Board of Cosmetologists proposes to amend Regulation .11 under **COMAR 09.22.01 General Regulations**. This action was considered at a public meeting of the Board held on February 4, 2019, notice of which was provided by posting on the Board of Cosmetologists' website pursuant to General Provision Article, §3-302(c)(3)(ii), Annotated Code of Maryland.

Statement of Purpose

The purpose of this action is to allow Board-approved interpreters to accompany applicants and assist in the theory portion of the Board examination.

Comparison to Federal Standards

There is no corresponding federal standard to this proposed action.

Estimate of Economic Impact

The proposed action has no economic impact.

Economic Impact on Small Businesses

The proposed action has minimal or no economic impact on small businesses.

Impact on Individuals with Disabilities

The proposed action has no impact on individuals with disabilities.

Opportunity for Public Comment

Comments may be sent to Erica Lewis, Executive Director, Board of Cosmetologists, Department of Labor, Licensing, and Regulation, 500 N. Calvert Street, Baltimore, MD 21202, or call 410-230-6193, or email to erica.lewis@maryland.gov, or fax to 410-333-6314. Comments will be accepted through April 29, 2019. A public hearing has not been scheduled.

Open Meeting

Final action on the proposal will be considered by the Board of Cosmetologists during a public meeting to be held on May 6, 2019 at 10 a.m., at the Department of Labor, Licensing, and Regulation, 500 North Calvert Street, 3rd Floor Conference Room, Baltimore, Maryland 21202.

.11 Examinations.

A.—D. (text unchanged)

E. Interpreters—Foreign Language Dictionaries.

(1) [Except as provided in §E(3) of this regulation, an applicant may not use an interpreter to translate during an examination] *The Board may permit a Board-approved interpreter to accompany an applicant and assist in the theory portion of the examination.*

(2)—(3) (text unchanged).

F.—M. (text unchanged)

CHARLES RISER
Chairman
Board of Cosmetologists

**Title 13A
STATE BOARD OF
EDUCATION**

Notice of Proposed Action

[19-063-P]

The Maryland State Board of Education proposes to:

(1) Adopt new Regulations .01—.05 under a new chapter, **COMAR 13A.01.06 Educational Equity**; and

(2) Repeal Regulations .01—.08 under **COMAR 13A.04.05 Education That Is Multicultural**.

This action was considered at the December 4, 2018, meeting of the State Board of Education.

Statement of Purpose

The purpose of this action is to establish educational equity as a priority for the Maryland State Department of Education and all local school systems.

Comparison to Federal Standards

There is no corresponding federal standard to this proposed action.

Estimate of Economic Impact

The proposed action has no economic impact.

Economic Impact on Small Businesses

The proposed action has minimal or no economic impact on small businesses.

Impact on Individuals with Disabilities

The proposed action has an impact on individuals with disabilities as follows:

The proposed action requires that school systems provide educational equity for all students and maintain environments that are equitable, diverse, and inclusive.

Opportunity for Public Comment

Comments may be sent to Susan C. Spinnato, Director of Instructional Programs, Improvement and Professional Learning, Maryland State Department of Education, 200 West Baltimore Street, Baltimore, MD 21201, or call 410-767-0349 (TTY 410-333-6442), or email to susan.spinnato@maryland.gov. Comments will be accepted through April 29, 2019. A public hearing has not been scheduled.

Open Meeting

Final action on the proposal will be considered by the State Board of Education during a public meeting to be held on May 21, 2019, at 9 a.m., at 200 West Baltimore Street, Baltimore, MD 21201.

**Subtitle 01 STATE SCHOOL
ADMINISTRATION**

13A.01.06 Educational Equity

Authority: Education Article, §2-205(c) and (h), Annotated Code of Maryland

.01 Purpose.

The purpose of this chapter is to establish as a matter of policy and priority that:

A. *Each Maryland public school will provide every student equitable access to the educational rigor, resources, and supports that are designed to maximize the student's academic success and social/emotional well-being;*

B. *Each local school system's procedures and practices provide for educational equity and ensure that there are no obstacles to accessing educational opportunities for any student; and*

C. Achievement will improve for all Maryland students and achievement gaps will be eliminated.

.02 Scope.

This chapter applies to all local school systems, the Maryland State Department of Education, and public agencies that provide educational services to all children birth—12th grade, including licensed childcare facilities and programs.

.03 Definitions.

A. In this chapter, the following terms have the meanings indicated.

B. Terms Defined.

(1) “Accountability measures” means those Maryland accountability framework indicators in place to guarantee oversight of opportunities, resources, and educational rigor that will lead to achievement for all students.

(2) “Educational equity” means that every student has access to the opportunities, resources, and educational rigor they need throughout their educational career to maximize academic success and social/emotional well-being and to view each student’s individual characteristics as valuable.

(3) “Educational opportunities” means all students have access to rigorous, well-rounded academic programs and experiences that enrich their educational career.

(4) “Equity lens” means that for any program, practice, decision, or action, the impact on all students is addressed, with strategic focus on marginalized student groups.

(5) “Individual characteristics” means the characteristics of each individual student which include but are not limited to:

- (a) Ability (cognitive, social/emotional, and physical);
- (b) Ethnicity;
- (c) Family structure;
- (d) Gender identity and expression;
- (e) Language;
- (f) Race;
- (g) Religion;
- (h) Sexual orientation; and
- (i) Socio-economics.

.04 Requirements—Educational Equity in Maryland.

A. The Maryland State Department of Education shall establish systems of structure and support for school systems, students, teachers, and other stakeholders that ensure educational equity and excellence.

B. Each local school system shall develop an educational equity policy and regulations, to be reviewed every 3 years, with the goal of providing educational equity to all students.

C. The policy and regulations shall:

(1) Be designed to create and maintain environments that are equitable, safe, diverse, and inclusive;

(2) Be based on the goal of providing educational equity for all students;

(3) Direct the identification and utilization of resources to provide equitable access to educational opportunities and services, by among other steps, the use of disaggregated student data to analyze trends and identify gaps and equitable solutions;

(4) Identify partnerships with the Maryland State Department of Education, local government agencies, and stakeholders to support educational equity;

(5) Provide tailored and differentiated professional learning to build capacity for cultural responsiveness to address areas of inequity identified by the school system;

(6) Ensure equitable access to effective teachers for all students;

(7) Require that an equity lens be used in reviews of staff, including administrators, teacher and instructional leader candidates, curriculum, pedagogy, professional learning, instructional materials, and assessment design;

(8) Provide the access and opportunity for all students to successfully read on level by the end of grade 2;

(9) Direct that equity be addressed in the Local Every Student Succeeds Act (ESSA) Consolidated Strategic Plan;

(10) Identify the school system’s process for analyzing data to develop goals, objectives, strategies, and timelines for the implementation of equitable and culturally competent practices in each school;

(11) Identify the method of evaluation to measure the effect of equitable practices in the school system and schools; and

(12) Designate an individual responsible for the facilitation, monitoring, and implementation of the system equity initiatives within the Local ESSA Consolidated Strategic Plan.

.05 Monitoring and Reporting.

A. Each local school system shall:

(1) Address implementation of the equity policy through its Local ESSA Consolidated Strategic Plan;

(2) Beginning September 1, 2019, include its equity initiatives as an integrated component of its Local ESSA Consolidated Strategic Plan; and

(3) Beginning September 1, 2020, and every 3 years thereafter, in its Local ESSA Consolidated Strategic Plan, submit to the State Superintendent an analysis of the results of the accountability measures related to data collected on achieving equity goals and objectives.

B. The Maryland State Department of Education shall:

(1) Conduct needs assessments for the Department and local school systems;

(2) Convene the Network for Equity and Excellence in Education with representation from each local school system to review Statewide progress and to develop implementation and peer review guidelines for this chapter;

(3) Develop a guide for implementation of equity initiatives at the local level which includes sample components of high-quality equity policies, guidance around how to apply an equity lens within priority K—12 focus areas, and strategies on how to measure and evaluate the application of an equity lens; and

(4) Review and assess progress of the Department and local school systems on implementing the requirements of this chapter.

C. Beginning December 1, 2020, and every 3 years thereafter, the State Superintendent shall report progress on the implementation of this chapter to the State Board.

D. Beginning in 2020 and annually thereafter, the State Board of Education and the Superintendent will recognize schools, school staff, and local school systems, which demonstrate the most significant advances in promoting equity and excellence.

KAREN B. SALMON, Ph.D.
State Superintendent of Schools

Subtitle 06 SUPPORTING PROGRAMS

13A.06.05 Purchase and Use of Accessible Teaching and Learning Materials

Authority: Education Article, §§2-205, 7-910, and 8-408, Annotated Code of Maryland; 34 CFR §§300.210 and 300.172(e)(1)(i)

Notice of Proposed Action

[19-059-P]

The Maryland State Board of Education proposes to repeal existing Regulation .01 under COMAR 13A.06.05 School Supplies and Equipment and adopt new Regulations .01—.06 under a new chapter, COMAR 13A.06.05 Purchase and Use of Accessible Teaching and Learning Materials. This action was considered at the January 22, 2019, meeting of the State Board of Education.

