Guidance Documents in Unified Regulatory Plan FY'24

Contents

Board of Accountancy (VBOA) / Total = 2

Title of Proposed Regulatory Action or Guidance Document

Guidance Document on Continuing Professional Education

Brief Overview

VBOA is required § 54.1-4409.1, 18VAC5-22-90) to prescribe the "methods, fees, and continuing professional education requirements" for CPAs. VBOA already has a guidance document in place to provide guidelines for consent orders related to continuing professional education deficiency.

As voted upon by the Board, VBOA has drafted revisions to this guidance document. The revisions are intended to simplify the process (imposing a fixed monetary penalty per missing credit hour, rather than grouping respondents into "brackets") and incidentally will reduce the overall penalties for deficient licensees. In the revised version, it will be more difficult for a license to be suspended solely for CPE deficiency.

Some VBOA policies are placed through the Guidance Document process out of an abundance of caution. In the event that said policies fall under the "rulings and advisory opinions" or "internal manuals and memoranda" exceptions listed in § 2.2-4002.1(A), formal regulatory action may not be necessary

action may not be	necessary.	
Regulatory	□ NOIRA	□ Emergency Rule
Stage	Proposed Rule	□ Fast-Track Rule
(check one box)	□ Final Rule	
Additional	Expedited Rule	⊠ Guidance Document
Description	Exempt Rule	
Legal Authority	\Box Action required by federal statute	☑ Discretionary action
	Action required by state statute	
Deregulatory	VBOA anticipates that the guidance provided would be more equitable for	
Component	CPAs and would increase efficiency in enforcement by VBOA.	
Expected Date	August 2023	

Title of Proposed Regulatory Action or Guidance Document Review and update, if necessary, all VBOA guidance documents **Brief Overview** VBOA is committed to continuing its review of policies and guidance documents. To that end, VBOA board members and staff will be going through its current slate of documents, as discussed at a June 2023 board meeting. VBOA will work to update the language of its documents to improve their readability and, if necessary, hold public comment periods for more extensive revisions. Regulatory □ NOIRA □ Emergency Rule Stage \Box Proposed Rule □ Fast-Track Rule (check one box) □ Final Rule Additional \Box Expedited Rule ⊠ Guidance Document Description □ Exempt Rule Legal Authority \Box Action required by federal statute \boxtimes Discretionary action \boxtimes Action required by state statute By revising its guidance documents, VBOA anticipates some deregulatory Deregulatory benefits will arise from removing obsolete or outdated guidance. Component **Expected Date** June 2024

Department for Aging and Rehabilitative Services (DARS) / Total = 31

8	Guidance Document Forum ID (if ava	ailable)	
	4540 Title of Proposed Regulatory Action or Guidance Document		
_		ument	
State Plan for Inde	ependent Living		
	tate required rlap (SDI) contains again	manage of compliance with federal	
laws and	state-required plan (SPIL) contains assu	frances of compliance with federal	
	achments describing Virginia's Centers	s for Independent Living (CILs).	
-	dent Living Council (SILC), services a		
-	the SPIL period. For FFY 2024, the Ad		
5	g states to extend their SPILs (FFY 202		
· · · · ·	ent that must be approved by ACL. The		
	ntive changes. As required by ACL, th		
-	L on June 30, 2023 so that ACL may re		
September 30, 202	23, a timeframe that will correspond wi	th a Town Hall public comment	
period.	-	-	
Regulatory	□ NOIRA	\Box Emergency or	
Stage	Proposed	Emergency/NOIRA	
(check one box)	\Box Final	□ Revised Proposed	
		□ Fast-Track Rule	
Additional	Expedited Review Requested	⊠ Guidance Document	
Description	□ Exempt Action		
Legal Authority	Action required by federal statute	⊠ Discretionary action	
	\boxtimes Action required by state statute		
Deregulatory	The SPIL's structure and contents are	directed heavily by federal	
Component		requirements. While DARS' ability to modify some content is limited,	
	DARS will take a closer look at the SPIL for potential opportunities.		
Expected Date	July 2023		

Action/Stage or Guidance Document Forum ID (if available)			
5082			
Title of Proposed	Title of Proposed Regulatory Action or Guidance Document		
Guidance for the F	Provision of Community Support Servio	ces (CSS) Manual	
Brief Overview			
The Community S	upport Services (CSS) Manual is a doc	ument that VR counselors and	
-	will use that provides information related	-	
	the vocational rehabilitation counselor		
	erral and authorize services and when t	•	
0	nt is being updated to reflect service pro	1.	
Service Organization (ESO) only. In addition, updates include ensuring that CSS aligns with			
serious functional limitations; that users are given practical guidance around CSS; and to			
	l flexibility of CSS while ensuring con	sistent statewide use.	
Regulatory	□ NOIRA	\Box Emergency or	
Stage	□ Proposed	Emergency/NOIRA	
(check one box)	□ Final	□ Revised Proposed	
		□ Fast-Track	
Additional	□ Expedited Review Requested	⊠ Guidance Document	
Description	Exempt Action		
Legal Authority	\boxtimes Action required by federal statute	☑ Discretionary action	
	\boxtimes Action required by state statute		

Action/Stage or Guidance Document Forum ID (if available) 5100

Title of Proposed Regulatory Action or Guidance Document Virginia State Plan for Aging Services

Brief Overview

In accordance with the Older Americans Act of 1965, as amended and pursuant to Virginia Code § 51.5-136, the Department for Aging and Rehabilitative Services (DARS), as the designated State Unit on Aging (SUA), is mandated to submit a state plan on aging services (State Plan) to the U.S. Administration on Community Living (ACL), the Governor and the General Assembly. DARS will develop a new State Plan in collaboration with the state's aging network, including the Commonwealth Council on Aging, the Area Agencies on Aging (AAAs), the Virginia Long-Term Care Ombudsman, and other state agencies, stakeholder organizations, and the older adults DARS serves. The State Plan describes the agency's goals and strategies to achieve its mission, emphasizing the common themes that will enhance the lives of older Virginians moving forward.

Regulatory		Emergency or
Stage	□ Proposed	Emergency/NOIRA
(check one box)	□ Final	□ Revised Proposed
		□ Fast-Track
Additional	Expedited Review Requested	⊠ Guidance Document
Description	□ Exempt Action	
Legal Authority	Action required by federal statute	☑ Discretionary action
	Action required by state statute	
Deregulatory	The State Plan for Aging Services' str	ructure and contents are directed
Component	heavily by federal requirements. Whit	le DARS' ability to modify some
	content is limited, DARS will take a c	closer look at the State Plan for Aging
	Services for potential opportunities.	
Expected Date	August 2023	

Action/Stage or Guidance Document Forum ID (if available)		
5346		
Title of Proposed Regulatory Action or Guidance Document		
AS Auxiliary Gran	nt Policy Manual Chapters A-L and Tra	nsmittals
Brief Overview		
The Auxiliary Gra	nt Manual provides guidance for local	departments of social services
	ning eligibility of individuals to receive	
0 1	applement for certain adults who reside	
	ter home, or in supportive housing. The	0
-	ort with 2023 legislative changes to the	Code of Virginia. Other minor
technical changes	will also be made.	
Regulatory	□ NOIRA	\Box Emergency or
Stage	□ Proposed	Emergency/NOIRA
(check one box)	□ Final	□ Revised Proposed
		□ Fast-Track
Additional	□ Expedited Review Requested	⊠ Guidance Document
Description	□ Exempt Action	
Legal Authority	□ Action required by federal statute	☑ Discretionary action
	\boxtimes Action required by state statute	
Deregulatory	The Auxiliary Grant Program is a Social Security Administration-	
Component	authorized and state-operated Optiona	
_	Security Income (SSI). Some content	in the manual is directed heavily by
	federal requirements. While DARS' a	bility to modify some content may be
	limited, DARS will take a closer look	for potential opportunities.
Expected Date	August 2023	

Action/Stage or Guidance Document Forum ID (if available)			
5335			
Title of Proposed	Title of Proposed Regulatory Action or Guidance Document		
AS Assisted Livin	g Facility Private Pay Assessment Mar	nual	
Brief Overview			
1	des guidance related to the assessment		
, ,	of this manual is ALF residents and ap	1 1 1	
	ll be amended to comport with 2023 le	0	
Virginia. Other mi	nor technical changes will also be mad	e.	
Regulatory	□ NOIRA	\Box Emergency or	
Stage	□ Proposed	Emergency/NOIRA	
(check one box)	□ Final	□ Revised Proposed	
		□ Fast-Track	
Additional	Expedited Review Requested	⊠ Guidance Document	
Description	□ Exempt Action		
Legal Authority	\Box Action required by federal statute	⊠ Discretionary action	
	☑ Action required by state statute		
Deregulatory	DARS is currently reviewing the manual for potential opportunities.		
Component			
Expected Date	October 2023		

Action/Stage or Guidance Document Forum ID (if available)		
5348		
Title of Proposed	Regulatory Action or Guidance Doct	ument
AS Assisted Living	g Facility Public Pay Assessment Manu	ıal
Brief Overview		
This manual provid	des guidance related to the assessment	process for assisted living facilities
(ALFs). The focus	of this manual is ALF residents and ap	plicants who are eligible for or
receiving an Auxil	iary Grant (AG). The manual content w	vill be amended to comport with
2023 legislative ch	anges to the Code of Virginia. Other m	inor technical changes will also be
made.		
Regulatory	□ NOIRA	\Box Emergency or
Stage	□ Proposed	Emergency/NOIRA
(check one box)	□ Final	Revised Proposed
		□ Fast-Track
Additional	Expedited Review Requested	I Guidance Document
Description	□ Exempt Action	
Legal Authority	\Box Action required by federal statute	☑ Discretionary action
	Action required by state statute	
Deregulatory	DARS is currently reviewing the man	ual for potential opportunities.
Component		
Expected Date	October 2023	

Action/Stage or Guidance Document Forum ID (if available)		
4522		
Title of Proposed Regulatory Action or Guidance Document		
-	ilitation Policy and Procedure Manual	
Brief Overview	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	
The Vocational Re	ehabilitation (VR) Policy and Procedure	e Manual, also known as the VR
Policy Manual, ou	tlines the agency's requirements and p	ractices for the implementation of the
U	rginia. Providing additional detail and	•
•	anual defines the VR Program's eligib	
	ibilities, financial participation obligati	-
	nual is updated periodically throughou	
and clients.	guidance and to provide improved clari	ty to the department, stakeholders,
Regulatory		
		\Box Emergency or
Stage	□ Proposed	Emergency/NOIRA
(check one box)	🗆 Final	□ Revised Proposed
		□ Fast-Track
Additional	□ Expedited Review Requested	⊠ Guidance Document
Description	□ Exempt Action	
Legal Authority	Action required by federal statute	☑ Discretionary action
	\boxtimes Action required by state statute	
Deregulatory	DARS is taking a comprehensive look at the manual's contents with a	
Component	focus on streamlining requirements, improving the readability, and	
	aligning it with federal requirements and expected practices.	
Expected Date	October 2023 and April 2024	

Action/Stage or Guidance Document Forum ID (if available) 5349		
	Regulatory Action or Guidance Doc	eument
AS Adult Services	Manual Chapters 1-9	
Brief Overview		
	nes the policies for the implementation	
-	ected for Chapters 1, 2, 4, 5, and 7 in th	
,	ct a Department for Aging and Rehabil	
0	comport with 2023 General Assembly	
.	action made to 22VAC30-120, Adult S	ervices Approved Providers, and 4)
	ical corrections and updates.	
Regulatory	□ NOIRA	\Box Emergency or
Stage	□ Proposed	Emergency/NOIRA
(check one box)	□ Final	□ Revised Proposed
		□ Fast-Track
Additional	Expedited Review Requested	⊠ Guidance Document
Description	□ Exempt Action	
Legal Authority	\Box Action required by federal statute	☑ Discretionary action
	Action required by state statute	
Deregulatory	DARS is currently reviewing the man	ual for potential opportunities.
Component		_
Expected Date	October 2023 and December 2023	

Action/Stage or Guidance Document Forum ID (if available) 6494			
	Title of Proposed Regulatory Action or Guidance Document		
-	pecialist Advocate (WISA) Manual		
Brief Overview			
This manual provi	des information about and requirement	ts for the Work Incentives Specialist	
Advocates (WISA	s) programs and billable services, Divi	sion of Rehabilitative Services (DRS)	
vocational rehabili	itation (VR) counselor procedures, and	samples of forms for WISA and DRS	
VR counselors. Th	nis manual will need to be revised to up	odate Social Security Income (SSI)	
payment rates, stu	dent-earned income exclusion, Substan	ntial Gainful Activity (SGA)	
references for 202-	4.		
Regulatory	□ NOIRA	\Box Emergency or	
Stage	□ Proposed	Emergency/NOIRA	
(check one box)	□ Final	□ Revised Proposed	
		□ Fast-Track	
Additional	Expedited Review Requested	⊠ Guidance Document	
Description	Exempt Action		
Legal Authority	Action required by federal statute	□ Discretionary action	
	☑ Action required by state statute		
Deregulatory	WISA is authorized and awarded by t	the Social Security Administration,	
Component	which can limit DARS' ability to mo	dify some content. However, DARS	
	will take a closer look at the WISA Manual for potential opportunities.		
Expected Date	November 2023		