Statement of Purpose

The purpose of this action is to address the transformation that has occurred over the last 10 years in teaching and learning that includes digital formats of textbooks, resources, and equipment.

Comparison to Federal Standards

There is a corresponding federal standard to this proposed action, but the proposed action is not more restrictive or stringent.

Estimate of Economic Impact

The proposed action has no economic impact.

Economic Impact on Small Businesses

The proposed action has minimal or no economic impact on small businesses.

Impact on Individuals with Disabilities

The proposed action has an impact on individuals with disabilities as follows:

All school systems are required to develop policies and procedures for the purchase and acquisition of accessible textbooks and supplemental digital curricular resources.

Opportunity for Public Comment

Comments may be sent to Valerie Emrich, Director of Instructional Technology, Maryland State Department of Education, 200 West Baltimore Street, Baltimore, MD 21201, or call 410-767-0382 (TTY 410-333-6442), or email to valerie.emrich@maryland.gov. Comments will be accepted through April 29, 2019. A public hearing has not been scheduled.

Open Meeting

Final action on the proposal will be considered by the State Board of Education during a public meeting to be held on May 21, 2019, at 9 a.m., at 200 West Baltimore Street, Baltimore, MD 21201.

.01 Purpose.

The purpose of this chapter is to direct school systems to develop policies and procedures for the purchase and acquisition of accessible textbooks and supplemental curricular resources, in print and digital formats, that support teaching and learning in and out of the classroom.

.02 Incorporation by Reference.

The document entitled *Web Content Accessibility Guidelines (WCAG) 2.0 Level AA (December 2008)*, which has been incorporated by reference in COMAR 13A.04.15.03, is also incorporated by reference in this chapter.

.03 Definitions.

A. In this chapter, the following terms have the meanings indicated.

B. Terms Defined.

(1) “Accessible educational materials (AEM)” means print- and technology-based educational materials, including printed and electronic textbooks and related core materials that are designed or converted in a way that makes them usable across the widest range of individual variability regardless of format (print, digital, audio, video, etc.).

(2) “Accessible technology” means any device, hardware, software, or handheld equipment that provides access to activities for everyone, including those with disabilities, and is designed to provide all individuals the opportunity to acquire the same information, engage in the same interactions, and enjoy the same services with equivalent ease of use.

(3) “Digital device” means an electronic device that uses discrete, numerable data and processes for all its operations.

(4) “Digital learning” means any instructional practice that uses technology to support the student and/or educator learning experience.

(5) “Digital learning resources” means digital materials and technologies that support teaching and learning.

(6) “eTextbook or e-book” means a book made available in a digital format for display on a digital device.

(7) “National Instructional Materials Access Center (NIMAC)” means a service that provides a national repository of source files for accessible media production of textbooks and related print core materials for use by eligible PreK—12 students.

(8) Open Educational Resources (OERs).

(a) “Open educational resources (OERs)” means free and openly licensed digital educational materials that can be used for teaching, learning, research, and other purposes and are used and modified based on open licensing.

(b) “Open educational resources (OERs)” includes full courses, course materials, modules, textbooks, streaming videos, tests, software, and any other tools, materials, or techniques used to support access to knowledge.

(9) Public Agency

(a) “Public agency” means an institution that provides educational services to students with disabilities from 3 to 21 years old and in accordance with the student IEP.

(b) “Public agency” includes the Maryland State Department of Education, local school systems, the SEED School, the Department of Health, the Department of Juvenile Services, the Maryland School for the Blind, the Maryland School for the Deaf, and the Department of Labor, Licensing, and Regulation.

(10) “Textbook” means a book available in print or digital format or a compilation of digital instructional resources that support content standards and curriculum.

(11) “Web Content Accessibility Guidelines (WCAG) 2.0 Level AA” means a single shared standard for web content accessibility that meets the needs of individuals, organizations, and governments internationally.

.04 Requirements.

A. Each local board of education shall prepare policies and procedures related to:

(1) The selection, acquisition, equitable distribution, and sustainability of available, quality-assured digital formats of textbooks (i.e., eTextbooks, e-books, or a compilation of OERs), digital devices, and digital learning resources for all students;

(2) The selection and availability of equitable Accessible Educational Materials (AEM) to meet the needs of all students; and

(3) The privacy and acceptable use of digital devices and resources.

B. Each local board of education shall notify all students’ parents and guardians of these policies and procedures.

.05 Accessibility of Print Materials.

A. When acquiring print materials, each local board of education and public agency may coordinate with the National Instructional Materials Access Center (NIMAC) when acquiring print or textbook-related supplemental resources for students who meet the NIMAC eligibility criteria.

B. Each local board of education and public agency shall provide equitable access to print instructional materials in a timely manner to students with disabilities who do not meet the NIMAC eligibility criteria.

C. If a local board of education or public agency chooses not to coordinate with the NIMAC, the local board of education or public agency shall provide an assurance to the Department that purchases meet standards set in 34 CFR §300.172.

.06 Accessibility of Digital Learning Resources.

Each local board of education and public agency shall comply with WCAG 2.0 Level AA when purchasing or selecting digital learning resources to provide equitable learning opportunities for all students.

KAREN B. SALMON, Ph.D.
State Superintendent of Schools

Subtitle 12 CERTIFICATION

13A.12.02 Teachers

Authority: Education Article, §§2-205, 2-303(g), 6-701—6-705, [and] 8-3A-03, and 8-303, Annotated Code of Maryland

Notice of Proposed Action

[19-062-P]

The Maryland State Board of Education proposes to amend Regulation .23 under **COMAR 13A.12.02 Teachers**. This action was considered at the January 22, 2019, meeting of the State Board of Education.

Statement of Purpose

The purpose of this action is to remove the current language requiring a teacher certified in Blind/Visually Impaired to present a qualifying score on an approved test of braille competency at the time of the first certificate renewal to align the test submission with all other teaching areas by requiring it at the time of application.

Comparison to Federal Standards

There is no corresponding federal standard to this proposed action.

Estimate of Economic Impact

The proposed action has no economic impact.

Economic Impact on Small Businesses

The proposed action has minimal or no economic impact on small businesses.

Impact on Individuals with Disabilities

The proposed action has an impact on individuals with disabilities as follows:

Given that those teachers of the visually impaired will have to pass an assessment showing Braille competency prior to being issued a certificate, schools may have a more difficult time recruiting for these positions. However, those students with visual impairments will have an increased chance of having a teacher who is better able to provide Braille instruction.

Opportunity for Public Comment

Comments may be sent to Sarah Spross, M.Ed., Assistant State Superintendent, Division of Educator Certification and Program Approval, Maryland State Department of Education, 200 West Baltimore Street, Baltimore, MD 21201, or call 410-767-0385 (TTY 410-333-6442), or email to sarah.spross@maryland.gov, or fax to 410-333-8963. Comments will be accepted through April 29, 2019. A public hearing has not been scheduled.

Open Meeting

Final action on the proposal will be considered by the State Board of Education during a public meeting to be held on May 21, 2019, at 9 a.m., at 200 West Baltimore Street, Baltimore, MD 21201.

.23 Blind/Visually Impaired.

A.—C. (text unchanged)

D. Renewal.

(1) A teacher certified for teaching blind/visually impaired students shall present a qualifying score on a Department approved test of Braille competency before the expiration of the initial professional certificate and 6 semester hours of course work from an IHE or in Department-approved Continuing Professional Development credits or Continuing Education Units (CEUs).

(2) For continued renewal, a] A teacher certified or teaching blind/visually impaired students shall submit 6 semester hours of course work from an IHE or Department-approved Continuing Professional Development credits or Continuing Education Units (CEUs) which must include maintenance of knowledge of Braille code.

KAREN B. SALMON, Ph.D.
State Superintendent of Schools

Title 14

INDEPENDENT AGENCIES

**Subtitle 22 COMMISSION ON
CRIMINAL SENTENCING POLICY**

14.22.01 General Regulations

Authority: Criminal Procedure Article, §6-211, Annotated Code of Maryland

Notice of Proposed Action

[19-064-P]

The Maryland State Commission on Criminal Sentencing Policy proposes to amend Regulations .02 and .07 under **COMAR 14.22.01 General Regulations**. This action was considered at public meetings held on September 17, 2018, and December 11, 2018, notice of which were provided in the Maryland Register.

Statement of Purpose

The purpose of this action is to indicate modifications to the definition of corrections options in Regulation .02, the definition of a guidelines offense in Regulation .02, and the case information collected on the sentencing guidelines worksheet in Regulation .07 under COMAR 14.22.01 General Regulations. These modifications expand the definition of corrections options to include all problem-solving courts, work release, weekend or other discontinuous incarceration, and programs established by the Department of Public Safety and Correctional Services (DPSCS) and/or local correctional agencies, if the program meets the Commission's criteria. The modifications also clarify that cases adjudicated in a juvenile court are excluded from guidelines coverage. Finally, the modifications

separate “reconsideration” and “review” from the other disposition types on the sentencing guidelines worksheet, thereby permitting individuals completing the worksheet to indicate both how the case was disposed (plea or trial) as well as whether or not the sentencing was a reconsideration or review.

Comparison to Federal Standards

There is no corresponding federal standard to this proposed action.

Estimate of Economic Impact

The proposed action has no economic impact.