Action/Stage or Guidance Document Forum ID (if available)			
6501	0		
Title of Proposed	Regulatory Action or Guidance Doc	cument	
User's Manual: Un	niform Assessment Instrument		
Brief Overview			
-	des general instructions regarding the		
· · ·	The manual content will be amended t	1 0	
changes to the Coo	de of Virginia. Other minor technical c	hanges will also be made.	
Regulatory	□ NOIRA	\Box Emergency or	
Stage	□ Proposed	Emergency/NOIRA	
(check one box)	□ Final	□ Revised Proposed	
		□ Fast-Track	
Additional	Expedited Review Requested	⊠ Guidance Document	
Description	□ Exempt Action		
Legal Authority	\Box Action required by federal statute	⊠ Discretionary action	
	Action required by state statute		
Deregulatory	DARS is currently reviewing the manual for potential opportunities.		
Component			
Expected Date	November 2023		

Action/Stage or G	Guidance Document Forum ID (if ava	nilable)	
6495			
Title of Proposed	Regulatory Action or Guidance Doc	ument	
	ces Standards: All Standards Combined		
Brief Overview			
The purpose of the	e VDA Aging Service Standards is to pa	rovide minimum standards of practice	
for Older America	ns Act (OAA)-funded programs that as	ssist older adults as outlined in the	
	ded by Area Agencies on Aging (AAA		
	atted and updated to bring it into align	ment with current requirements as set	
in recent reauthori	zations of the OAA.		
Regulatory	□ NOIRA	\Box Emergency or	
Stage	□ Proposed	Emergency/NOIRA	
(check one box)	□ Final	□ Revised Proposed	
		□ Fast-Track	
Additional	Expedited Review Requested	Guidance Document	
Description	□ Exempt Action		
Legal Authority	⊠ Action required by federal statute	☑ Discretionary action	
	Action required by state statute		
Deregulatory	A number of the Service Standards have not been updated in over five		
Component	years or more. DARS is taking a comprehensive look at the Services		
	Standards with a focus on streamlining requirements, improving the		
	readability, and aligning it with federa	1 1	
	practices. For example, DARS anticipates that standards related to the care		
	coordination programs can be combined.		
Expected Date	December 2023		

Action/Stage or G	Guidance Document Forum ID (if ava	ailable)	
6504	8		
	Regulatory Action or Guidance Doc	cument	
Assisted Living Fa	acility Relocation Plan		
Brief Overview			
	intended to be used as a resource in the		
0	ted living facility (ALF) in Virginia. The	0	
amended to remov	e outdated content and make other min	or technical changes.	
Regulatory	□ NOIRA	\Box Emergency or	
Stage	□ Proposed	Emergency/NOIRA	
(check one box)	□ Final	□ Revised Proposed	
		□ Fast-Track	
Additional	□ Expedited Review Requested	⊠ Guidance Document	
Description	□ Exempt Action		
Legal Authority	□ Action required by federal statute	⊠ Discretionary action	
	\boxtimes Action required by state statute		
Deregulatory	DARS is currently reviewing the manual for potential opportunities.		
Component			
Expected Date	December 2023		

Action/Stage or Guidance Document Forum ID (if available)			
4545	4545		
-	Regulatory Action or Guidance Doc		
Wilson Workforce	and Rehabilitation Center Governance	e Manual	
Brief Overview			
This Governance N	Manual contains policies for the admini	istration and operation of Wilson	
Workforce and Re	habilitation Center (WWRC). These po	plicies seek to maintain the	
U U	npliance with applicable federal, state,	6	
	RC clients on rights and responsibilities	U	
0	ith and reflect current requirements, op	erations, and service delivery	
practices.	L		
Regulatory	□ NOIRA	\Box Emergency or	
Stage	□ Proposed	Emergency/NOIRA	
(check one box)	\Box Final	□ Revised Proposed	
		□ Fast-Track	
Additional	□ Expedited Review Requested	⊠ Guidance Document	
Description	□ Exempt Action		
Legal Authority	Action required by federal statute	☑ Discretionary action	
	⊠ Action required by state statute		
Deregulatory	The Governance Manual has not been updated in over five years. DARS is		
Component	taking a comprehensive look at it with	n a focus on streamlining	
_	requirements, improving the readability, and aligning it the DARS VR		
	Manual.		
Expected Date	December 2023		

Action/Stage on (Suidanaa Daaumant Famum ID (if aya	vilable)	
5158	Action/Stage or Guidance Document Forum ID (if available)		
	Regulatory Action or Guidance Doc	ument	
-	nily Caregiver Support Guidance		
Brief Overview			
Funding for the Na	ational Family Caregiver Support Prog	ram (NFCSP) is provided under Title	
	Older Americans Act (OAA). The guida	-	
	FY 2022, the Administration for Comn		
	be provided by Area Agencies on Agi		
	ouchers, assistive technology and dura		
	ncial consultation. This guidance needs rvice standard will be moved and adde		
	document for ease of reference.	u to the VDA Aging Services	
Regulatory	□ NOIRA	□ Emergency or	
Stage		Emergency/NOIRA	
(check one box)	□ Final	□ Revised Proposed	
		□ Fast-Track	
Additional	Expedited Review Requested	I Guidance Document	
Description	□ Exempt Action		
Legal Authority	Action required by federal statute	⊠ Discretionary action	
	Action required by state statute		
Deregulatory	-	vill be deleted and an updated version	
Component	will be integrated into the VDA Aging	6	
	document (ID: 6495), thus consolidat	ing two documents into one.	
Expected Date	December 2023		

Action/Stage or Guidance Document Forum ID (if available)		
5343		
Title of Proposed	Regulatory Action or Guidance Doc	ument
AS Broadcast 569	6 Revised Adult Protective Services (A	PS) Minimum Training Standards
Brief Overview		
	ive Services (APS) Minimum Training	6
	nandatory training requirements to be c	1
employment as an	APS worker. Other minor technical ch	anges will also be made.
Regulatory	□ NOIRA	\Box Emergency or
Stage	□ Proposed	Emergency/NOIRA
(check one box)	\Box Final	□ Revised Proposed
		□ Fast-Track
Additional	□ Expedited Review Requested	⊠ Guidance Document
Description	□ Exempt Action	
Legal Authority	□ Action required by federal statute	☑ Discretionary action
	\boxtimes Action required by state statute	
Deregulatory	The document has not been revised in more than 10 years. DARS is	
Component	currently reviewing the Minimum Training Standards to ensure it is	
	consistent with current practices and t	training standards in the field of APS.
	During that process, DARS will revie	w it for other potential opportunities.
Expected Date	January 2024	

Action/Stage or C	Action/Stage or Guidance Document Forum ID (if available)		
6964	6964		
Title of Proposed	Regulatory Action or Guidance Doc	ument	
Electronic Storage	of CIL Consumer Service Records		
Brief Overview			
	ntains guidance for Centers for Indepen		
1 1	onic consumer service record (CSR) sto	с . С	
1 0	g (IL) plans and waivers as electronic do		
	em. This guidance will be incorporated	-	
	dures Manual (ID: 4541) proposed for	January 2024.	
Regulatory	□ NOIRA	□ Emergency or	
Stage	□ Proposed	Emergency/NOIRA	
(check one box)	□ Final	Revised Proposed	
		□ Fast-Track	
Additional	Expedited Review Requested	I Guidance Document	
Description	□ Exempt Action		
Legal Authority	\boxtimes Action required by federal statute	☑ Discretionary action	
	\boxtimes Action required by state statute		
Deregulatory	This standalone guidance document will be deleted and updated version		
Component	will be integrated into CIL General Po	olicies and Procedures Manual (ID:	
	4541), thus reducing the number of DARS guidance documents.		
Expected Date	January 2024		

U	Action/Stage or Guidance Document Forum ID (if available)		
	6992		
	Regulatory Action or Guidance Doc		
Electronic Signatu	res Guidance for Independent Living C	Centers	
Brief Overview			
	ntains guidance on how Centers for Ind		
	ans, parents, or other legally authorized	1	
-	es on independent living (IL) plans, IL		
	in informed written consent in accorda	0	
-	ncorporated into the updates to the CIL	General Policies and Procedures	
,	proposed for January 2024.		
Regulatory	□ NOIRA	□ Emergency or	
Stage	□ Proposed	Emergency/NOIRA	
(check one box)	\Box Final	□ Revised Proposed	
		□ Fast-Track	
Additional	Expedited Review Requested	⊠ Guidance Document	
Description	□ Exempt Action		
Legal Authority	Action required by federal statute	☑ Discretionary action	
	Action required by state statute		
Deregulatory	This standalone guidance document w	vill be deleted and updated version	
Component	will be integrated into CIL General Po	olicies and Procedures Manual (ID:	
	4541), thus reducing the number of DARS guidance documents.		
Expected Date	January 2024		

Action/Stage or C	Action/Stage or Guidance Document Forum ID (if available)		
4541			
Title of Proposed	Regulatory Action or Guidance Doc	ument	
Centers for Indepe	endent Living General Policies and Pro-	cedures Manual	
Brief Overview			
This manual conta	ins information and requirements for C	Centers for Independent Living (CIL)	
about the state ind	ependent living (IL) grant, CIL service	s and operations, and required	
policies and proce	dures. This manual will need to be revi	sed to update policies and procedures	
in accordance with	n federal, state, and agency requirement	ts including technical changes (e.g.	
terminology, acror	nyms, etc.).		
Regulatory	□ NOIRA	\Box Emergency or	
Stage	□ Proposed	Emergency/NOIRA	
(check one box)	\Box Final	□ Revised Proposed	
		□ Fast-Track	
Additional	□ Expedited Review Requested	⊠ Guidance Document	
Description	Exempt Action		
Legal Authority	Action required by federal statute	⊠ Discretionary action	
	Action required by state statute		
Deregulatory	The CIL Manual has not been updated in over ten years. DARS is taking a		
Component	comprehensive look at the CIL Manual with a focus on streamlining		
	requirements, improving the readability, and aligning it with federal		
	requirements and expected practices.		
Expected Date	January 2024		

Action/Stage or Guidance Document Forum ID (if available) 4532		
	Regulatory Action or Guidance Doc	cument
Personal Assistan	ce Services Program Handbook	
Brief Overview		
	stance Services (PAS) Handbook provi	
	articipation in the PAS Program. The	1 0
1 0 1	which impacts the roles and responsible	6
	rd (EOR), on-boarding process, and the	e role of DARS as the fiscal agent.
Regulatory	□ NOIRA	\Box Emergency or
Stage	□ Proposed	Emergency/NOIRA
(check one box)	□ Final	□ Revised Proposed
		□ Fast-Track
Additional	Expedited Review Requested	I Guidance Document
Description	□ Exempt Action	
Legal Authority	Action required by federal statute	⊠ Discretionary action
	Action required by state statute	
Deregulatory	The PAS Handbook has not been updated in over ten years. DARS is	
Component	taking a comprehensive look at the PAS Handbook with a focus on	
	streamlining requirements, improving	
	federal requirements and expected practices.	
Expected Date	March 2024	

Action/Stage or Guidance Document Forum ID (if available)		
5161		
Title of Proposed	Regulatory Action or Guidance Doc	cument
VDA Farm Marke	t Fresh for Seniors Handbook for Farm	ners
Brief Overview		
This Handbook ap	plies to all Farmers authorized by DAI	RS to participate in the Senior
Farmers' Market N	Nutrition Program (SFMNP) in Virgini	a, also called the Farm Market Fresh
Program. The auth	norized farmer must comply with princi	iples and procedures outlined in this
	cipate. This handbook is updated annua	
application proces	s, transaction requirements, monitoring	g, and an updated listing of
participating farme	ers.	
Regulatory	□ NOIRA	\Box Emergency or
Stage	□ Proposed	Emergency/NOIRA
(check one box)	\Box Final	□ Revised Proposed
		□ Fast-Track
Additional	Expedited Review Requested	⊠ Guidance Document
Description	□ Exempt Action	
Legal Authority	Action required by federal statute	☑ Discretionary action
	\Box Action required by state statute	
Deregulatory	Virginia's SFMNP is authorized and	awarded by the U.S. Department of
Component	Agriculture. This limits DARS' abilit	
-	DARS will take a closer look at the Handbook for potential opportunities.	
Expected Date	March 2024	