Economic Impact on Small Businesses

The proposed action has minimal or no economic impact on small businesses.

Impact on Individuals with Disabilities

The proposed action has no impact on individuals with disabilities.

Opportunity for Public Comment

Comments may be sent to David Soule, Executive Director, Maryland State Commission on Criminal Sentencing Policy, 4511 Knox Road, Suite 309, College Park, MD 20742, or call 301-403-4165, or email to dsoule@umd.edu, or fax to 301-403-4164. Comments will be accepted through April 29, 2019. A public hearing has not been scheduled.

.02 Definitions.

A. (text unchanged)

B. Terms Defined.

(1)—(3) (text unchanged)

(4) Corrections Options.

(a) “Corrections options” means:

(i) (text unchanged)

(ii) A corrections options program established under law which requires the individual to participate in home detention, inpatient/residential treatment, or other similar programs involving terms and conditions that constitute the equivalent of confinement;

(iii) (text unchanged)

(iv) Participation in a *problem-solving court*, including a drug court [or HIDTA substance abuse treatment program], *mental health court*, *family/dependency court*, *veterans court*, or other *problem-solving court* as defined by the *Administrative Office of the Courts’ Office of Problem Solving Courts*; [or]

(v) A sentence, with required substance abuse treatment, for the possession, administration, obtainment, etc., of controlled dangerous substances (CDS) currently outlined in Criminal Law Article, §5-601(c), Annotated Code of Maryland, and pursuant to Criminal Law Article, §5-601(e)(3), Annotated Code of Maryland[.];

(vi) *Work release*; or

(vii) *Weekend (or other discontinuous) incarceration*.

(b) “Corrections options” includes programs established by the [State Division of Correction] *Department of Public Safety and Correctional Services (DPSCS) and/or local correctional agencies*, if the program meets the Commission’s criteria, as described in §B(4)(a) of this regulation.

(5)—(6-2) (text unchanged)

(7) Guidelines Offense.

(a)—(b) (text unchanged)

(c) “Guidelines offense” does not include the following types of cases:

(i)—(iv) (text unchanged)

(v) Sentencing hearings in response to a violation of probation; [and]

(vi) Criminal nonsupport and criminal contempt[.]; and

(vii) *Cases adjudicated in a juvenile court*.

(8)—(22) (text unchanged)

.07 Case Information.

A. The top section of the sentencing guidelines worksheet contains:

(1)—(6) (text unchanged)

(7) Disposition type, *reconsideration/review*, and representation;

(8)—(9) (text unchanged)

(10) The case or docket number; and

[(11) A separate field for “unidentifiable race”; and]

[(12)] (11) (text unchanged)

B.—G. (text unchanged)

H. Disposition Type.

(1) (text unchanged)

(2) The individual completing the worksheet shall indicate on the worksheet whether the disposition resulted from:

(a)—(c) (text unchanged)

(d) A court trial; or

(e) A trial by jury; or]

[(f) Reconsidered sentences and reviewed sentences.]

(3) (text unchanged)

I. Reconsideration or Review. The individual completing the worksheet shall indicate on the worksheet whether the sentence was a reconsideration for a crime of violence, as defined in Criminal Law Article, §14-101, Annotated Code of Maryland, a three-judge panel review, or neither.

[I.] *J. Representation. In the box labeled “Representation”, the individual completing the worksheet shall [mark the numbered circle that corresponds to] indicate the type of legal representation the defendant received in the case.*

[J.] *K.—[O.] P. (text unchanged)*

DAVID SOULE
Executive Director

Subtitle 37 OFFICE OF THE PUBLIC ACCESS OMBUDSMAN

Notice of Proposed Action

[19-067-P]

The Public Access Ombudsman proposes to adopt, under a new subtitle, **Subtitle 37 Office of the Public Access Ombudsman**:

(1) New Regulations .01 and .02 under a new chapter, **COMAR 14.37.01 General Provisions**;

14.37.01 General Provisions;

(2) New Regulations .01—06 under a new chapter, **COMAR 14.37.02 Process**;

14.37.02 Process;

(3) New Regulations .01 and .02 under a new chapter, **COMAR 14.37.03 Confidentiality of Mediation Information**;

14.37.03 Confidentiality of Mediation Information;

(4) New Regulations .01 and .02 under a new chapter, **COMAR 14.37.04 Disputed Public Records**; and

14.37.04 Disputed Public Records; and

(5) New Regulations .01 and .02 under a new chapter, **COMAR 14.37.05 Advisory Opinions**.

14.37.05 Advisory Opinions.

Statement of Purpose

The purpose of this action is to codify in interpretive regulations the policies and procedures of the Office of the Public Access Ombudsman established in General Provisions Article, §§4-1B-01 — 4-1B-04, Annotated Code of Maryland.

Comparison to Federal Standards

There is no corresponding federal standard to this proposed action.

Estimate of Economic Impact

The proposed action has no economic impact.

Economic Impact on Small Businesses

The proposed action has minimal or no economic impact on small businesses.

Impact on Individuals with Disabilities

The proposed action has no impact on individuals with disabilities.

Opportunity for Public Comment

Comments may be sent to Janice Clark, Administrative Officer, Office of the Public Access Ombudsman, 200 St. Paul Place, 25th Floor, Baltimore, MD 21202, or call 410-576-7033, or email to pia.ombuds@oag.state.md.us, or fax to 410-576-7004. Comments will be accepted through April 29, 2019. A public hearing has not been scheduled.

14.37.01 General Provisions

Authority: General Provisions Article, §§4-1B-01 — 4-1B-04, Annotated Code of Maryland

.01 Definitions.

A. In this subtitle, the following terms have the meanings indicated.

B. Terms Defined.

(1) “Act” means the Public Information Act, General Provisions Article, Title 4, Annotated Code of Maryland.

(2) “Advisory opinion” means a nonbinding opinion that advises on the interpretation of the Act and the application of the Act to specific facts.

(3) “Applicant” has the meaning stated in General Provisions Article, §4-101(b), Annotated Code of Maryland.

(4) “Custodian” has the meaning stated in General Provisions Article, §4-101(d), Annotated Code of Maryland.

(5) “Dispute” means a point of contention between an applicant and a custodian arising from a request for public records under the Act, including those matters stated in General Provisions Article, §4-1B-04(a), Annotated Code of Maryland.

(6) “Exemption” means a denial of inspection of a public record or part of a public record pursuant to General Provisions Article, Title 4, Subtitle 3, Annotated Code of Maryland.

(7) “Identifying information” means any information that identifies a party or other person.

(8) “Mediation” has the meaning stated in Courts and Judicial Proceedings Article, §3-1801(b), Annotated Code of Maryland.

(9) “Mediation communication” has the meaning stated in Courts and Judicial Proceedings Article, §3-1801(c), Annotated Code of Maryland.

(10) “Mediation Confidentiality Act” means the Maryland Mediation Confidentiality Act, Courts and Judicial Proceedings Article, Title 3, Subtitle 18, Annotated Code of Maryland.

(11) “Mediation information” means all information made and received as part of the Ombudsman’s mediation process and the decision to participate in mediation, including documentary materials and mediation communications.

(12) “Mediator” has the meaning stated in Courts and Judicial Proceedings Article, §3-1801(d), Annotated Code of Maryland.

(13) “Office” means the Office of the Public Access Ombudsman.

(14) “Ombudsman” means the person appointed to the position of the Public Access Ombudsman pursuant to General Provisions Article, §4-1B-03, Annotated Code of Maryland.

(15) “Party” means a participant or potential participant in the Ombudsman’s mediation process, including an applicant and a custodian.

(16) “Public record” has the meaning stated in General Provisions Article, §4-101(j), Annotated Code of Maryland.

(17) “Standards of Conduct for Mediators” means the Maryland Standards of Conduct for Mediators, Arbitrators and Other ADR Practitioners adopted by the Maryland Judiciary’s Mediation and Conflict Resolution Office.

.02 Objective.

The objective of the Office of the Public Access Ombudsman is to make reasonable attempts, including mediation, to resolve disputes between applicants and custodians relating to requests for public records under the Act.

14.37.02 Process

Authority: General Provisions Article, §§4-1B-01 — 4-1B-04, Annotated Code of Maryland

.01 Requesting Assistance.

A party may request the Office’s assistance in resolving a dispute by contacting the Office via telephone, mail, email, or website submission.

.02 Documents Required.

A. A party requesting assistance from the Office shall, if possible, provide the Office with:

(1) A copy of the applicant’s written request for public records;

and

(2) The custodian’s response letter.

B. Upon the Office’s request, a party shall provide the Office with:

(1) Any records produced to the applicant by the custodian;

and

(2) Any other documents that may facilitate the mediation process.

.03 Process Voluntary.

The Ombudsman’s mediation process is voluntary for each party.

.04 Conduct of Ombudsman.

A. The Ombudsman shall read and, consistent with State law, shall abide by the Standards of Conduct for Mediators during the mediation process.

B. The Ombudsman shall remain neutral, impartial, and independent during the mediation process.

C. The Ombudsman shall disclose to the parties all actual and potential conflicts of interest reasonably known to the Ombudsman. After disclosure, the Ombudsman shall decline to mediate unless all parties consent to participate.

D. If the Ombudsman is unable to conduct a mediation process in a neutral, impartial, and independent manner, the Ombudsman shall withdraw from that mediation.

E. If the Ombudsman withdraws from a mediation, the Ombudsman may suggest to the parties an alternative dispute resolution resource.

.05 Conduct of Parties.

A. The Ombudsman may establish written standards of conduct with which the parties will be expected to comply during the mediation process.

B. The Ombudsman shall disclose all written standards of conduct to the parties at the outset of the mediation.

C. A party’s failure to abide by a written standard of conduct may result in termination of the mediation process.

.06 Termination of Mediation.

A. The Ombudsman may terminate the mediation process at any time if the Ombudsman determines that mediation will not reasonably lead to resolution of the dispute.

B. In making the determination to terminate a mediation, the Ombudsman may consider, among other factors:

- (1) The duration of the mediation process;
- (2) The parties' efforts to resolve the dispute;
- (3) The Ombudsman's efforts to resolve the dispute;
- (4) The likelihood that the parties will change their positions;
- (5) A party's failure to abide by the written standards of conduct;
- (6) A party's failure to abide by the party's confidentiality obligations; and
- (7) A party's use of the mediation process for purposes of delay or harassment.

14.37.03 Confidentiality of Mediation Information

Authority: General Provisions Article, §§4-1B-01 — 4-1B-04, Annotated Code of Maryland

.01 General Confidentiality Provisions.

A. Except as provided in Regulation 02 of this chapter, the Ombudsman shall maintain the confidentiality of all mediation information in accordance with the Act, the Standards of Conduct for Mediators, and the Mediation Confidentiality Act.

B. The Ombudsman may not disclose or be compelled to disclose mediation information in any judicial, administrative, or other proceeding, in accordance with the Act and with the Mediation Confidentiality Act.

C. A party may not disclose or be compelled to disclose mediation information in any judicial, administrative, or other proceeding, in accordance with the Mediation Confidentiality Act.

D. The Ombudsman may request the parties to enter into a written agreement to strictly maintain the confidentiality of all mediation information if, in the Ombudsman's discretion, such agreement would facilitate the mediation process.

.02 Exceptions to Confidentiality of Mediation Information.

The Ombudsman may disclose mediation information in the following situations:

- A. With Office staff, including the Assistant Attorney General who represents the Office, to carry out the duties of the Office; and
- B. Where the parties have consented in writing to the disclosure.

14.37.04 Disputed Public Records

Authority: General Provisions Article, §§4-1B-01 — 4-1B-04, Annotated Code of Maryland

.01 Ombudsman's Review of Disputed Public Records.

A. When the dispute involves a custodian's application of an exemption to a public record or part of a public record, the Ombudsman may request the custodian to submit the disputed public record or part of a public record to the Ombudsman for review.

B. A custodian may not be compelled to disclose to the Ombudsman a public record or part of a public record in the custodian's custody.

C. A custodian's voluntary submission of a public record or part of a public record for review under this chapter may not be construed as a waiver of:

- (1) Any privilege held by the custodian; or
- (2) Any assertion of confidentiality under the Act.

.02 Confidentiality of Disputed Public Records.

The Ombudsman shall strictly maintain the confidentiality of any public record or part of a public record submitted for review under this chapter, and may not disclose any such public record or part of a public record with another party without the written permission of the custodian.

14.37.05 Advisory Opinions

Authority: General Provisions Article, §§4-1B-01 — 4-1B-04, Annotated Code of Maryland

.01 Ombudsman May Issue.

A. The Ombudsman may issue advisory opinions to parties in furtherance of the mediation process.

B. An advisory opinion may not disclose information that any party claims is confidential.

.02 Ombudsman May Publish.

A. In the Ombudsman's sole discretion, and to the extent that the Ombudsman believes publication will promote understanding of the Act, the Ombudsman may publish an advisory opinion.

B. Before publishing an opinion, the Ombudsman shall:

- (1) Remove all identifying information;
- (2) Provide the parties with the opportunity to review the opinion; and
- (3) Address any concerns of the parties about publication of the opinion.

LISA KERSHNER
Public Access Ombudsman

**Title 26
DEPARTMENT OF THE
ENVIRONMENT**

Subtitle 11 AIR QUALITY

26.11.34 Low Emissions Vehicle Program

Authority: Environment Article, §§1-404, 2-102, 2-103, 2-301, 2-1102, and 2-1103, Annotated Code of Maryland

Notice of Proposed Action

[19-061-P-I]

The Secretary of the Environment proposes to amend Regulation **.02** under **COMAR 26.11.34 Low Emissions Vehicle Program**.

Statement of Purpose

The purpose of this action is to amend COMAR 26.11.34.02 Incorporation by Reference to reflect the changes made to the California regulations since their last update.

The amendments pertaining to the Low Emissions Vehicle Program will be submitted to the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) for approval as part of Maryland's State Implementation Plan (SIP).

Background

Vehicles sold in the United States must be certified under one of two certification programs: the federal program (Tier 3) or the California program (the Clean Car Program). Section 177 of the Clean Air Act Amendments of 1990 provides states the ability to adopt the California program in lieu of the federal program as long as the adopted state program is identical to the California program and the state allows two model years lead time from adoption to implementation.

The Maryland Clean Cars Act of 2007 required the Maryland Department of the Environment (MDE) to adopt regulations implementing the California Clean Car Program (also referred to as the California Low Emissions Vehicle Program-CAL LEV) in Maryland. Maryland's implementing regulations adopted, through

incorporation by reference, the applicable California regulations. The CAL LEV program is a dynamic, changing program in which many of the relevant California regulations are continuously updated. To retain California’s standards, Maryland must remain consistent with their regulations, hence when California updates its regulations, Maryland must reflect these changes by amending our regulations.

The proposed changes have been approved by the California Air Resources Board on September 28, 2018 and were effective December 12, 2018. The other Section 177 states have adopted or are in the process of adopting these changes as well. The proposed regulatory changes approved by the California Air Resources Board require Maryland to update the Incorporation by Reference section. These updates will have minimal, if any, impact on the cost or implementation of the program in Maryland.

Sources Affected and Location

These amendments apply to automobile manufacturers that produce new motor vehicles for sale in Maryland. All vehicle types that have a gross vehicle weight rating of less than 14,000 pounds are affected.

Requirements

The proposed amendments update Maryland’s program requirements to be consistent with California’s program requirements. This action is necessary since some of the California regulations that are incorporated into the Maryland regulation have been updated since 2017.

The update to the California regulations is the removal of the “deemed to comply” provision as it regards to the greenhouse gas emission (GHG) requirements under the current Environmental Protection Agency’s (EPA) GHG regulations under 40 CFR Parts 85, 86, and 600. In 2012, California adopted regulations that allowed vehicle manufacturers that complied with the EPA GHG regulations to be “deemed to comply” with California’s requirements. Essentially this allowed vehicle manufacturers to only need to comply with the EPA’s requirement in order to meet California’s requirement. In August of 2018, EPA proposed changes to weaken the national GHG program.

California has removed the “deemed to comply” provision of its regulations due to the potential weakening of EPA’s GHG regulation. This California regulatory change will require vehicle manufacturers to now demonstrate compliance with California’s GHG regulation independent of EPA’s GHG regulation. This will ensure that the GHG reductions that California and the other Section 177 states are relying on, will help meet Maryland’s State goals of reducing greenhouse gas emissions by 40 percent by 2030 as set forth in the Greenhouse Gas Reduction Act of 2016.

This proposed action will be a permanent adoption to replace the Emergency Action adopted on December 31, 2018. The Emergency Action is only effective for 180 days, therefore a formal adoption process is necessary to fully update Maryland’s Clean Cars Regulations with the final effective California regulations.

Projected Emission Reductions

There are no projected emission reductions associated with this update. This update only ensures that the emission reductions already agreed upon by California, the Section 177 states, as well as the auto manufacturers when developing California’s GHG program will still be provided.

Comparison to Federal Standards

There is a corresponding federal standard to this proposed action, but the proposed action is not more restrictive or stringent.

Estimate of Economic Impact

The proposed action has no economic impact.

Economic Impact on Small Businesses

The proposed action has minimal or no economic impact on small businesses.

Impact on Individuals with Disabilities

The proposed action has no impact on individuals with disabilities.

Opportunity for Public Comment

The Department of the Environment will hold a public hearing on the proposed action on April 30, 2019 at 10 a.m. at the Department of the Environment, 1800 Washington Boulevard, 1st Floor Conference Rooms, Baltimore, Maryland 21230-1720. Interested persons are invited to attend and express their views. Comments may be sent to Mr. Randy Mosier, Chief of the Regulation Division, Air and Radiation Administration, Department of the Environment, 1800 Washington Boulevard, Suite 730, Baltimore, Maryland 21230-1720, or email to randy.mosier@maryland.gov. Comments must be received no later than 5 p.m. on April 30, 2019 or be submitted at the hearing. For more information, call Randy Mosier at (410) 537-4488.