Action/Stage or Guidance Document Forum ID (if available) 7199			
Title of Proposed	Regulatory Action or Guidance Doc	ument	
Senior Community	y Service Employment Program (SCSE	P State Plan) [Modification]	
Brief Overview			
1 1 I	e SCSEP state plan is for the state and r	0	
develop an action	plan for the implementation of the prog	gram in the state. Per federal	
-	SCSEP State Plan requires periodic upo	lates to keep it current and to	
	standards and priorities.		
Regulatory	□ NOIRA	□ Emergency or	
Stage	□ Proposed	Emergency/NOIRA	
(check one box)	□ Final	□ Revised Proposed	
		□ Fast-Track	
Additional	Expedited Review Requested	⊠ Guidance Document	
Description	Exempt Action		
Legal Authority	Action required by federal statute	☑ Discretionary action	
	Action required by state statute		
Deregulatory	The SCSEP State Plan structure and contents are directed heavily by		
Component	federal requirements, which authorize	federal requirements, which authorizes and funds SCSEP. While DARS'	
	ability to modify some content is limi		
	the SCSEP State Plan for potential opportunities.		
Expected Date	April 2024		

Action/Stage or Guidance Document Forum ID (if available)		
4526		
Title of Proposed	Regulatory Action or Guidance Doc	ument
2024-2027 Workfo	orce Innovation and Opportunity Act C	ombined State Plan
Brief Overview		
Under the Workfo	rce Innovation and Opportunity Act (W	VIOA), a Combined State Plan must
	e Secretary of the U.S. Department of I	
	ate's workforce development system. T	
-	state's Vocational Rehabilitation (VR)	• •
-	wed in carrying out the VR program, a	nd other information requested by the
Rehabilitation Ser	vices Administration (RSA).	
Regulatory	□ NOIRA	□ Emergency or
Stage	□ Proposed	Emergency/NOIRA
(check one box)	□ Final Rule	□ Revised Proposed
		□ Fast-Track
Additional	□ Expedited Review Requested	⊠ Guidance Document
Description	□ Exempt Action	
Legal Authority	Action required by federal statute	☑ Discretionary action
	Action required by state statute	
Deregulatory	The WIOA Combined State Plan structure and contents are directed	
Component	heavily by federal requirements, whic	h primarily authorizes and funds VR
_	services. While DARS' ability to mod	lify some content is limited, DARS
	will take a closer look at the WIOA C	ombined State Plan for potential
	opportunities.	
Expected Date	May 2024	

Action/Stage or 6	Action/Stage or Guidance Document Forum ID (if available)		
Title of Proposed Regulatory Action or Guidance Document			
State Plan for Assi			
Brief Overview			
The 21 st Century A	Assistive Technology Act provides fund	ling to Virginia to operate the state's	
	ogy (AT) Program, known as the Virgi		
(VATS). VATS is	administered by DARS and supports s	tate efforts to improve the provision	
	logy to individuals with disabilities of		
1 0	s. VATS mission is to ensure that Virg	0	
	riate, affordable assistive and informat		
	in society as active citizens. VATS is		
	istration for Community Living to cond	duct the federally-required AT	
	ties, as defined in the AT Act.		
Regulatory	□ NOIRA	\Box Emergency or	
Stage	□ Proposed	Emergency/NOIRA	
(check one box)	\Box Final	□ Revised Proposed	
		□ Fast-Track	
Additional	□ Expedited Review Requested	⊠ Guidance Document	
Description	Exempt Action		
Legal Authority	\boxtimes Action required by federal statute	☑ Discretionary action	
	Action required by state statute		
Deregulatory	The AT State Plan structure and conte	ents are directed heavily by federal	
Component	requirements, which primarily author	izes and funds each state's AT	
	Program. While DARS' ability to mo		
	will take a closer look at the AT State	Plan for potential opportunities.	
Expected Date	June 2024		

Action/Stage or Guidance Document Forum ID (if available) 4519		
Title of Proposed	Regulatory Action or Guidance Doc	ument
Virginia Guide to	Supported Employment and Job Coach	Training Services
Brief Overview		
The purpose is to p	provide practical and specific informati	on to supplement the Division of
Rehabilitative Serv	vices (DRS) Policy and Procedure Man	ual for Vocational Rehabilitation
(VR). Where possi	ible, this guide seeks to illustrate evolv	ing best practices gleaned from case
examples and data	gathered in Virginia. Specifically, the	Guide is intended to provide
practitioners with	guidance in implementing supported er	nployment services. Revisions are
-	he provisions for the benefits counselir	0
0 1	e service codes, and clarify the provision	ons for Long Term Employment
Support Services.		
Regulatory	□ NOIRA	□ Emergency or
Stage	□ Proposed	Emergency/NOIRA
(check one box)	□ Final	□ Revised Proposed
		□ Fast-Track
Additional	□ Expedited Review Requested	⊠ Guidance Document
Description	□ Exempt Action	
Legal Authority	Action required by federal statute	⊠ Discretionary action
	Action required by state statute	
Deregulatory	DARS intends to review the guide for potential opportunities to reduce the	
Component	burden, streamline the document, and improve the clarity.	
Expected Date	June 2024	

Action/Stage or Guidance Document Forum ID (if available) 4520			
	Title of Proposed Regulatory Action or Guidance Document		
-	e to Self-Employment		
Brief Overview	• •		
The Consumer's C	Buide to Self-Employment provides ins	ight into the DRS Self-Employment	
Enterprise program	n and its procedures as well as what wi	ll be expected of consumers. This	
-	ted to bring it into alignment with curr	ent practices and expected program	
improvements.	1		
Regulatory	□ NOIRA	□ Emergency or	
Stage	□ Proposed	Emergency/NOIRA	
(check one box)	□ Final	□ Revised Proposed	
		□ Fast-Track	
Additional	Expedited Review Requested	⊠ Guidance Document	
Description	Exempt Action		
Legal Authority	Action required by federal statute	☑ Discretionary action	
	Action required by state statute		
Deregulatory	This guide has not been updated in over ten years. DARS will take a		
Component	comprehensive look at it with a focus on streamlining requirements,		
	improving the readability, and alignin	g it with any applicable federal	
	requirements and expected practices.	requirements and expected practices.	
Expected Date	June 2024		

Action/Stage or Guidance Document Forum ID (if available)		
5079		
Title of Proposed	Regulatory Action or Guidance Doc	ument
Vendor Application	on for Licensed Behavioral Health Serv	vices Provider A1205- Guidance
Document		
Brief Overview		
The Vendor Appli	cation for Licensed Behavior Health Se	ervices provides information about
the process and rec	quirements for individuals seeking veno	dor status with DARS as a licensed
-	ates will include changes in the program	
process.		
Regulatory	□ NOIRA	Emergency or
Stage	□ Proposed	Emergency/NOIRA
(check one box)	□ Final	□ Revised Proposed
		□ Fast-Track
Additional	Expedited Review Requested	⊠ Guidance Document
Description	□ Exempt Action	
Legal Authority	Action required by federal statute	☑ Discretionary action
	Action required by state statute	
Deregulatory	This document has not been updated in almost ten years. DARS intends to	
Component	take a comprehensive look at it and identify potential opportunities.	
Expected Date	June 2024	

Action/Stage or Guidance Document Forum ID (if available)			
	5081		
-	Regulatory Action or Guidance Doc		
Guidance for the F	Provision of Therapeutic Behavioral Se	rvices (TBS)	
Brief Overview			
The Guidance for	the Provision of Therapeutic Behaviora	al Services (TBS) provides	
information about	the requirements for the Provision of T	TBS. It includes requirements,	
expectations, licen	sure, and rates as they pertain to vendo	or services. This document will be	
updated to bring it	into alignment with current practices a	and expected program improvements.	
Regulatory	□ NOIRA	\Box Emergency or	
Stage	□ Proposed	Emergency/NOIRA	
(check one box)	□ Final	□ Revised Proposed	
		□ Fast-Track	
Additional	Expedited Review Requested	⊠ Guidance Document	
Description	Exempt Action		
Legal Authority	Action required by federal statute	⊠ Discretionary action	
	⊠ Action required by state statute		
Deregulatory	DARS will review the guidance for potential opportunities.		
Component			
Expected Date	June 2024		

Action/Stage or Guidance Document Forum ID (if available)			
6264	6264		
Title of Proposed	Regulatory Action or Guidance Doc	cument	
Licensed Behavior	ral Health Services - Guidance and Fee	es Document	
Brief Overview			
The Licensed Beh	avioral Health Services - Guidance and	l Fees Document provides	
information about	the requirements for the Licensed Beh	avioral Health Services to include	
vendor criteria, ex	pectations, fees as outlined in the manu	al. This document will be updated to	
bring it into alignment	nent with current practices and expecte	ed program improvements.	
Regulatory	□ NOIRA	\Box Emergency or	
Stage	□ Proposed	Emergency/NOIRA	
(check one box)	□ Final	□ Revised Proposed	
		□ Fast-Track	
Additional	Expedited Review Requested	⊠ Guidance Document	
Description	Exempt Action		
Legal Authority	Action required by federal statute	⊠ Discretionary action	
	\boxtimes Action required by state statute		
Deregulatory	DARS will review the guidance for potential opportunities.		
Component			
Expected Date	June 2024		

Action/Stage or Guidance Document Forum ID (if available)		
4521		
-	Regulatory Action or Guidance Doc	ument
Vocational Evalua	tion Best Practices Manual	
Brief Overview		
The manual is inte	nded to unite all segments of DRS Voc	cational Evaluation Services in
Virginia in an orga	anized fashion to promote consistency of	of standards and practices under the
leadership of the C	Chief Evaluators who will serve as "Qua	ality Assurance Consults." This
manual will be up	dated to bring it into alignment with cu	rrent practices and expected program
improvements.		
Regulatory	□ NOIRA	Emergency or
Stage	□ Proposed	Emergency/NOIRA
(check one box)	□ Final	□ Revised Proposed
		□ Fast-Track
Additional	Expedited Review Requested	⊠ Guidance Document
Description	□ Exempt Action	
Legal Authority	Action required by federal statute	☑ Discretionary action
	Action required by state statute	
Deregulatory	DARS will review the guidance for potential opportunities.	
Component		
Expected Date	June 2024	

Action/Stage or (Action/Stage or Guidance Document Forum ID (if available)		
4533			
Title of Proposed	Regulatory Action or Guidance Doc	ument	
Personal Assistance	ce Services Policy and Procedure Manu	al Chapters 1-5	
Brief Overview			
	stance Services (PAS) Policy and Proce		
	the requirements for the PAS program		
	This manual will need to be revised to u	pdate current practices and processes.	
Regulatory	□ NOIRA	\Box Emergency or	
Stage	□ Proposed	Emergency/NOIRA	
(check one box)	□ Final	□ Revised Proposed	
		□ Fast-Track	
Additional	□ Expedited Review Requested	⊠ Guidance Document	
Description	□ Exempt Action		
Legal Authority	Action required by federal statute	☑ Discretionary action	
	Action required by state statute		
Deregulatory	The PAS Manual has not been updated in over five years. DARS will take		
Component	a comprehensive look at the PAS Manual with a focus on streamlining		
	requirements, improving the readability, and aligning it with federal and		
	state requirements and expected practices. DARS will update and combine		
	▲	this Manual with Chapters 6-14, which is currently filed as a separate	
	guidance document (ID: 4534).		
Expected Date	June 2024		

Action/Stage or Guidance Document Forum ID (if available)		
4534		
Title of Proposed	Regulatory Action or Guidance Doc	ument
Personal Assistance	ce Services Policy and Procedure Manu	al Chapters 6 through 14
Brief Overview		
The Personal Assi	stance Services (PAS) Policy and Proce	edure Manual Chapters 6-14)
-	on about the requirements for the PAS	
and responsibilitie	s. This manual will need to be revised	to update current practices and
processes.		
Regulatory	□ NOIRA	\Box Emergency or
Stage	□ Proposed	Emergency/NOIRA
(check one box)	□ Final	□ Revised Proposed
		□ Fast-Track
Additional	□ Expedited Review Requested	⊠ Guidance Document
Description	Exempt Action	
Legal Authority	Action required by federal statute	☑ Discretionary action
	\boxtimes Action required by state statute	
Deregulatory	The PAS Manual has not been updated in over five years. DARS will take	
Component	a comprehensive look at the PAS Manual with a focus on streamlining	
	requirements, improving the readability, and aligning it with federal and	
	state requirements and expected practices. This standalone guidance	
	document will be deleted and updated version will be integrated into	
	Personal Assistance Services Policy a	nd Procedure Manual Chapters 1-5
	(ID: 4533), thus consolidating two do	cuments into one.
Expected Date	June 2024	

Department of Agriculture and Consumer Services (VDACS) / Total = 1

Action/Stage or Guidance Document Forum ID (if available)		
Not available		
Title of Proposed	Regulatory Action or Guidance Doc	ument
2024 Virginia Coo	perative Spongy Moth Suppression Pro	ogram (Guidance Document)
Brief Overview		
The proposed char	nges will update the dates within the gu	idelines to reflect the dates relevant
to the 2024 Virgin	ia Cooperative Spongy Moth Suppressi	on Program.
Regulatory	□ NOIRA	Emergency Rule
Stage	□ Proposed Rule	□ Revised Proposed
(check one box)	□ Final Rule	□ Fast-Track Rule
Additional	Expedited Review Requested	⊠ Guidance Document
Description	□ Exempt Action	
Legal Authority	□ Action required by federal statute	⊠Discretionary action
	□Action required by state statute	
Deregulatory		
Component		
Expected Date	August 2023	

Department of Aviation (DOAV) / Total = 1

Title of Proposed Regulatory Action or Guidance Document DOAV Airport Program Manual August 2023 revision

Brief Overview

The Airport Program manual is a guidance document and user guide for airport sponsors and DOAV staff for the Commonwealth Aviation Fund for discretionary, entitlement, and maintenance grants. The latest version has been been modified by staff, reviewed, and approved by the technical committee for the Virginia Airport Operator's Council (VAOC), and reviewed by the Virginia Aviation Board. Approval and adoption of the Airport Program Manual is anticipated at the August 18, 2023 Virginia Aviation Board Meeting.

Regulatory		Emergency Rule
Stage	□ Proposed Rule	□ Fast-Track Rule
(check one box)	□ Final Rule	
Additional	□ Expedited Rule	⊠ Guidance Document
Description	□ Exempt Rule	
Legal Authority	□ Action required by federal statute	☑ Discretionary action
	\Box Action required by state statute	
Deregulatory	Consolidation, clarification, and impr	oved readability of existing program
Component	guidance	
Expected Date	August 2023	

Department of Behavioral Health and Developmental Services (DBHDS) / Total = 7

Title of Proposed Regulatory Action or Guidance Document			
Uses of Video and	Uses of Video and Audio Monitoring in a Provider Service Settings (HR 03)		
Brief Overview			
This guidance will	l clarify the right of individuals receiving	ng services licensed, funded, or	
1 V	OS to reasonable privacy, and clarify ar	nd detail expectations regarding	
provider use of mo	onitoring devices in a service setting.		
Regulatory	□ NOIRA	□ Emergency or	
Stage	Proposed Rule	Emergency/NOIRA	
(check one box)	□ Final Rule	□ Revised Proposed	
		□ Fast-Track	
Additional	Expedited Rule	⊠ Guidance Document	
Description	□ Exempt Rule		
Legal Authority	□ Action required by federal statute	☑ Discretionary action	
	\Box Action required by state statute		
Deregulatory	DBHDS guidance documents are not enforceable, and therefore, contain		
Component	no mandates.		
Expected Date	September 2023		

Action/Stage or Guidance Document Forum ID (if available)		
Title of Proposed	Regulatory Action or Guidance Doc	eument
Guidance on Repo	orting Medication Errors as Potential Al	buse or Neglect (HR 04)
Brief Overview		
This guidance will clarify expectations for licensed and funded providers regarding when to report a medication error as potential abuse or neglect; the intent is to reduce reporting that is not tied to suspected neglect. The guidance will clarify terminology and provide examples.		
Regulatory	□ NOIRA	Emergency or
Stage	Proposed Rule	Emergency/NOIRA
(check one box)	□ Final Rule	□ Revised Proposed
		□ Fast-Track
Additional	Expedited Rule	I Guidance Document
Description	□ Exempt Rule	
Legal Authority	\Box Action required by federal statute	☑ Discretionary action
	\Box Action required by state statute	-
Deregulatory	DBHDS guidance documents are not enforceable, and therefore, contain	
Component	no mandates.	
Expected Date	September 2023	

Action/Stage or Guidance Document Forum ID (if available)			
Guidance Docume	Guidance Document Forum (not available)		
Title of Proposed	Regulatory Action or Guidance Doc	cument	
DBHDS DD Supp	ort Coordination (Case Management) I	Handbook (DD 05)	
Brief Overview			
-	vides information and "how to" guidan		
. ,	gement services across the system. Gen	1	
	e (including DMAS) and user feedback	• •	
11	or's/case manager's role is essential to l	1 0	
	es under the Medicaid Development D		
handbook is to gui	de support coordinators in all aspects of	of their work.	
Regulatory	□ NOIRA	□ Emergency Rule	
Stage	□ Proposed Rule	□ Fast-Track Rule	
(check one box)	□ Final Rule		
Additional	□ Expedited Rule	⊠ Guidance Document	
Description	□ Exempt Rule		
Legal Authority	\Box Action required by federal statute	☑ Discretionary action	
	\Box Action required by state statute		
Deregulatory	DBHDS guidance documents are not enforceable, and therefore, contain		
Component	no mandates.		
Expected Date	e September 2023		

Action/Stage or Guidance Document Forum ID (if available)		
Guidance Document Forum ID (not available)		
Title of Proposed	Regulatory Action or Guidance Doc	cument
Certified Recovery	y Residences (ORS 01)	
Brief Overview		
This guidance will	be updated to correspond with mandat	ted changes to 12VAC35-260, per
	regulatory action is in process. While	e i i
0	owever, the box is checked under 'lega	l authority' as it is tied to the
regulatory mandat	te.	
Regulatory	□ NOIRA	\Box Emergency or
Stage	Proposed Rule	Emergency/NOIRA
(check one box)	□ Final Rule	□ Revised Proposed
		□ Fast-Track
Additional	Expedited Rule	⊠ Guidance Document
Description	Exempt Rule	
Legal Authority	□ Action required by federal statute	□ Discretionary action
	⊠ Action required by state statute	
Deregulatory	DBHDS guidance documents are not enforceable, and therefore, contain	
Component	no mandates.	
Expected Date	December 2023	

Action/Stage or Guidance Document Forum ID (if available)		
Guidance document forum ID (not available)		
Title of Proposed	Regulatory Action or Guidance Doc	ument
Part C 09 Early Int	tervention Practice Manual	
Brief Overview		
Planned changes a	re intended to align the manual with ne	w processes necessitated by a new
data system and to	reflect telehealth options now allowed	and their associated Medicaid
requirements. The	re might be changes related to which pe	ersonnel can provide Early
Intervention servic	ces (depending on DMAS' response) an	d some other nonsubstantive updates.
Regulatory	□ NOIRA	\Box Emergency or
Stage	□ Proposed	Emergency/NOIRA
(check one box)	\Box Final	□ Revised Proposed
		□ Fast-Track
Additional	Expedited Review Requested	⊠ Guidance Document
Description	□ Exempt Action	
Legal Authority	□ Action required by federal statute	☑ Discretionary action
	□ Action required by state statute	
Deregulatory	DBHDS guidance documents are not enforceable, and therefore have no	
Component	mandates.	
Expected Date	December 2023	

Title of Proposed Regulatory Action or Guidance Document			
-	Guidance for Serious Incident Reporting (LIC 17)		
Brief Overview			
The planned updat	tes to this guidance document will inclu	Ide additional clarification regarding	
-	the DOJ Settlement Agreement for pro-		
1	are common to individuals with develo	<u> </u>	
	y review of serious incidents. The guid	· ·	
	This is not required by federal or stat		
· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	Justice in implementing the Settlement	t Agreement with Virginia.	
Regulatory	□ NOIRA	□ Emergency Rule	
Stage	□ Proposed Rule	□ Fast-Track Rule	
(check one box)	□ Final Rule		
Additional	□ Expedited Rule	⊠ Guidance Document	
Description	Exempt Rule		
Legal Authority	\Box Action required by federal statute	□ Discretionary action	
	\Box Action required by state statute	🖾 Other (DOJ Settlement Agr.)	
Deregulatory	DBHDS guidance documents are not enforceable, and therefore, contain		
Component	no mandates.		
Expected Date	January 2024		

Title of Proposed Regulatory Action or Guidance Document

Guidance for Risk Management (LIC 21)

Brief Overview

The planned updates to this guidance document will include additional clarification as to how providers can incorporate information from their quarterly review of serious incidents into their annual systemic risk review. Updating this document is necessary to comply with required curative actions of the DOJ Settlement Agreement. *This is not required by federal or state statute, but by agreement with the US Department of Justice in implementing the*

Settlement Agreement with Virginia.

Regulatory		Emangeney Dula
•		□ Emergency Rule
Stage	\Box Proposed Rule	□ Fast-Track Rule
(check one box)	□ Final Rule	
Additional	Expedited Rule	I Guidance Document
Description	Exempt Rule	
Legal Authority	\Box Action required by federal statute	□ Discretionary action
	\Box Action required by state statute	In the other (DOJ Settlement Agr.)
Deregulatory	DBHDS guidance documents are not enforceable, and therefore, contain	
Component	no mandates.	
Expected Date	January 2024	

Department of Conservation and Recreation (DCR) / Total = 14

Action/Stage or Guidance Document Forum ID (if available)		
Title of Proposed	Regulatory Action or Guidance Doc	ument
Virginia Commun	ity Flood Preparedness Fund (CFPF) G	rant Manual (Grant Round 4)
Brief Overview: V	Virginia Community Flood Preparedne	ss Fund (CFPF) was established to
provide support for regions and localities across Virginia to reduce the impacts of flooding. The updated manual will include CFPF Grant Round 4.		
Regulatory	□ NOIRA	Emergency Rule or
Stage	□ Proposed	Emergency/NOIRA
(check one box)		□ Revised Proposed
		⊠ Fast-Track
Additional	Expedited Review Requested	⊠ Guidance Document
Description	Exempt Action	
Legal Authority	□ Action required by federal statute	⊠ Discretionary action
	Action required by state statute	
Deregulatory		
Component		
Expected Date	July 2023 – Issued for public comment	

Title of Proposed Regulatory Action or Guidance Document The Resilient Virginia Revolving Fund (RVRF) Manual

Brief Overview: The Resilient Virginia Revolving Fund (RVRF) was established to provide loans or to refinance projects for local governments or to give grants to them and provides that local governments may use the Fund for loans or grants to persons of the Commonwealth eligible for projects for resilience purposes.

Regulatory	□ NOIRA	Emergency Rule or
Stage	□ Proposed	Emergency/NOIRA
(check one box)	□ Final	□ Revised Proposed
		□ Fast-Track
Additional	Expedited Review Requested	Guidance Document
Description	□ Exempt Action	
Legal Authority	□ Action required by federal statute	□ Discretionary action
	Action required by state statute	
Deregulatory		
Component		
Expected Date	July 2023 – Issued for public comment	

Title of Proposed Regulatory Action or Guidance Document

Clinch River State Park Master Plan

Brief Overview: Subsection 10.1-200 of the Code of Virginia requires that master plans be
written for existing and proposed Virginia State Parks. The plans cover the size, types, locations
of facilities, and the site's special features and resources. Plans also cover infrastructure, such as
roads and utilities. They also outline phased development and costs for operations, maintenance,
and staffing.

Regulatory Stage (check one box)	□ NOIRA □ Proposed □ Final	 Emergency Rule or Emergency/NOIRA Revised Proposed Fast-Track
Additional Description	 Expedited Review Requested Exempt Action 	⊠ Guidance Document
Legal Authority	 □ Action required by federal statute ☑ Action required by state statute 	□ Discretionary action
Deregulatory	None	
Component		
Expected Date	August 2023	

Action/Stage or Guidance Document Forum ID (if available)			
Title of Propose	Title of Proposed Regulatory Action or Guidance Document		
Virginia Flood R	isk Management Standards		
Brief Overview:	: Code of Virginia § 10.1-603 codi	fied Executive Order 45 (2019), establishing	
Floodplain mana	gement requirements and planning	standards for state agencies, institutions, and	
property. To rem	ain in compliance with the Nationa	l Flood Insurance Program (NFIP), Virginia	
is required to for	mally adopt development standards	for state agency buildings and facilities in	
flood-prone areas	s. Participation in the NFIP provide	s Virginia's citizens with lower-cost flood	
insurance.			
Regulatory	□ NOIRA	□ Emergency Rule or Emergency/NOIRA	
Stage	□ Proposed	□ Revised Proposed	
(check one	\Box Final	□ Fast-Track	
box)			
Additional	□ Expedited Review Requested	Guidance Document	
Description	□ Exempt Action		
Legal	\Box Action required by federal	□ Discretionary action	
Authority	statute		
	\boxtimes Action required by state		
	statute		
Deregulatory			
Component			
Expected Date	September 2023		

Action/Stage or DCR-NH-064	Action/Stage or Guidance Document Forum ID (if available) DCR-NH-064		
Title of Propose	d Regulatory Action or Guidance	Document	
Third Quarter (20	023)- Update of DCR-NH-064 - Na	tural Heritage Resources of Virginia – Rare	
Animal Species			
	-	entifying and prioritizing what needs	
1 0	6	esources (NHR) which need conservation	
	6	Area Preserves Act of 1989 (Section 10.1-	
-		rare, threatened, and endangered plant and	
-	1	bitats, and ecosystems; and other natural	
features of the Co	ommonwealth. This document is up	pdated quarterly.	
Regulatory	□ NOIRA	□ Emergency Rule or Emergency/NOIRA	
Stage	□ Proposed	Revised Proposed	
(check one	\Box Final	□ Fast-Track	
box)			
Additional	□ Expedited Review Requested	⊠ Guidance Document	
Description	□ Exempt Action		
Legal	□ Action required by federal	□ Discretionary action	
Authority	statute		
-	\boxtimes Action required by state		
	statute		
Deregulatory	None		
Component			
Expected Date	September 2023		