Editor’s Note on Incorporation by Reference

Pursuant to State Government Article, §7-207, Annotated Code of Maryland, Title 13, California Code of Regulations (CCR), Division 3, Chapter 1, Article 2, §1961.2 Exhaust Emission Standards and Test Procedures—2015 and Subsequent Model Passenger Cars, Light-Duty Trucks, and Medium-Duty Vehicles, as effective December 12, 2018; and Title 13, California Code of Regulations (CCR), Division 3, Chapter 1, Article 2, §1961.3 Greenhouse Gas Exhaust Emission Standards and Test Procedures—2017 and Subsequent Model Passenger Cars, Light-Duty Trucks, and Medium-Duty Vehicles, as effective December 12, 2018 have been declared documents generally available to the public and appropriate for incorporation by reference. For this reason, they will not be printed in the Maryland Register or the Code of Maryland Regulations (COMAR). Copies of these documents are filed in special public depositories located throughout the State. A list of these depositories was published in 46:1 Md. R. 9 (January 4, 2019), and is available online at www.dsd.state.md.us. These documents may also be inspected at the office of the Division of State Documents, 16 Francis Street, Annapolis, Maryland 21401.

.02 Incorporation by Reference.

- A. (text unchanged)
- B. Documents Incorporated.
 - (1)—(5) (text unchanged)
 - (6) Title 13, California Code of Regulations (CCR), Division 3, Chapter 1, Article 2, §1961.2 Exhaust Emission Standards and Test Procedures-2015 and Subsequent Model Passenger Cars, Light-Duty Trucks, and Medium-Duty Vehicles, as effective [October 8, 2015] *December 12, 2018*.
 - (7) Title 13, California Code of Regulations (CCR), Division 3, Chapter 1, Article 2, §1961.3 Greenhouse Gas Exhaust Emission Standards and Test Procedures – 2017 and Subsequent Model Passenger Cars, Light-Duty Trucks, and Medium-Duty Vehicles, as effective [December 31, 2012] *December 12, 2018*.
 - (8)—(79) (text unchanged)

BENJAMIN H. GRUMBLES
Secretary of the Environment

Title 31
MARYLAND INSURANCE
ADMINISTRATION

Subtitle 04 INSURERS

**31.04.04 Annual Statements and Participation
in National Association of Insurance
Commissioners Information System**

Authority: Insurance Article, §§2-109(a)(1), 4-116, 14-121, 14-411(a), and 14-413; Health-General Article, §§[17-728,] 19-705, [and] 19-717, and 19-728, Annotated Code of Maryland

Notice of Proposed Action

[19-060-P]

The Insurance Commissioner proposes to amend Regulation .01 under **COMAR 31.04.04 Annual Statements and Participation in National Association of Insurance Commissioners Information System**.

Statement of Purpose

The purpose of this action is to amend the authority line under COMAR 31.04.04 to correct an erroneous reference. In addition, Regulation .01 is being amended in response to several inquiries the Maryland Insurance Administration has received from companies regarding who should sign their statutorily required financial filings. The National Association of Insurance Commissioners Statutory Statement instructions on signatures refers companies to the domestic state’s requirement, and the current Maryland statutes and COMAR references point back to the NAIC instructions. The Maryland Insurance Administration is therefore proposing a change to clarify that both the annual statements and quarterly statements be prepared under oath, to clarify that the statements must be signed by at least two executive officers, and to specify who the executive officers can be. The amendments also require that foreign companies prepare their annual and quarterly statements in accordance with the laws of the company’s home state.

Comparison to Federal Standards

There is no corresponding federal standard to this proposed action.

Estimate of Economic Impact

The proposed action has no economic impact.

Economic Impact on Small Businesses

The proposed action has minimal or no economic impact on small businesses.

Impact on Individuals with Disabilities

The proposed action has no impact on individuals with disabilities.

Opportunity for Public Comment

Comments may be sent to Lisa Larson, Regulations Manager, Maryland Insurance Administration, 200 Saint Paul Place, Suite 2700, Baltimore, MD 21202, or call 410-468-2007, or email to insuranceregreview.mia@maryland.gov, or fax to 410-468-2020. Comments will be accepted through April 29, 2019. A public hearing has not been scheduled.

.01 Required Financial Filings.

A. Annual Statements.

(1)—(3) (text unchanged)

(4) *A domestic company’s annual statement shall be prepared under oath and signed by at least two executive officers. The executive officers authorized to sign the oath shall include:*

(a) *The president, vice-president, or chief financial officer;*

and

(b) *The secretary, treasurer, CEO, or other officer approved by the Commissioner.*

(5) *A foreign company’s annual statement shall be prepared and executed in accordance with the laws and regulations of the company’s home state.*

B. Quarterly Statements.

(1)—(3) (text unchanged)

(4) *A domestic company’s quarterly statement shall be prepared under oath and signed by at least two executive officers. The executive officers authorized to sign the oath shall include:*

(a) *The president, vice-president, or chief financial officer;*

and

(b) *The secretary, treasurer, CEO, or other officer approved by the Commissioner.*

(5) *A foreign company’s annual statement shall be prepared and executed in accordance with the laws and regulations of the company’s home state.*

C. (text unchanged)

ALFRED W. REDMER, JR.
Insurance Commissioner

Special Documents

DEPARTMENT OF STATE POLICE HANDGUN ROSTER BOARD

Proposed Additions to Handgun Roster and Notice of Right to Object or Petition

The following is a list of handguns that the Handgun Roster Board proposes to add to the official handgun roster. These handguns will be officially placed on the Handgun Roster if no timely objection is received or if all timely objections are dismissed.

Under the Public Safety Article, §5-405, Annotated Code of Maryland and COMAR 29.03.03.13 and .14, any person may object to the placement of any of those handguns on the Handgun Roster. Objections must be filed within 30 days after **March 29, 2019**. In addition, any person may petition for the placement of an additional handgun on the Handgun Roster. Forms for objections or petitions may be obtained from: Mark Urbanik, Administrator, Handgun Roster Board, 1201 Reisterstown Road, Baltimore, Maryland 21208.

Manufacturer	Model Name	Model Number	Caliber	Additional Explanation
SAN (Swiss Arms)(San Imports)	SG 551 P		5.56 X .45 mm	
Armscor Philippines - Rock Island Armory(Armscor Precision International)	M 1911 A1 FS	51421	.45 ACP	
Armscor Philippines - Rock Island Armory(Armscor Precision International)	M 1911 A1 FS TACT II MM	51962	22 TCM, 9mm	
Armscor Philippines - Rock Island Armory(Armscor Precision International)	M 1911 A1 CS TACT 2011	51700	9mm	
Standard Mfg. Co.	Single Action		.45 Long Colt	
Springfield Armory	Saint Edge	STE9103556B	5.56 Nato	Model Addition
Kriss USA	Vector Gen II SDP Enhanced	KV45-PSBBL30, KV40-PSBBL30, KV10-PPSBBL30, KV357-PSBBL30	.45 ACP, 40 S&W, 10mm, 357 Sig, 9mm	Model Addition
Kimber	Hero Custom	3200383	.45 ACP	Model Addition
Sturm Ruger	Bearcat	0915	.22 LR	Model Addition
Walther	Q 5 Match	2813336	9mm	Model Addition
Kimber	KHX Custom RL (OI)	3000380, 3000381, 3000382	.45 ACP, 9mm, 10mm	Model Addition
Kimber	KHX Custom (OI)	3000376, 3000377, 3000378	.45 ACP, 9mm, 10mm	Model Addition
Sturm Ruger	MK IV 22/45 Lite	43927 43926	.22 LR	Model Addition
Colt/Colt Mfg.	El Potro Rampante	O193CCS-EPI	.38 Super	Model Addition
Glock	43X		9mm	
Rossi (Braztech) Taurus	352	R35202	.38 SPL	
Cobra	Patriot	PAT 9	9mm	
Cobra	Patriot	PAT 45	.45 ACP	
Metro Arms	American Classic II	AC9G2C	9mm	Caliber Addition
Smith & Wesson	M&P 40 M2.0 Compact LE	Sku #11680	40 S&W	Model Addition
Kimber	Micro 9 KHX, Micro 9 ESV Gray, Micro 9 ESV Black		9mm	Model Addition
Glock	48		9mm	
Tula (Century Arms Intl)	TOZ 35M		.22 LR	
Tennessee Arms	TNARMS15		5.56 NATO	
Sturm Ruger	LCP	3790	.380 ACP	Model Addition
Sturm Ruger	Mark IV Standard	40105	.22 LR	Model Addition
Sturm Ruger	SR 1911	6766 (Competition)	9mm	Model Addition
Armscor Philippines – Rock Island Armory (Armscor Precision International)	Match Ultra	52008	10mm	Caliber Addition
Caspian Arms	M 1911 Style		10mm	Caliber Addition