Title of Proposed Regulatory Action or Guidance Document Third Quarter (2023) - Update of **DCR-NH-075** -Natural Heritage Resources of Virginia – **Rare Plants List**

Regulatory		Emergency Rule or
Stage	□ Proposed	Emergency/NOIRA
(check one box)	□ Final	□ Revised Proposed
		□ Fast-Track
Additional	Expedited Review Requested	⊠ Guidance Document
Description	□ Exempt Action	
Legal Authority	□ Action required by federal statute	□ Discretionary action
	Action required by state statute	
Deregulatory	None	
Component		
Expected Date	September 2023	

Action/Stage o	Action/Stage or Guidance Document Forum ID (if available)		
Fourth Quarter	Title of Proposed Regulatory Action or Guidance Document Fourth Quarter (2023) Update DCR-NH-064 - Natural Heritage Resources of Virginia – Rare Animal Species		
Brief Overview: The first step in conservation is identifying and prioritizing what needs protecting. DCR-DNH identifies Natural Heritage Resources (NHR) which need conservation attention. NHR are defined in the Virginia Natural Area Preserves Act of 1989 (Section 10.1-209 through 217, Code of Virginia) as the habitat of rare, threatened, and endangered plant and animal species; exemplary natural communities, habitats, and ecosystems; and other natural features of the Commonwealth. This document is updated quarterly.			
Regulatory Stage (check one box)	□ NOIRA □ Proposed □ Final	 Emergency Rule or Emergency/NOIRA Revised Proposed Fast-Track 	
Additional Description	□ Expedited Review Requested □ Exempt Action	I Guidance Document	
Legal Authority	 Action required by federal statute Action required by state statute 	□ Discretionary action	
Deregulatory Component	None		
Expected Date	December 2023		

Title of Proposed Regulatory Action or Guidance Document Fourth Quarter (2023) Update DCR-NH-075 - Natural Heritage Resources of Virginia – **Rare Plants List**

Regulatory	\square NOIRA	Emergency Rule or
Stage		Emergency/NOIRA
(check one box)	□ Final	□ Revised Proposed
		□ Fast-Track
Additional	□ Expedited Review Requested	⊠ Guidance Document
Description	□ Exempt Action	
Legal Authority	\Box Action required by federal statute	□ Discretionary action
	Action required by state statute	
Deregulatory	None	
Component		
Expected Date	December 2023	

Title of Proposed Regulatory Action or Guidance Document First Quarter 2024 - Update DCR-NH-064 - Natural Heritage Resources of Virginia – **Rare Animal Species**

Regulatory	□ NOIRA	Emergency Rule or
Stage	□ Proposed	Emergency/NOIRA
(check one box)	□ Final	□ Revised Proposed
		□ Fast-Track
Additional	□ Expedited Review Requested	⊠ Guidance Document
Description	□ Exempt Action	
Legal Authority	\Box Action required by federal	□ Discretionary action
	statute	
	\boxtimes Action required by state statute	
Deregulatory	None	
Component		
Expected Date	March 2024	

Title of Proposed Regulatory Action or Guidance Document First Quarter (2024) - Update DCR-NH-075 - Natural Heritage Resources of Virginia – **Rare Plants List**

Regulatory		Emergency Rule or
Stage	□ Proposed	Emergency/NOIRA
(check one box)	□ Final	Revised Proposed
		□ Fast-Track
Additional	□ Expedited Review Requested	⊠ Guidance Document
Description	□ Exempt Action	
Legal Authority	\Box Action required by federal	□ Discretionary action
	statute	
	\boxtimes Action required by state statute	
Deregulatory	None	
Component		
Expected Date	March 2024	

Title of Proposed Regulatory Action or Guidance Document

Southwest VA Museum State Park Master Plan

Brief Overview: Subsection 10.1-200 of the Code of Virginia requires that master plans be written for existing and proposed Virginia State Parks. The plans cover the size, types, locations of facilities, and the site's special features and resources. Plans also cover infrastructure, such as roads and utilities. They also outline phased development and costs for operations, maintenance, and staffing.

Regulatory Stage (check one box)	□ NOIRA □ Proposed □ Final	 Emergency Rule or Emergency/NOIRA Revised Proposed Fast-Track
Additional Description	 Expedited Review Requested Exempt Action 	I Guidance Document
Legal Authority	\Box Action required by federal statute \boxtimes Action required by state statute	□ Discretionary action
Deregulatory	None	
Component		
Expected Date	May 2024	

Title of Proposed Regulatory Action or Guidance Document Second Quarter (2024) -Update DCR-NH-064 - Natural Heritage Resources of Virginia – **Rare Animal Species**

Regulatory	□ NOIRA	Emergency Rule or
Stage	□ Proposed	Emergency/NOIRA
(check one box)	□ Final	□ Revised Proposed
		□ Fast-Track
Additional	□ Expedited Review Requested	⊠ Guidance Document
Description	Exempt Action	
Legal Authority	\Box Action required by federal	□ Discretionary action
	statute	-
	\boxtimes Action required by state statute	
Deregulatory	None	
Component		
Expected Date	June 2024	

Title of Proposed Regulatory Action or Guidance Document Second Quarter (2024) Update DCR-NH-075 - Natural Heritage Resources of Virginia – **Rare Plants List**

Regulatory	□ NOIRA	Emergency Rule or
Stage	□ Proposed	Emergency/NOIRA
(check one box)	□ Final	□ Revised Proposed
		□ Fast-Track
Additional	Expedited Review Requested	⊠ Guidance Document
Description	□ Exempt Action	
Legal Authority	\Box Action required by federal	□ Discretionary action
	statute	
	\boxtimes Action required by state statute	
Deregulatory	None	
Component		
Expected Date	June 2024	

Title of Proposed Regulatory Action or Guidance Document

Update DCR-NH-074 - Virginia's Precious Heritage: A Report on the Status of Virginia's Natural Communities, Plants and Animals

Brief Overview: The Virginia Natural Heritage Plan provides a comprehensive description of the Virginia Natural Heritage Program, the condition of the state's biodiversity, and its goals for protecting the Commonwealth's natural communities and rare species.

Expected Date	June 2024	
Component		
Deregulatory	None	
	\boxtimes Action required by state statute	
	statute	
Legal Authority	\Box Action required by federal	□ Discretionary action
Description	Exempt Action	
Additional	□ Expedited Review Requested	I Guidance Document
		□ Fast-Track
(check one box)	□ Final	□ Revised Proposed
Stage	□ Proposed	Emergency/NOIRA
Regulatory	□ NOIRA	□ Emergency Rule or

Department of Criminal Justice Services (DCJS) / Total = 5

Title of Proposed Regulatory Action or Guidance Document

Training Standards for School Resource Officers

Brief Overview

The Virginia Center for School and Campus Safety division of DCJS has been working with subject matter experts and facilitating a workgroup to establish training standards for School Resource Officers (SROs) who are sworn officers, employed by Sheriffs' Offices or Police Departments in the Commonwealth, and assigned to elementary, middle, high schools, and colleges in Virginia. DCJS anticipates the promulgation of this new guidance document in late 2023, after final departmental approval is given after consultation with the Secretary of Public Safety and Homeland Security. Although the standards and requirements themselves have been under development for some time, as stated in the above actions pertaining to this division of DCJS, the agency is currently awaiting direction on how to proceed.

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Regulatory	□ NOIRA	Emergency Rule	
Stage	Proposed Rule	□ Fast-Track Rule	
(check one box)	□ Final Rule		
Additional	Expedited Rule	⊠ Guidance Document	
Description	Exempt Rule		
Legal Authority	\Box Action required by federal statute	☑ Discretionary action	
	\Box Action required by state statute		
Deregulatory	This action will not reduce the regulat	tory requirements of the agency, but	
Component	rather, will enhance the safety of som	e of the youngest citizens of Virginia	
	by the promulgation of a guidance do	cument containing standards and	
	requirements to be utilized by employing Sheriffs' Offices or Police		
	Departments for their SROs working	in/on school campuses.	
Expected Date	December 2023		

Title of Proposed Regulatory Action or Guidance Document

Training Standards for School Security Officers

Brief Overview

Upon the repeal of 6 VAC 20-240, the Virginia Center for School and Campus Safety division of DCJS anticipates continuing to work with subject matter experts to establish training standards and requirements for School Security Officers (SSOs) who are civilian, non-sworn individuals employed by schools and/or colleges. DCJS anticipates the promulgation of this new guidance document in late 2023, after final departmental and Secretariat approval is given

Regulatory	□ NOIRA	Emergency Rule
Stage	□ Proposed Rule	□ Fast-Track Rule
(check one box)	□ Final Rule	
Additional	□ Expedited Rule	⊠ Guidance Document
Description	□ Exempt Rule	
Legal Authority	\Box Action required by federal statute	□ Discretionary action
	\Box Action required by state statute	
Deregulatory	This action will not reduce the regulat	tory requirements of the agency, but
Component	rather, will enhance the safety of som	e of the youngest citizens of Virginia
	by the promulgation of a guidance document containing standards and	
	requirements to be utilized by the emp	ploying schools and/or colleges.
Expected Date	December 2023	

Title of Proposed Regulatory Action or Guidance Document

Training Standards for Campus Security Officers

Brief Overview

Upon the repeal of 6 VAC 20-270, the Virginia Center for School and Campus Safety division of DCJS anticipates continuing to work with subject matter experts to establish training standards and requirements for Campus Security Officers (CSOs) who are civilian, non-sworn individuals employed by schools and/or colleges. DCJS anticipates the promulgation of this new guidance document in early 2023, after final departmental and Secretariat approval is given.

Regulatory	□ NOIRA	Emergency Rule
Stage (check one box)	□ Proposed Rule □ Final Rule	□ Fast-Track Rule
Additional	□ Expedited Rule	⊠ Guidance Document
Description	□ Exempt Rule	
Legal Authority	\Box Action required by federal statute	□ Discretionary action
	\Box Action required by state statute	
Deregulatory	This action will not reduce the regula	tory requirements of the agency, but
Component	rather, will enhance the safety of some of the youngest citizens of Virginia	
	by the promulgation of a guidance document containing standards and	
	requirements to be utilized by the emp	ploying schools and/or colleges.
Expected Date	December 2023	

Title of Proposed	Regulatory Action or Guidance Doc	ument	
CASA/CJA Advis	CASA/CJA Advisory Committee Guidance Policies for Court Appointed Special Advocate		
Programs			
Brief Overview			
	ament currently posted to Town Hall fo		
Committee's guida	ance policies for Court Appointed Spec	eial Advocate Programs (CASA) was	
last updated in 201	17. The newest version, which contains	updated language and technical	
amendments, was	made in 2021, so this document will be	e replaced later this year.	
Regulatory	□ NOIRA	Emergency Rule	
Stage	Proposed Rule	□ Fast-Track Rule	
(check one box)	□ Final Rule		
Additional	Expedited Rule	I Guidance Document	
Description	□ Exempt Rule		
Legal Authority	□ Action required by federal statute	☑ Discretionary action	
	\Box Action required by state statute		
Deregulatory	This action will not reduce the regulatory requirements of the agency, but		
Component	rather, will update the current guidance document, ensuring all constituents		
	are receiving the most up-to-date information related to CASA.		
Expected Date	December 2023		

Title of Proposed Regulatory Action or Guidance Document Local Community-Based Probation and Pretrial Services Grant Application Guide for Continuation Funding

Brief Overview

The guidance document currently posted to Town Hall for the Local Community-Based Probation and Pretrial Services Grant Application Guide has not been updated since FY16 and is no longer being utilized by constituents seeking funding, so it will be replaced with the most current version, for FY24, once it is complete in late 2023. Although the current version for FY23 is available on the DCJS website, it was never posted to Town Hall, which is an oversight on the agency's part. The updated version will contain new technical amendments and rules for those agencies seeking funding for FY24.

Regulatory	□ NOIRA	Emergency Rule
Stage	□ Proposed Rule	□ Fast-Track Rule
(check one box)	□ Final Rule	
Additional	□ Expedited Rule	⊠ Guidance Document
Description	□ Exempt Rule	
Legal Authority	\Box Action required by federal statute	⊠ Discretionary action
	\Box Action required by state statute	
Deregulatory	This action will not reduce the regula	tory requirements of the agency, but
Component	rather, will update the current guidance document, ensuring all constituents	
	are receiving the most up-to-date info	rmation related to funding
	opportunities.	
Expected Date	December 2023	

Department of Education (DOE) / Total = 6

Action/Stage or Guidance Document Forum ID (if available)			
n/a			
-	Regulatory Action or Guidance Doc	cument	
Child Care Subsid	dy Program Guidance Manual		
Brief Overview			
-	pdate the Child Care Subsidy Program	Guidance Manual to reflect changes	
in federal guidance	e		
Regulatory	□ NOIRA	□ Emergency or	
Stage	□ Proposed	Emergency/NOIRA	
(check one	\Box Final	□ Revised Proposed	
box)		□ Fast-Track	
Additional	□ Expedited Review Requested	X Guidance Document	
Description	Exempt Action		
Legal	□ Action required by federal statute	X Discretionary action	
Authority	\Box Action required by state statute		
Deregulatory			
Component			
Expected Date	April 2024		

Action/Stage or Guidance Document Forum ID (if available) n/a		
-	Regulatory Action or Guidance Doc	ument ve Code of Student Conduct Policy and
Alternatives to Sus		ve code of student conduct foncy and
Brief Overview The Board will update the policy to comply with Chapter 296 of the 2023 Acts of the Assembly.		
Regulatory Stage	□ NOIRA	Emergency or Emergency/NOIRA
(check one box)	Proposed	□ Revised Proposed
	□ Final	□ Fast-Track
Additional Description	 Expedited Review Requested Exempt Action 	X Guidance Document
Legal Authority	☐ Action required by federal statute X Action required by state statute	X Discretionary action
Deregulatory Component		
Expected Date	June 2024	

Title of Proposed Regulatory Action or Guidance Document

High-Quality Professional Development

Brief Overview

The Board will develop high-quality professional development in accordance with Chapter 645 of the 2023 Acts of the Assembly.

Regulatory Stage	□ NOIRA	□ Emergency or Emergency/NOIRA
(check one box)	Proposed	□ Revised Proposed
	🗆 Final	□ Fast-Track
Additional	Expedited Review Requested	X Guidance Document
Description	Exempt Action	
Legal Authority	□ Action required by federal statute	X Discretionary action
	X Action required by state statute	
Deregulatory		
Component		
Expected Date	June 2024	

Action/Stage or Guidance Document Forum ID (if available)		
n/a		
Title of Proposed	Regulatory Action or Guidance Doc	eument
Revisions to the H	Board's High-Quality Work-Based Lear	rning Guide
Brief Overview		
	ake annual updates to the High-Quality	y Work-Based Learning Guide.
Regulatory	□ NOIRA	Emergency or
Stage	□ Proposed	Emergency/NOIRA
(check one	□ Final	□ Revised Proposed
box)		□ Fast-Track
Additional	Expedited Review Requested	X Guidance Document
Description	□ Exempt Action	
Legal	□ Action required by federal statute	X Discretionary action
Authority	\Box Action required by state statute	
Deregulatory		
Component	1 2024	
Expected Date	June 2024	

Action/Stage or Guidance Document Forum ID (if available)			
n/a			
Title of Proposed	Regulatory Action or Guidance Doc	ument	
Revisions to the H	Board's Approved Industry Certification	ns, Occupational Competency	
Assessments, and	Professional Licenses		
Brief Overview			
The Board will do	o an annual update to the Approved Ind	lustry Certifications, Occupational	
Competency Asses	ssments, and Professional Licenses		
Regulatory	□ NOIRA	Emergency or	
Stage	Proposed	Emergency/NOIRA	
(check one	\square Final	□ Revised Proposed	
box)		□ Fast-Track	
Additional	Expedited Review Requested	X Guidance Document	
Description	□ Exempt Action		
Legal	\Box Action required by federal statute	X Discretionary action	
Authority	1 1		
	\Box Action required by state statute		
Deregulatory			
Component			
Expected Date	June 2024		

Action/Stage or (Guidance Document Forum ID (if av	ailable)	
n/a			
-	Regulatory Action or Guidance Doc		
	Board's Approved Courses to Satisfy G	1	
Standard, Advance	ed Studies, and Modified Standard Dip	lomas in Virginia Public Schools	
Brief Overview			
	o an annual update to the Approved Co		
-	the Standard, Advanced Studies, and N	Iodified Standard Diplomas in	
Virginia Public Sc	hools		
Regulatory	□ NOIRA	\Box Emergency or	
Stage	□ Proposed	Emergency/NOIRA	
(check one	\Box Final	Revised Proposed	
box)		□ Fast-Track	
Additional	Expedited Review Requested	X Guidance Document	
Description	Exempt Action		
Legal	□ Action required by federal statute	X Discretionary action	
Authority	\Box Action required by state statute		
Deregulatory			
Component			
Expected Date	June 2024		

Department of Environmental Quality (DEQ) / Total = 116

Title of Proposed Regulatory Action or Guidance Document: Guidance Document for Inclusion of USEPA Clean Water Act Section 316(b), Cooling Water Intake Structures Requirements in Virginia Pollution Discharge Elimination System (VPDES) Permits for Large Facilities

Brief Overview

The 316 (b) rule of the federal Clean Water Act (CWA) was promulgated and finalized by the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) in 2014 and requires the inclusion of certain considerations and requirements for water intake structures at industrial facilities that have Virginia Pollutant Discharge Elimination System (VPDES) permits that withdrawal 25% or more of their water from an adjoining waterbody exclusively for cooling purposes. This requirement exists for both new and existing intake structures at these facilities. EPA requires DEO to include the consideration of technology that achieves one of two alternatives under the best technology available (BTA) standards for entrainment (for new facilities) and/or reducing fish impingement by implementing one of seven options or requiring additional studies for DEQ and other agencies to determine site-specific inflow controls with public input (existing facilities over >/=125 million gallons per day / GPD). This guidance document will assist staff in determining the requirements for new and existing facilities as well as be used to set general standards for consideration for large facilities for DEQ staff to use to develop this component of VPDES permits (where applicable). This guidance document will provide public transparency about how DEQ is making these recommendations, enable the regulated community to appropriately prepare their permit applications/reapplications and facilitate multi-agency coordination on this rule. This guidance document needs to be developed because the first reissuance of VPDES permits since this rule was promulgated is approaching and DEQ is required by Federal law to incorporate these requirements into the VPDES program.

Regulatory Stage (check one box)	□ NOIRA □ Proposed Rule □ Final Rule	□ Emergency Rule □ Fast-Track Rule
Additional Description	□ Expedited Rule	⊠ Guidance Document
-	Exempt Rule	
Legal Authority	\Box Action required by federal statute	⊠ Discretionary action
	\Box Action required by state statute	
Deregulatory		
Component		
Expected Date	December 2023	

Action/Stage or Guidance Document Forum ID (if available)		
Title of Proposed	Regulatory Action or Guidance Doc	ument
Revise Guidance N	Memo GM18-2004, Procedures for Pipe	eline Stop Work Instruction
Brief Overview		
	action is to revise Guidance Memo 18-2	· ·
1	struction to be issued to certain natural	
	7.1 and/or 62.1-44.15:58.1 of the Code	6
	.1-44.15:58.1 of the Code of Virginia p	
-	work for land-disturbing activities rela	
•	ipeline under certain conditions. This d	
the change in cons	struction materials and conditions in var	rious statewide pipeline projects.
Desaletera		
Regulatory	□ NOIRA	□ Emergency Rule
Stage	Proposed Rule	□ Fast-Track Rule
(check one box)	□ Final Rule	
Additional	Expedited Rule	I Guidance Document
Description	Exempt Rule	
Legal Authority	□ Action required by federal statute	☑ Discretionary action
	□ Action required by state statute	
Deregulatory		
Component		
Expected Date	March 2024	

Action/Stage or Guidance Document Forum ID (if available)		
Title of Proposed Regulatory Action or Guidance Document Revise GM18-2012 Point Assessment for Alleged Violations of the Construction Stormwater Permit Criteria and Enforcement Referral Guidance		
Brief Overview The intent of this action is to revise Guidance Memo 18-2012, and the applicable attachment. This document provides direction for evaluating noncompliance with the General VPDES Permit for Discharges of Stormwater from Construction Activities Regulations (9VAC25- 880), the Virginia Stormwater Management Program Regulations (9 VAC 25-870), and the State Water Control Law (Va. Code 62.1-44.2 et seq) and provides a point system for determining the appropriate compliance response, including when to refer cases to the Division of Enforcement. The point system allows Stormwater Compliance staff to consistently assess and respond to alleged noncompliance.		
Regulatory Stage (check one box)	□ NOIRA □ Proposed Rule □ Final Rule	 Emergency Rule Fast-Track Rule
Additional Description	□ Expedited Rule □ Exempt Rule	⊠ Guidance Document
Legal Authority	 Action required by federal statute Action required by state statute 	☑ Discretionary action
Deregulatory Component Expected Date	March 2024	

Action/Stage or Guidance Document Forum ID (if available) N/A

Title of Proposed Regulatory Action or Guidance Document

Revise GM20-2001 Addendum to Trading Nutrient Reductions from Nonpoint Source Best Management Practices in the Chesapeake Bay Watershed: Guidance for Agricultural Landowners and Your Potential Trading Partners

Brief Overview

DEQ intends to revise this guidance document to address regulatory changes made to 9VAC25-900, Certification of Nonpoint Source Nutrient Credits, pursuant to Chapter 723 of the 2023 Virginia Acts of Assembly (SB 959, Sen. Hanger). The guidance document will address how the DEQ Director will evaluate potential alternative delivery factors in the Southern Rivers Watershed based on scientific and technical information appropriate for the Southern Rivers Watershed.

Regulatory	□ NOIRA	\Box Emergency or
Stage	□ Proposed	Emergency/NOIRA
(check one box)	□ Final	□ Revised Proposed
		□ Fast-Track
Additional	□ Expedited Review Requested	Guidance Document
Description	□ Exempt Action	
Legal Authority	\Box Action required by federal statute	☑ Discretionary action
	□ Action required by state statute	
Deregulatory	The revised guidance document will p	provide that in evaluating potential
Component	alternative delivery factors in the Southern Rivers Watershed the DEQ	
-	Director will select the scientifically and technically defensible alternative	
	that maximizes the amount of credits available in the Southern Rivers	
	Watershed, thereby maximizing economic efficiency.	
Expected Date	November 2023	

Action/Stage or Guidance Document Forum ID (if available) N/A

Title of Proposed Regulatory Action or Guidance Document

Revise 7145 DEQ's Manual for Processing Requests Pursuant to the Virginia Freedom of Information Act

Brief Overview

DEQ intends to revise its Manual for Processing Requests Pursuant to the Virginia Freedom of Information Act to change its policy for charging fees for Virginia Freedom of Information Act (FOIA) requests. Over the last three years DEQ has processed an average of approximately 19,000 FOIA searches per year. An adjustment to the fees DEQ charges for FOIA requests is necessary to cover the increasing costs associated with this workload.

Regulatory	□ NOIRA	□ Emergency or
Stage		Emergency/NOIRA
(check one box)	□ Final	□ Revised Proposed
		□ Fast-Track
Additional	Expedited Review Requested	⊠ Guidance Document
Description	Exempt Action	
Legal Authority	□ Action required by federal statute	☑ Discretionary action
	\Box Action required by state statute	
Deregulatory		
Component		
Expected Date	November 2023	

Action/Stage or Guidance Document Forum ID (if available) ACG-010

Title of Proposed Regulatory Action or Guidance Document

ACG-010: Air Compliance Guidance for Implementation of Article 43.1 and 40 CFR 63 Subpart AAAA after September 27, 2021

Brief Overview

This update will supersede <u>ACG-10 (8/30/2018)</u>. It addresses implementation of <u>Article 43.1</u> and 40

CFR 63 Subpart AAAA after September 27, 2021.

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Regulatory	□ NOIRA	\Box Emergency or
Stage	□ Proposed	Emergency/NOIRA
(check one box)	□ Final	□ Revised Proposed
		□ Fast-Track
Additional	Expedited Review Requested	⊠ Guidance Document
Description	□ Exempt Action	
Legal Authority	□ Action required by federal statute	□ Discretionary action
	Action required by state statute	
Deregulatory		
Component		
Expected Date	May 2024	

Action/Stage or Guidance Document Forum ID (if available) ASOP-13 and ASOP-13 Amendments **Title of Proposed Regulatory Action or Guidance Document** ASOP-13: Tax Certification **Brief Overview** This update will supersede ASOP-13 (11/22/2004) and ASOP-13 Amendment (1/23/2009). It includes changes to the tax statute (§ 58.1-3660 of the Code of Virginia). Regulatory □ NOIRA \Box Emergency or Stage Emergency/NOIRA \Box Proposed (check one box) □ Revised Proposed □ Final □ Fast-Track Additional □ Expedited Review Requested ⊠ Guidance Document Description \Box Exempt Action Legal Authority \Box Action required by federal statute \Box Discretionary action \boxtimes Action required by state statute The changes to the statute allow political subdivisions to self-certify Deregulatory Component pollution control equipment to the Department of Taxation. **Expected Date** May 2024

Action/Stage or Guidance Document Forum ID (if available) ASOP-09			
Title of Proposed Regulatory Action or Guidance Document ASOP-9: VOC Sampling and Analysis			
Brief Overview This ASOP will be reviewed to determine if it is still regulatorily applicable. If so, it will be updated to reflect the regulations as the guidance contains outdated information.			
Regulatory Stage (check one box)	□ NOIRA □ Proposed □ Final	 Emergency or Emergency/NOIRA Revised Proposed Fast-Track 	
Additional Description	 Expedited Review Requested Exempt Action 	⊠ Guidance Document	
Legal Authority	☐ Action required by federal statute ⊠ Action required by state statute	□ Discretionary action	
Deregulatory Component Expected Date	June 2024		