Colt	Government Model West Point Class of 2019	O1991 WP	.45 ACP	Model Addition
Springfield Armory	Elite Operator	PI9110E	10mm	Caliber Addition
Remington Arms	870 Breacher	24981	12 Gauge	Model Addition
Sig Sauer/Sig Arms	1911 STX	1911-45-STX	.45 ACP	Model Addition
F. LLI Pietta	Great Western II	Alchimista I	.45 ACP	Model Addition
Remington Arms	1911 R-1 Tactical	96385	.45 ACP	Model Addition
Armstrong Philippines- Rock Island Armory (Armstrong Precision Int.)	M 1911 A1 FS TACT II	51991	10mm	
Armstrong Philippines- Rock Island Armory (Armstrong Precision Int.)	M 1911 A1 CS TACT II	51479	.45 ACP	
Armstrong Philippines- Rock Island Armory (Armstrong Precision Int.)	M1911 A1-CS	51429	.45 ACP	
Armstrong Philippines- Rock Island Armory (Armstrong Precision Int.)	M1911 A1-CS TACT	51470	.45 ACP	
Armstrong Philippines- Rock Island Armory (Armstrong Precision Int.)	M1911 A1-FS TACT	51914	10mm	Model & Caliber Addition
Beretta U.S.A. Corp	Elite LTT	92G	9x19mm	
Armstrong Philippines- Rock Island Armory (Armstrong Precision Int.)	M1911 A1 FS	51431	45ACP	Model Addition
Armstrong Philippines- Rock Island Armory (Armstrong Precision Int.)	M1911 A1 6" Match TACT	51529	45ACP	
Armstrong Philippines- Rock Island Armory (Armstrong Precision Int.)	M1911 A1 6" Match TACT	52008	10mm	Caliber Addition
American Defense MFG	UIC 9		9mm	
Armstrong Philippines- Rock Island Armory (Armstrong Precision Int.)	M1911 A1 FS TACT II	51486	45ACP	
Armstrong Philippines- Rock Island Armory (Armstrong Precision Int.)	M1911 A1 FS TACT II	51719	40S&W	Caliber Addition
Armstrong Philippines- Rock Island Armory (Armstrong Precision Int.)	M1911 A1 FS TACT II	51623	9mm	Caliber Addition
Armstrong Philippines- Rock Island Armory (Armstrong Precision Int.)	M1911 A1 MS TACT	51994	10mm	
Armstrong Philippines- Rock Island Armory (Armstrong Precision Int.)	M1911 A 380	51912	380ACP	
Sturm Ruger	Super Redhawk	05510	.480 Ruger	Model Addition
Sig Sauer	1911 Stand	1911-45-STAND	.45	Model Addition
Smith & Wesson	5946 Double Action	5946TSW	.9mm	Model Addition
Sig Sauer	P227	227R-45-BSS-RX	.45 ACP	Model Addition
Smith & Wesson	M&P 380 Shield EZ	12610, 12611	.380 Auto	Model Addition
Smith & Wesson	M&P 9 2.0	12464, 12465	.9mm	Model Addition
Sturm Ruger	Ruger American	8639 Compact	.9mm	Model Addition
Sturm Ruger	Ruger American	8661	.9mm	Model Addition
Sturm Ruger	Ruger American	8663 Compact	.9mm	Model Addition
Sturm Ruger	Redhawk	5050	.45 ACP & .45 LC	Caliber Addition
Sturm Ruger	LCRX	5439	.22 Mag	Caliber Addition
Sturm Ruger	GP-100	01767	.44 Special	Model Addition
Sturm Ruger	MK IV	43927	.22 LR	Model Addition
Sturm Ruger	MK IV	43926	.22 LR	Model Addition

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Sturm Ruger	SP101	15702	.357 Mag	Model Addition
Sturm Ruger	SP101	5784	.327 Fed Mag	Model Addition
Sturm Ruger	Super Redhawk	5507	.480 Ruger	Model Addition
Sturm Ruger	LCRX	5444	.357 Mag	Model Addition
Sturm Ruger	Blackhawk	0505	30 Carbine	Model Addition
Sturm Ruger	MK IV	43921	.22 LR	Model Addition
Sturm Ruger	SR 22	3637	.22 LR	Model Addition
Sturm Ruger	SR 22	3633	.22 LR	Model Addition
Sturm Ruger	LC380	3253	.380 ACP	Model Addition
Sturm Ruger	LCP II	3787	.380 ACP	Model Addition
Sturm Ruger	LCP	3769	.380 ACP	Model Addition
Sturm Ruger	SR1911	6762	.45 ACP	Model Addition
Sturm Ruger	Security-9	3819	.9 mm	Model Addition
Arm Scor Philippines- Rock Island Armory (Arm Scor Precision Int.)	M11911 A1 AMSCS TACT II	51858	22TCM and 9MM	
Arm Scor Philippines- Rock Island Armory (Arm Scor Precision Int.)	M1911 A1 MS TACT II	51487	45ACP	
American Defense MFG	UIC Multi		.223 Remington, 5.56 NATO, 300AAC Blackout	
Umarex (Keckler & Koch)	HK 416	HK 416	22LR	
Palmetto State Armory	AKV	AKV	9mm	
Tommy Built Tactical LLC	T36C	T36C	5.56	
Taurus S.A. Forjas(Taurus International Inc.)	Raging Hunter	2-440081RH	44 MAG	
Sturm Ruger	GP100	1764	327 Federal	
Mossberg	MCI	89001, 89003, 89004, 89005	9mm	
Nighthawk	1911 Trooper	Trooper	45ACP, 10mm, 9mm	
Nighthawk	1911 Chairman	Chairman	45ACP, 10mm, 9mm	
Nighthawk	1911 President	President	45ACP, 10mm, 9mm	
Nighthawk	1911 Bull Commander	Bull Commander	45ACP, 10mm, 9mm	
Nighthawk	1911 T4	T4	45ACP, 10mm, 9mm	
Taurus	TH9C	1-TH9C031	9mm	
Taurus	PT-92	AFS-D	9mm	
Adler (Chiappa Firearms)	301Honcho		410 GA	
Nova Arms (Century Arms)	Draco NAK9	HG3736-N	9mm	
Sturm Ruger	SR22	03625	.22 LR	Model Addition
NightHawk	Lady Hawk 2.0	Lady Hawk 2.0	9mm	Model Addition
Arm Scor	M1911-A1 TAC Ultra CS	51700	9mm	Model Addition
Cimarron	Man With No Name	CA9081SSI01	38 Special	Model Addition
Smith & Wesson	SW22 – Victory	12078	22 LR	Model Addition
STI International	Staccato P		9mm, 40 Cal, 45 ACP, 38 Super	Model Addition
STI International	DVC P		9mm, 40 Cal, 45 ACP, 38 Super	Model Addition
STI International	DVC 3		9mm, 40 Cal, 45 ACP, 38 Super	Model Addition
STI International	DVC C		9mm, 40 Cal, 45 ACP, 38 Super	Model Addition
STI International	DVC O		9mm, 40 Cal, 45 ACP, 38 Super	Model Addition
STI International	DVC L		9mm, 40 Cal, 45 ACP, 38 Super	Model Addition
Uberti	1873 Cattleman El Patron	345275	.45 Colt	Model Addition
Springfield Armory	1911 Range Officer Elite Operator		10mm	Caliber Addition
Cimarron Arms	Model P		.357 Mag	Caliber Addition
Sig Sauer	P210 – Target	SI210A9TGT	9X19mm	Caliber Addition

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Sig Sauer	P320X Compact	320XL-9-BXR3	9mm	Model Addition
CS USA	P10 F	95150, 91545, 91540, 91541, 91543, 91544, 05150, 05140	9mm	
Kimber	KHX Custom	3000359	9mm	Caliber Addition
Browning	1911-380	051913492	380 ACP	Caliber Addition
Smith & Wesson	M&P 9 M2.0	12466	9mm	Model Addition
Smith & Wesson	M&P 9 M2.0	12466	9mm	Model Addition
San Swiss	SG 553 P	SG 533 P	5.56 Nato	Model Addition
Walther	Q5 Match FS		9mm	
CZ (CZ USA)	P-10 S		9mm	
Stoeger IND (Benelli USA)	STR-9	31720, 31721, 31722	9mm	
American Corner Customs	1911 A1		45ACP	
American Corner Customs, LLC	Classic		45ACP, 10mm, 9mm, 40 S&W, 38 Super, 460 Rowland	
American Corner Customs, LLC	Limited		45ACP, 10mm, 9mm, 40 S&W, 38 Super, 460 Rowland	
American Corner Customs, LLC	Carry		45ACP, 10mm, 9mm, 40 S&W, 38 Super, 460 Rowland	
American Corner Customs, LLC	Hunter		10mm, 9mm, 40 S&W, 38 Super, 45ACP, 460 Rowland	
CMMG	Banshee 200, MK57	57A247C	5.7x28	
CMMG	Banshee 300, MK57	57A1843	5.7x28	
Zev Technologies	OZ		9mm	
Zev Technologies	ZEV-FL		5.56 NATO, 300 Blackout	
CZ (CZ USA)	CZ Scorpion EVO 3 S2 Micro	91348	9mm	
Keckler & Koch (HBI)	HK 416		5.56 MM	
Surplus Arme	CC15		5.56NATO, 300 Blackout	
Jimenez Arms	J A 380		380 Auto ACP	
Lorcin	L 380		380ACP	
Q (MOE-K)	Honey Badger		300 Blackout	
Janz (Simpson Limited)	JTL		45 Rem Mag	
Roberts Defense	Super Grade 2 Tone	SGT45500	45ACP	
Alchemy Custom Weaponry	Anomaly		45ACP	
Archon Firearms	Type B		9mm	
STI International	Staccato C		9mm, 40, 45ACP, 38 Super	
Brugger & Thomet	GHM 45		45ACP	
Arm Scor Philippines- Rock Island Armory (Arm Scor Precision Int.)	MAPP MS	51973	22TCM	
Taurus	Spectrum	1-007039-118	.380 ACP	Model Addition
Taurus	Spectrum	1-007031-320	.380 ACP	Model Addition
Remington Arms	1911 R-1	96340	.45 ACP	Model Addition
Sig Sauer	MPX Copperhead	PMPX3BCH	.9 mm	Model Addition
CMMG	Banshee MKG	45ABFA2, 45ABF68	.45 ACP	Model Addition
CMMG	Banshee MKGS	99A5194, 99A51D7	.9 mm	Model Addition
CMMG	Banshee MK9	90A3BE4, 90A3B37	.9 mm	Model Addition
Hanover Armory	HA-10		308 Win., 243, 7.62x51, 338, 7mm-08, 260, 358, 375, 45, 6.5 Creedmoor	