Action/Stage or Guidance Document Forum ID (if available)		
ACG-015		
Title of Proposed	Regulatory Action or Guidance Doc	ument
	mpliance Guidance for the Implementa	tion of the Permitting Exemption for
Qualified		
Fumigation Facilit	ties	
Brief Overview		
This update will su	upersede ACG-015 and update some lan	nguage and calculations that were
incorrect.		
Regulatory	□ NOIRA	Emergency or
Stage	□ Proposed	Emergency/NOIRA
(check one box)	\Box Final	□ Revised Proposed
		□ Fast-Track
Additional	Expedited Review Requested	I Guidance Document
Description	□ Exempt Action	
Legal Authority	□ Action required by federal statute	□ Discretionary action
	Action required by state statute	
Deregulatory		
Component		
Expected Date	December 2023	

Action/Stage or O	Action/Stage or Guidance Document Forum ID (if available)		
-	Regulatory Action or Guidance Doc		
	ent for Reissuance of the Virginia Pollu		
	it for Animal Feeding Operations and A	Animal Waste Management	
(9VAC25-192)			
Brief Overview			
	cument will assist permitees in underst		
1	all implementation of the reissued VPA	0	
Animal Feeding O	perations and Animal Waste Managem	ient (9VAC25-192).	
Regulatory	□ NOIRA	Emergency or	
Stage	□ Proposed	Emergency/NOIRA	
(check one box)	\Box Final	Revised Proposed	
		□ Fast-Track	
Additional	□ Expedited Review Requested	⊠ Guidance Document	
Description	□ Exempt Action		
Legal Authority	□ Action required by federal statute	☑ Discretionary action	
	\Box Action required by state statute	-	
Deregulatory			
Component			
Expected Date	July 2023 (or later)		

Action/Stage or Guidance Document Forum ID (if available)

Title of Proposed Regulatory Action or Guidance Document

Guidance Document for 2024 VPDES General Permit Regulation for Storm Water Discharges Associated with Industrial Activity (9VAC25-151)

Brief Overview

This guidance document will assist dischargers in understanding any new permit requirements and help with overall implementation of the reissued general permit regulation for stormwater discharges associated with industrial activity. This general permit regulation authorizes the discharge of stormwater from sites associated with industrial activity.

Regulatory	□ NOIRA	Emergency or
Stage	□ Proposed	Emergency/NOIRA
(check one box)	\Box Final	□ Revised Proposed
		□ Fast-Track
Additional	Expedited Review Requested	⊠ Guidance Document
Description	□ Exempt Action	
Legal Authority	□ Action required by federal statute	☑ Discretionary action
	□ Action required by state statute	
Deregulatory	Reissuance of this general permit prov	6
Component	with a streamlined permitting process	• • •
	necessary to obtain permit coverage a	s well as reducing the administrative
	costs to the Commonwealth.	
Expected Date	March 2024	

Action/Stage or Guidance Document Forum ID (if available) GM14-2013

Title of Proposed Regulatory Action or Guidance Document

Rescind GM14-2013 (08/08/2014) Implementation Guidance for Reissuance of the General VPDES

Permit for Stormwater Discharges Associated with Industrial Activity, VAR05

Brief Overview

This document replaced Guidance Memo No. 09-2008, Implementation Guidance for Reissuance of the General VPDES Permit for Stormwater Discharges Associated with Industrial Activity, VAR05. On December 17, 2013, the State Water Control Board adopted amendments to General VPDES Permit for Stormwater Discharges Associated with Industrial Activity, 9VAC25-151, which modified General Permit VAR05. The purpose of this document was to identify changes that had been made to the General Permit VAR05, to provide Department of Environmental Quality (DEQ) staff with instructions on implementation of these changes, to provide information on aspects of the permit that have raised questions, and to provide example letters that staff may use for the administration of the regulation.

Regulatory	□ NOIRA	\Box Emergency or
Stage	□ Proposed	Emergency/NOIRA
(check one box)	□ Final	□ Revised Proposed
		□ Fast-Track
Additional	Expedited Review Requested	⊠ Guidance Document
Description	□ Exempt Action	
Legal Authority	\Box Action required by federal statute	☑ Discretionary action
	□ Action required by state statute	
Deregulatory	This document is intended for interna	l DEQ use and summarizes the
Component	changes made in the reissuance of VPDES VAR05 for staff to use as a	
	quick reference and a training document. It simply restates/copies the	
	verbiage from the modified regulation and provides sample letters for staff	
	to use to send to permittees, as well as lists other inter-agency contacts	
	required as part of this process. The final regulation, and associated permit	
	forms of this regulation are available	on the DEQ VPDES general permits
	webpage and the Legislative Informat	tion System. This document details
	only internal DEQ procedures and do	es not interpret any laws or
	regulations for the public. Therefore,	this document should be removed as
	a guidance document.	
Expected Date	March 2024	

Action/Stage or Guidance Document Forum ID (if available)		
Title of Proposed Regulatory Action or Guidance Document Guidance Document for 2024 Amendment and Reissuance of the VPDES General Permit Regulation for Nonmetallic Mineral Mining (9VAC25-190)		
Brief Overview This guidance document will assist dischargers in understanding any new permit requirements and help with overall implementation of the reissued general permit regulation for nonmetallic mineral mining. This general permit regulation authorizes the discharge of process and stormwater from nonmetallic mineral mining operations. This regulatory action is needed to ensure that existing and new mining operations are covered under this general permit regulation.		
Regulatory Stage (check one box)	□ NOIRA □ Proposed □ Final	 Emergency or Emergency/NOIRA Revised Proposed Fast-Track
Additional Description	□ Expedited Review Requested □ Exempt Action	⊠ Guidance Document
Legal Authority	☐ Action required by federal statute ☐ Action required by state statute	⊠ Discretionary action
Deregulatory Component Expected Date	March 2024	

Action/Stage or G	Action/Stage or Guidance Document Forum ID (if available)		
Title of Proposed Regulatory Action or Guidance Document Guidance Document for 2024 Amendment and Reissuance of the VPDES General Permit Regulation for Discharges of Stormwater from Small Municipal Separate Storm Sewer Systems (MS4s) (9VAC25-890)			
Brief Overview This guidance document will assist dischargers in understanding any new permit requirements and help with overall implementation of the reissued general permit regulation for discharges from small MS4s. This general permit regulation authorizes the discharge of stormwater from small municipal separate stormwater systems. This regulatory action is needed to ensure that existing and new MS4s are covered under this general permit regulation. This general permit is also integral to the Commonwealth's commitments to meeting nutrient reduction goals under the Chesapeake Bay Total Maximum Daily Load (TMDL).			
Regulatory Stage (check one box)	□ NOIRA □ Proposed □ Final	 Emergency or Emergency/NOIRA Revised Proposed Fast-Track 	
Additional Description	 Expedited Review Requested Exempt Action 	I Guidance Document	
Legal Authority	☐ Action required by federal statute ☐ Action required by state statute	⊠ Discretionary action	
Deregulatory Component Expected Date	September 2023		

Action/Stage or Guidance Document Forum ID (if available) GM13-2002

Title of Proposed Regulatory Action or Guidance Document

Rescind GM13-2002 (02/27/2013) Implementation Guidance for the Reissuance of the General VPDES

Permit for Noncontact Cooling Water Discharges of 50,000 GPD or Less (9VAC25-196)

Brief Overview

This document replaced Guidance Memo No.08-2005, Implementation Guidance for Reissuance of the General VPDES Permit Regulation for Noncontact Cooling Water Discharges of 50,000 GPD or Less, VAG25. On September 27, 2012, the State Water Control Board adopted amendments to General VPDES Permit Regulation for Noncontact Cooling Water Discharges of 50,000 GPD or Less, 9VAC25-196, which modified General Permit VAG25. The purpose of this document was to identify changes that had been made to the General Permit VAG25, to provide Department of Environmental Quality (DEQ) staff with instructions on implementation of these changes, to provide information on aspects of the permit that have raised questions, and to provide example letters that staff may use for the administration of the regulation.

Regulatory	□ NOIRA	\Box Emergency or
Stage	□ Proposed	Emergency/NOIRA
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Legal Authority	\Box Action required by federal statute	☑ Discretionary action
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Deregulatory	This document is intended for interna	l DEQ use and summarizes the
Component	changes made in the reissuance of VPDES VAG25 for staff to use as a	
	quick reference and a training document. It simply restates/copies the	
	verbiage from the modified regulation and provides sample letters for staff	
	to use to send to permittees, as well as lists other inter-agency contacts	
	required as part of this process. The final regulation, and associated permit	
	forms of this regulation are available	on the DEQ VPDES general permits
	webpage and the Legislative Informat	tion System. This document details
	only internal DEQ procedures and do	1 •
	regulations for the public. Therefore,	this document should be removed as
	a guidance document.	
Expected Date	July 2023	

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Guidance Docume	ent for the Nutrient Offset Fund	
Brief Overview		
	ument will establish and develop criter	is for how the Department of
U	ality (DEQ) will provide allocations fr	1
and expanded disc	• • •	on the Nutrent Onset Fund for new
and expanded disc	marges.	
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Legal Authority	\Box Action required by federal statute	☑ Discretionary action
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Expected Date	June 2024	

Action/Stage or Guidance Document Forum ID (if available)

Title of Proposed Regulatory Action or Guidance Document

Guidance for Nonpoint Source Nutrient Credit Approval of Trustee/Endowment Managers on Stream Nutrient Projects

Brief Overview

The intent of this guidance document is to provide requirements for approval of third-party long-term stewards to hold management funds in a separate interest-bearing account to be used only for the management of stream restoration projects used for nutrient credits.

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Legal Authority	□ Action required by federal statute	□ Discretionary action
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Deregulatory		
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Expected Date	September 2023	

Action/Stage or Guidance Document Forum ID (if available) GM01-2003

Title of Proposed Regulatory Action or Guidance Document

Rescind GM01-2003, Standard Operating Procedures for Clean Metals Sampling - Amendment #1

Brief Overview

This document is not formal guidance and the procedures have been incorporated into the agency's 2020 Water Quality Monitoring Standard Operating Procedures which are posted on the Department of Environmental Quality's (DEQ) website.

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Legal Authority	\Box Action required by federal statute	☑ Discretionary action
	\Box Action required by state statute	
Deregulatory Component	This document details only internal preventing laws or regulations for the put as a guidance document.	1
Expected Date	July 2023	

Action/Stage or Guidance Document Forum ID (if available) GM05-2014

Title of Proposed Regulatory Action or Guidance Document

Rescind GM05-2014, Modifications to the VPA General Permit Regulation for Poultry Waste Management

Brief Overview

This document was originally issued on November 7, 2005. This guidance document was provided to regional staff for internal use, and describes internal Department of Environmental Quality (DEQ) procedures for processing Virginia Pollution Abatement (VPA) general permits for confined poultry feeding operations to ensure the State Water Control Law, the VPA Permit Regulation, and the VPA general permit for AFOs are met. It describes changes made to the regulation in 2004 and 2005 and provides instructions to DEQ staff regarding those changes.

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Description	□ Exempt Action	
Legal Authority	\Box Action required by federal statute	☑ Discretionary action
	□ Action required by state statute	
Deregulatory	This document is an internally used d	ocument to assist DEQ permit and
Component	compliance staff in implementation of the VPA general permit for poultry	
	feeding operations. The propose of this document is to provide VPA	
	permit writers, inspectors, reviewers, and managers procedures to ensure	
	that DEQ meets requirements of the Commonwealth. In addition, this	
	1	sistency between DEQ regions, define
	and set standards for timely processin	
	inspecting facilities, and to provide a	
	procedures and administering the VP	
	does not interpret any laws or regulati	ons. Therefore, this document should
	be removed as a guidance document.	
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Action/Stage or Guidance Document Forum ID (if available) 00-2018

Title of Proposed Regulatory Action or Guidance Document

Rescind 00-2018, Implementation of the VPA General Permit Regulation for Poultry Waste Management

Brief Overview

This document was originally issued on November 30, 2000. This guidance document was provided to regional staff for internal use, and procedures have been updated following the reissuance of the general permit in 2010 and 2021. This guidance document describes internal Department of Environmental Quality (DEQ) procedures for processing Virginia Pollution Abatement (VPA) general permits for confined poultry feeding operations to ensure the State Water Control Law, the VPA Permit Regulation, and the VPA general permit for Poultry Waste Management are met. It presents the procedures for obtaining a complete registration statement, determining eligibility for coverage under the general permit, transmittal of the general permit to registrants, and inspection procedures.