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			308, 243, 7.62x51, 338, 7mm-08, 260, 358, 375, 45 Raptor, 223, 556, 6.5 Grendel, 300blk, 338 Spectre, 6.8 spc, 7.62x39, 22 Nosler, 224 Valkyrie, 204 Ruger, 6.5 Creedmoor, 450 Bushmaster, 458 socom, 375 socom, 12.7x45(50 Beowulf), 300wsm, 7mmWSM, 22-250	
Hanover Armory	MDT HS3			
Remington	V3 TAC-13		12 gauge	
Kimber	Custom II		10MM	Caliber Addition
CZ USA	Bren 2S	91450, 91451,91452, 91460, 91461, 91462	.223/5.56, 7.62x39	Model Addition
Remington	1911 R-1	Carry Commander CT (96356	45 ACP	Model Addition

[19-07-27]

General Notices

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MARYLAND STATE BOARD FOR THE CERTIFICATION OF RESIDENTIAL CHILD CARE PROGRAM PROFESSIONALS

Subject: Public Meeting
Date and Time: June 14, 2019, 10 — 11 a.m.
Place: 4201 Patterson Ave., Baltimore, MD
Add'l. Info: General Session Meetings are open to the public.
Contact: Gwendolyn Joyner (410) 764-5996

[19-07-09]

CRIMINAL JUSTICE INFORMATION ADVISORY BOARD

Subject: Public Meeting
Date and Time: April 15, 2019, 2 — 3 p.m.
Place: Judicial Education and Conference Center, 2009-D Commerce Park Dr., Training Rm. UL 6-7, Annapolis, MD 21401
Contact: Robyn Lyles (410) 585-3185

[19-07-25]

MARYLAND CYBERSECURITY COUNCIL

Subject: Public Meeting Announcements
Add'l. Info: All future meetings of the Council and its subcommittees will be announced exclusively on its website at www.umuc.edu/mdcybersecuritycouncil.
Contact: Greg von Lehmen (301) 985-7077, marylandcybersecuritycouncil@umuc.edu

[19-07-26]

FIRE PREVENTION COMMISSION

Subject: Public Meeting
Date and Time: April 18, 2019, 9:30 a.m.
Place: Laurel Municipal Bldg., 8103 Sandy Spring Rd., Council Chambers, Laurel, MD
Add'l. Info: Portions of the meeting may be held in closed session.
Contact: Heidi Ritchie (877) 890-0199

[19-07-14]

MARYLAND DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH

Subject: Public Meeting
Date and Time: May 2, 2019, 9 a.m. — 12 p.m.
Place: West Village Commons, Towson University, 424 Emerson Dr., Towson, MD
Add'l. Info: Meeting of the Maryland Medicaid Pharmacy Program's Pharmacy & Therapeutics Committee (Preferred Drug List)

As soon as available, classes of drugs to be reviewed, speaker registration guidelines, and directions to meeting location will be posted on the Maryland Medicaid Pharmacy Program website at: <https://mmcp.health.maryland.gov/pap/Pages/Public-Meeting-Announcement-and-Procedures-for-Public-Testimony.aspx>.

Submit questions via email to: mdh.marylandpdlquestions@maryland.gov.
Contact: Shawn Singh (410) 767-6896

[19-07-07]

MARYLAND INSURANCE ADMINISTRATION

Subject: Public Meeting
Date and Time: May 23, 2019, 10 a.m. — 12 p.m.
Place: Maryland Insurance Administration, 200 St. Paul Pl., 24th Fl. Hearing Rm., Baltimore, MD

Add'l. Info: Insurance Commissioner Al Redmer, Jr., will hold a meeting on May 23, 2019, at 10 a.m. at the Maryland Insurance Administration, 200 St. Paul Place, 24th Floor Hearing Room, Baltimore, MD 21202, to review what the Maryland Insurance Administration has done and will continue to do in preparation for the 2019 hurricane season. Commissioner Redmer also will discuss how property and casualty insurers can help the Maryland Insurance Administration promptly and efficiently assist Maryland consumers.

If you plan to attend this meeting, please RSVP to joy.hatchette@maryland.gov. If you have any questions, you may also contact Joy Hatchette at the same email address or at 410-468-2029.

You can also call-in to the meeting by dialing 240-454-0887. The passcode is 732980596.

Contact: Joy Hatchette (410) 468-2029

[19-07-08]

DIVISION OF LABOR AND INDUSTRY/AMUSEMENT RIDE SAFETY ADVISORY BOARD

Subject: Public Meeting
Date and Time: May 15, 2019, 10 a.m. — 12 p.m.
Place: Days Inn Ocean Front, 2210 Baltimore Ave., Ocean City, MD
Add'l. Info: The Commissioner of Labor and Industry is seeking feedback from interested members of the public particularly the ropes and challenge course community on the Association for Challenge Course Technology Standard. Comments and Feedback will be accepted by Michelle F. Vanreusel, Regulatory and Grants Coordinator, via mail: 1100 North Eutaw Street, Room 600, Baltimore, Maryland 21201, via phone: 410-767-2225, via email: mischelle.vanreusel@Maryland.gov, via fax: 410.767.2986. Comments will be accepted through May 1, 2019. A public hearing has not been scheduled at this time. The next Amusement Ride Advisory Board Meeting will be held on May 15, 2019.
Contact: Pamela Torres (410) 767-2348

[19-07-11]

MARYLAND HEALTH CARE COMMISSION

Subject: Public Meeting
Date and Time: April 18, 2019, 1 — 4 p.m.
Place: 4160 Patterson Ave., Rm. 100, Baltimore, MD
Contact: Valerie Wooding (410) 764-3570

[19-07-05]

MARYLAND HEALTH CARE COMMISSION

Subject: Formal Start of Review
Add'l. Info: The Maryland Health Care Commission (MHCC) hereby gives notice of docketing of the following application for Certificate of Need:

University of Maryland Medical Center — Docket No. 18-24-2429. Establishment of a 16-bed inpatient acute psychiatric unit for treatment of children and adolescents, thereby adding adolescent services to UMMC's inpatient psychiatric services. Proposed cost: \$9,580,000

MHCC shall review the application under Health-General Article, §19-101 et

seq., Annotated Code of Maryland, COMAR 10.24.01, and the applicable State Health Plan standards.

Any affected person may make a written request to the Commission to receive copies of relevant notices concerning the application. All further notices of proceedings on the application will be sent only to affected persons who have registered as interested parties.

Persons desiring to become interested parties in the Commission's review of the above-referenced application must meet the requirements of COMAR 10.24.01.01B(2) and (20) and must also submit written comments to the Commission no later than close of business April 29, 2019. These comments must state with particularity the State Health Plan standards or review criteria that you believe have not been met by the applicant as stated in COMAR 10.24.01.08F.

Please refer to the Docket Number listed above in any correspondence on the application. A copy of the application is available for review in the office of MHCC during regular business hours by appointment. All correspondence should be addressed to: Paul E. Parker, Director, Center for Health Care Facilities Planning and Development, Maryland Health Care Commission, 4160 Patterson Avenue, Baltimore, Maryland 21215.

Contact: Ruby Potter (410) 764-3276
[19-07-13]

MARYLAND HEALTH CARE COMMISSION

Subject: Formal Start of Review

Add'l. Info: The Maryland Health Care Commission (MHCC) hereby gives notice of docketing of the following applications for Certificate of Need:

Amedisys Maryland, LLC — Docket No. 18-R1-2424. Expansion of an existing home health care agency into the Upper Eastern Shore counties of Caroline, Kent, and Queen Anne's counties.

Bayada Home Health Care, Inc. — Docket No. 18-R1-2425. Expansion of an existing home health care agency into Cecil County.

Optimal Health Care, Inc. — Docket No. 18-R1-2426. Expansion of an existing Residential Service Agency into providing home health services into the Upper Eastern Shore counties of Caroline, Cecil, Kent, Queen Anne's, and Talbot Counties.

MHCC shall review the applications under Health-General Article, §19-101 et seq., Annotated Code of Maryland, COMAR 10.24.01, and the applicable State Health Plan standards.

Any affected person may make a written request to the Commission to receive copies of relevant notices concerning the applications. All further notices of proceedings on the applications will be sent only to affected persons who have registered as interested parties.

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Contact: Ruby Potter (410) 764-3276
[19-07-18]

MARYLAND HEALTH CARE COMMISSION

Subject: Formal Start of Review

Add'l. Info: The Maryland Health Care Commission (MHCC) hereby gives notice of docketing of the following application for Certificate of Need:

Carroll Hospice — Docket No. 18-06-2433. Addition of 6 beds to the inpatient hospice facility "Dove House" located in Westminster, increasing the facility from 8 to 14 inpatient hospice beds. Proposed Cost: \$1,815,000.

MHCC shall review the application under Health-General Article, §19-101 et seq., Annotated Code of Maryland, COMAR 10.24.01, and the applicable State Health Plan standards.

Any affected person may make a written request to the Commission to receive copies of relevant notices concerning the application. All further notices of proceedings on the application will be sent only to affected persons who have registered as interested parties.

Persons desiring to become interested parties in the Commission's review of the above-referenced application must meet the requirements of COMAR 10.24.01.01B(2) and (20) and must also submit written comments to the Commission no later than

close of business April 29, 2019. These comments must state with particularity the State Health Plan standards or review criteria that you believe have not been met by the applicant as stated in COMAR 10.24.01.08F.

Please refer to the Docket Number listed above in any correspondence on the application. A copy of the application is available for review in the office of MHCC during regular business hours by appointment. All correspondence should be addressed to: Paul E. Parker, Director, Center for Health Care Facilities Planning and Development, Maryland Health Care Commission, 4160 Patterson Avenue, Baltimore, Maryland 21215.

Contact: Ruby Potter (410) 764-3276
[19-07-19]

DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES/FISHING AND BOATING SERVICES

Subject: Public Notice — Opening of Public Shellfish Fishery Area 138 (Stoddard) — Effective 3/11/19

Add'l. Info: The Secretary of the Department of Natural Resources, pursuant to COMAR 08.02.04.11E, announces that the previously closed section of Public Shellfish Fishery Area (PSFA) 138 will be open to oyster harvest effective 12:01 a.m. March 11, 2019. This area was previously closed by public notice October 1, 2016. The area is described below and will be marked by buoys. The opening was requested by the Charles County oyster committee. The area was planted in 2015 and recent survey work shows the presence of market-sized oysters. PSFAs are described in "Public Shellfish Fishery Areas of the Chesapeake Bay and Its Tidal Tributaries (September 2018)", which is incorporated by reference in COMAR 08.02.04.17.

Special Conditions for This Area:

Commercial Harvest: No more than 8 bushels of oysters per licensee per day and 16 bushels of oysters per boat per day may be taken from this area or in possession while actively engaged in oyster harvest in this area. During the oyster season, described in COMAR 08.02.04, this area is only open Monday through Friday. It is closed Saturday and Sunday. All other rules remain in effect.

For any questions or comments contact Frank Marengi, Shellfish Division at 410-260-8302.

Stoddard (PSFA 138 (NOB 20-5): Wicomico River (West))

The section of PSFA 138 being opened is: All of the waters of the Wicomico River enclosed by a line beginning at a point

defined by Lat. 38°21.448' N, Long. 76°50.843' W, then running 270° True to a point defined by Lat. 38°21.448' N, Long. 76°51.222' W, then running 0° True to a point defined by Lat. 38°21.719' N, Long. 76°51.221' W, then running 90° True to a point defined by Lat. 38°21.718' N, Long. 76°50.843' W, then running 180° True to the point of beginning.

Jeannie Haddaway-Riccio
Secretary of Natural Resources

Contact: Tamara O'Connell (410) 507-0779

[19-07-16]

DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES/FISHING AND BOATING SERVICES

Subject: Public Notice — 2019 Female Blue Crab Importation Dates

Add'l. Info: The Secretary of the Maryland Department of Natural Resources, in consultation with blue crab advisory groups, pursuant to COMAR 08.02.03.08C, announces that female crabs from which the egg pouch or bunion has been removed, or egg-bearing female crabs known as sponge crabs, may be imported into Maryland from another state by a dealer or crab processing plant only during the period May 11, 2019 through July 20, 2019. Dealers and crab processing plants must have a bill of sale or lading from the jurisdiction of origin and may not import the crabs at any other time of the year.

Jeannie Haddaway-Riccio
Secretary of Natural Resources

Contact: Tamara O'Connell (410) 507-0779

[19-07-17]

BOARD OF OCCUPATIONAL THERAPY PRACTICE

Subject: Public Meeting

Date and Time: April 19, 2019, 9 a.m. — 12 p.m.

Place: 55 Wade Ave., Tuerk Bldg., Baltimore, MD

Add'l. Info: Health Occupations Article, Title 10, Annotated Code of Maryland, and COMAR 10.46 amendments, additions, and revisions, including fee changes, may be discussed/voted on. Budget information may also be discussed. It may be necessary to go into executive session. Sign language interpreters and/or appropriate accommodations for qualified individuals with disabilities will be provided upon request. Please call 1-800-735-2255. The meeting may take place by teleconference. Please call the office to confirm.

Contact: Lauren Murray (410) 402-8556

[19-07-12]

STATE ADVISORY COUNCIL ON QUALITY CARE AT THE END OF LIFE

Subject: Public Meeting

Date and Time: May 13, 2019, 10 a.m. — 12 p.m.

Place: Office of Health Care Quality, 7120 Samuel Morse Dr., 2nd Fl., Columbia, MD

Add'l. Info: The public is welcome.

Contact: Paul Ballard (410) 767-6918

[19-07-10]

RACING COMMISSION

Subject: Public Meeting

Date and Time: April 25, 2019, 12:30 — 1 p.m.

Place: Laurel Park, Laurel, MD

Contact: J. Michael Hopkins (410) 296-9682

[19-07-03]

COMMISSION OF REAL ESTATE APPRAISERS AND HOME INSPECTORS

Subject: Public Meeting

Date and Time: April 9, 2019, 10:30 a.m. — 12 p.m.

Place: 500 N. Calvert St., Baltimore, MD

Contact: Patti Schott (410) 230-6165

[19-07-02]

COMMISSION ON STATE DEBT

Subject: Public Meeting

Date and Time: April 17, 2019, 2 — 4 p.m.

Place: Louis L. Goldstein Bldg., 80 Calvert St., Assembly Rm. #114—116, Annapolis, MD

Add'l. Info: Annual Meeting to Recommend a State Tax Rate on Real and Personal Property

Contact: Christian Lund (410) 260-7920

[19-07-06]

MARYLAND DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION

Subject: Public Hearing

Date and Time: April 15, 2019, 10 a.m.

Place: MDOT Headquarters, 7201 Corporate Center Dr., Hanover, MD

Add'l. Info: The Maryland Board of Airport Zoning Appeals (BAZA) will hold a hearing on Monday, April 15, 2019. The hearing will begin at 10 a.m. in the Board Room of the Maryland Department of Transportation located at 7201 Corporate Center Drive, Hanover, Maryland 21076. The Board will hear the following case:

Docket No. 414. Northrop Grumman Corporation is proposing to utilize temporary crane operations at 1580 West Nursery Road, (West Quest Buildings B and A) Linthicum, Maryland 21090. These locations are approximately 7,800 feet and 8,000 feet respectively north of Runway 15R at Baltimore Washington Thurgood Marshall International Airport (BWI Marshall). The proposed height of the temporary crane at each location is 160 feet above ground level (AGL)/343 feet mean sea level (MSL). The temporary crane height will exceed the Code of Federal Regulations (FAR) Part 77, Objects Affecting Navigable Airspace by 50 feet at both locations. The Appellant has filed two "Determination of No Hazard to Air Navigation" applications (ASN# 2019-AEA-643 and 644-OE) with the Federal Aviation Administration. Code of Maryland Regulations (COMAR) 11.03.06.03 and 11.03.06.04 - Height Limits in Airport Districts enables the proponent to seek a variance from the Board of Airport Zoning Appeals (BAZA) for any proposed penetration of FAR Part 77. Therefore, the Maryland Aviation Administration will present BAZA Case 414 to the Board of Airport Zoning Appeals Monday, April 15, 2019 at 10:00 a.m.

Appropriate auxiliary aids and services for qualified individuals with disabilities will be provided upon request. Please call 410-865-1233 (voice) or MD Relay (TTY Users).

Contact: Deborah Mahoney-Fowler (410) 865-1233

[19-07-15]

BOARD OF WELL DRILLERS

Subject: Public Meeting

Date and Time: April 24, 2019, 9 a.m. — 12 p.m.

Place: MDE, 1800 Washington Blvd., Baltimore, MD

Add'l. Info: A portion of this meeting may be held in closed session.

Contact: Elaine Nolen (410) 537-4466

[19-07-01]

WORKERS' COMPENSATION COMMISSION

Subject: Public Meeting

Date and Time: April 11, 2019, 9:30 — 11 a.m.

Place: 10 E. Baltimore St., Baltimore, MD

Add'l. Info: Portions of this meeting may be held in closed session.

Contact: Amy Lackington (410) 864-5300

[19-07-04]

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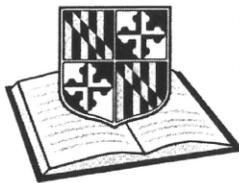
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