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Legal Authority	\Box Action required by federal statute	⊠ Discretionary action
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Deregulatory	This document is an internally used d	ocument to assist DEQ permit and
Component	compliance staff in ensuring that that registration statement before coverage that all permit conditions and requiren document is to provide VPA permit w managers procedures to ensure that D Commonwealth. In addition, this docu consistency between DEQ regions, de processing of registration statements, tool to train new staff in the correct pr permit program. This document does Therefore, this document should be re-	e under the draft permit is issued and ments are met. The propose of this vriters, inspectors, reviewers, and EQ meets requirements of the ument is intended to promote efine and set standards for timely inspecting facilities, and to provide a rocedures and administering the VPA not interpret any laws or regulations.
Expected Date	May 2024	

Action/Stage or Guidance Document Forum ID (if available) GM14-2017

Title of Proposed Regulatory Action or Guidance Document

Rescind GM14-2017 Implementation of VPA Regulation and General Permit for Animal Feeding

Operations and Animal Waste Management Amendments, VPG1

Brief Overview

This document was originally issued on November 12, 2014. This guidance document was provided to regional staff for internal use. This guidance document describes internal Department of Environmental Quality (DEQ) procedures for processing Virginia Pollution Abatement (VPA) general permits for animal feeding operations using a liquid manure management system to ensure the State Water Control Law, the VPA Permit Regulation, and the VPA general permit for AFOs are met. It presents the procedures for obtaining a complete registration statement, determining eligibility for coverage under the general permit, transmittal of the general permit to registrants, and inspection procedures.

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Legal Authority	\Box Action required by federal statute	⊠ Discretionary action
	\Box Action required by state statute	
Deregulatory	This document is an internally used d	ocument to assist DEQ permit and
Component	compliance staff in ensuring that that DEQ has a complete general permit	
	registration statement before coverage under the draft permit is issued and	
	that all permit conditions and requirements are met. The propose of this	
	document is to provide VPA permit writers, inspectors, reviewers, and	
	managers procedures to ensure that DEQ meets requirements of the Commonwealth. In addition, this document is intended to promote	
	consistency between DEQ regions, de	
		inspecting facilities, and to provide a
		rocedures and administering the VPA
	permit program. This document does	0
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Action/Stage or Guidance Document Forum ID (if available) 92-016

Title of Proposed Regulatory Action or Guidance Document Rescind 92-016 Virginia Pollution Abatement (VPA) Permit Manual

Brief Overview

This document was originally issued in July of 1992. The memo accompanying the Virginia Pollution Abatement (VPA) Permit manual issuance states that the Permit manual will be provided to regional staff for internal use. This document was updated and published in 2014. This permit manual describes internal Department of Environmental Quality (DEQ) procedures for processing Virginia Pollution Abatement (VPA) permits to ensure the State Water Control Law and the VPA Permit Regulation are met. It presents the procedures for obtaining a complete application, preparing a draft VPA permit, subjecting the draft permit to the public participation process, and issuing/reissuing modifying/revoking/terminating and denying permits.

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Legal Authority	\Box Action required by federal statute	☑ Discretionary action
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Deregulatory	This document is an internally used d	ocument to assist DEQ permit writing
Component	staff in ensuring that all permit conditions and requirements are met, and	
	that DEQ has a complete permit application before issuance of a	
	permit/draft permit. The propose of this manual is to provide VPA permit	
	writers, reviewers, and managers procedures to ensure that DEQ meets	
	requirements of the state. In addition,	this document is intended to promote
	consistency between DEQ regions, de	fine and set standards for timely
	processing of applications, and provid	le a tool to train new staff in the
	correct procedures and administering	the VPA permit program. This
	document does not interpret any laws	or regulations. Therefore, this
	document should be removed as a gui	dance document.
Expected Date	July 2023	

Action/Stage or Guidance Document Forum ID (if available) GM18-2006

Title of Proposed Regulatory Action or Guidance Document

Rescind GM18-2006, Reissuance Procedures for VPA Biosolids Land Application Permits

Brief Overview

This document was originally issued on October 22, 2018. This guidance document was provided to regional staff for internal use, and describes internal Department of Environmental Quality (DEQ) procedures for processing reissuance applications for Virginia Pollution Abatement (VPA) permits for biosolids land application to ensure the State Water Control Law and the VPA Permit Regulation are met.

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Legal Authority	□ Action required by federal statute	☑ Discretionary action
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Deregulatory	This document is an internally used d	ocument to assist DEQ permit staff in
Component	reissuing VPA permits for biosolids land application. The propose of this	
	document is to provide VPA permit w	, e
	procedures to ensure that DEQ meets requirements of the Commonwealth.	
	In addition, this document is intended to promote consistency between	
	DEQ regions, define and set standard	
	applications, and to provide a tool to t	
	procedures and administering the VPA	1 1 0
		ons. Therefore, this document should
	be removed as a guidance document.	
Expected Date	May 2024	

Action/Stage or Guidance Document Forum ID (if available) GM04-2005

Title of Proposed Regulatory Action or Guidance Document

Rescind GM04-2005, Water Quality Monitoring Consolidated Guidance Memorandum, Amendment

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Brief Overview

This document is not formal guidance and has been superseded by the 2020 Water Quality Monitoring Standard Operating Procedures and Ambient Water Quality Monitoring Project Plan that are posted on the Department of Environmental Quality's (DEQ) website.

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Description	□ Exempt Action	
Legal Authority	\Box Action required by federal statute	⊠ Discretionary action
	□ Action required by state statute	
Deregulatory	The document details only internal pr	ocedures and does not interpret
Component	existing laws or regulations and therefore should be rescinded as a	
	guidance document.	
Expected Date	July 2023	

Action/Stage or Guidance Document Forum ID (if available) GM02-2010

Title of Proposed Regulatory Action or Guidance Document Rescind GM02-2010 - Water Compliance Auditing Manual

Brief Overview

This document is an internally used and intended document for Department of Environmental Quality (DEQ) staff as a guide to internal audit programs regarding water and water permitting in-house, including compliance. This includes the scoring of noncompliant facilities and how to process the compliance reporting and scoring through CEDS (a DEQ internal access only database).

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Description	Exempt Action	
Legal Authority	\Box Action required by federal statute	⊠ Discretionary action
	\Box Action required by state statute	
Deregulatory	This document is from 2002, there have been multiple updates to DEQ's	
Component	compliance procedures since that time. There have been three revisions to	
	9VAC since that time. There is no external guidance in this document that	
	a permittee or the public would use for facility compliance. This document	
	is what the SSO guidance just amended, which was the fourth amendment	
	to the document including Appendix 1 (point assessment). This document	
	details only internal procedures/refere	`
	of existing laws or regulations to the public and therefore should be	
	removed as a guidance document.	fuene and therefore should be
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Action/Stage or Guidance Document Forum ID (if available) GM22-2010

Title of Proposed Regulatory Action or Guidance Document

Rescind GM22-2010 VPDES GP - Vehicle Wash and Laundry Facilities

Brief Overview

This document is an internally used and intended document for Department of Environmental Quality (DEQ) staff to use as a primer for specific permit applications and permit adherence for vehicle wash and laundry facilities. This document details the changes to these reissued permits and the revised permit application. This document also details how to view information in DEQNet (an internally only accessible program) and how to file paperwork in CEDS (an internally only accessible program). It assists staff in outlining what to expect from a permittee, as well as how to respond to the permittee. It also includes an example O&M Manual with examples of flow diversion and pumping, which are clearly labeled as example documents and used for internal training and reference for DEQ staff.

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Description	□ Exempt Action	
Legal Authority	\Box Action required by federal statute	☑ Discretionary action
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Deregulatory	This document references "the board"	when "the department" should be
Component	referenced; therefore, it is not an accurate portrayal of the permitting	
	process for external use. Additionally, this document was intended for	
	internal use only to assist staff in determining if onsite conditions meet	
	permit conditions for vehicle wash and laundry facilities. Many of the	
	pages were copied and pasted directly from the fact sheet available at:	
	https://www.deq.virginia.gov/home/sl	-
	There is repetition of information from	
	document for external use and referen	•
	internal procedures/reference and doe	1 0
	regulations and therefore should be re	moved as a guidance document.
Expected Date	July 2023	

Action/Stage or Guidance Document Forum ID (if available) GM-01-2013

Title of Proposed Regulatory Action or Guidance Document

Rescind GM-01-2013 – Checklists for Rescind Wastewater Laboratory Inspections

Brief Overview

This document provides internal technical and procedural guidance to Department of Environmental Quality (DEQ) inspection staff to evaluate laboratories producing data related to permitted facilities under Virginia Pollutant Discharge Elimination System (VPDES) or Virginia Pollution Abatement (VPA) permits. All seven subsequent amendments to the original letter are for updates in the Federal Register in regards to sampling methods and analysis of data to remain in alignment with the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency's laboratory guidance and testing methodologies.

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Description	□ Exempt Action	
Legal Authority	\Box Action required by federal statute	☑ Discretionary action
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Deregulatory	This document was intended for DEQ	internal use. There is a disclaimer on
Component	the original Guidance Memo, as well	as several subsequent amendments,
	which state that this document provides technical and procedural guidance	
	to inspection staff to evaluate laboratories producing data related to permit	
	compliance. This document details only internal procedures/reference and	
	does not interpret any laws or regulation	ions; therefore, it should be removed
	as a guidance document.	
Expected Date	July 2023	

Action/Stage or Guidance Document Forum ID (if available) GM19-2003

Title of Proposed Regulatory Action or Guidance Document

Rescind GM19-2003 Virginia Water Protection (VWP) Permit and Compliance Manual

Brief Overview

The Virginia Water Protection (VWP) Permit and Compliance Manual was intended to be a "living" document that contains information, forms, and instructions for Department of Environmental Quality (DEQ) internal VWP permit program staff regarding the review of permit applications, the issuance modifications, termination, or transfer and waiver of VWP permits, and conducting compliance for the program and to promote consistency in processing permits across regions.

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Description	□ Exempt Action	
Legal Authority	\Box Action required by federal statute	☑ Discretionary action
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Deregulatory Component	This document is to be used internally portions of the VWP program. This d only to remain in compliance with up This document is not the only location by external sources and does not repla all regulatory changes. This documen standard operating procedures for DE does not set that standard for how an states all submittals will be reviewed compliance with appropriate laws and provide interpretations of any state or internal procedure for DEQ staff to us compliance under the program. This of or regulations. Therefore, this documen document.	ocument is regularly updated, but dated/changes to the VWP program. In where these changes can be viewed ace the fact sheet issued by DEQ with t clearly states that it sets forth Q employees and the agency and application/response should look. It based on their technical adequacy and I regulations. This manual does not federal regulations and is simply an se in VWP permit issuance and locument does not interpret any laws
Expected Date	July 2023	

Action/Stage or Guidance Document Forum ID (if available) GMWRD06-100

Title of Proposed Regulatory Action or Guidance Document

Rescind GMWRD06-100 Groundwater Withdrawal Permit Procedure Manual

Brief Overview

The purpose of this manual is to guide Department of Environmental Quality (DEQ) permit writers on aspects of ground water permit procedures. These procedures were designed in an effort to ensure consistency between DEQ regional offices and provide new personnel with a document from which to learn how to write permits. This document was designed as a document for internal use only and assists DEQ staff within the Office of Ground Water Withdrawal Permitting and the regional offices keep abreast of the most recent regulations and procedures by removing or adding pages to the manual.

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Legal Authority	□ Action required by federal statute	⊠ Discretionary action
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Deregulatory	This document was developed entirel	y for internal DEQ staff use. In
Component		ook nothing like the one posted online
	as these regulations have been update	· · · ·
	1 0 1	ulgation (especially general permits).
	The attachments to the manual includ	1 1
	application, sample permit, sample m	0 1
	for staff to reference. Several of the d	
	and have been replaced, such as the 2	
	revised in October of 2018) and the fe	
		his document is no longer in use and a
	new updated version is currently bein	0 1
	2006 manual was revised and comple	
	solicited informal comments (direct mailing to interested parties plus a General Notice) from January 4-February 17. Two comments were	
	received and have since been sent res	
	manual has been determined to be int	
	formal guidance. This manual does no	-
	state or federal regulations and is sim	
	staff. Additionally, this manual is out	
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Expected Date	July 2023	

Action/Stage or Guidance Document Forum ID (if available)

Title of Proposed Regulatory Action or Guidance Document

Rescind 2623 Procedure for Uncontested Termination of Ground Withdrawal Permits and Special

Exceptions

Brief Overview

This guidance document outlines a procedure for Department of Environmental Quality (DEQ) staff to follow regarding groundwater withdrawal termination requests. Referenced procedures call for all ground water withdrawal permit revocations to be presented to and approved directly by the State Water Control Board (Board). The basis for this procedure is the Ground Water Management Act of 1992 at § 62.1-256.9 of the Code of Virginia where revocation of permits is excluded from delegation by the Board to the Executive Director. Revocation and termination have until this time have been interpreted as one and the same. This document interprets this regulation by; an uncontested termination due to the cessation of a withdrawal or reduction in withdrawal amounts below 300,000 gallons per month where the owner has requested or agreed to termination and waived the right to an informal factfinding, is not a contested action; and logically the prohibition of delegation should not apply.

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Description	Exempt Action	
Legal Authority	\Box Action required by federal statute	☑ Discretionary action
	\Box Action required by state statute	
Deregulatory	This document should apply to both internal guidance and it should also	
Component	serve as external information about a change in processes that involve the	
	State Water Control Board. However, the referenced regulation "Ground	
	Water Management Act of 1992 at §62.1-256.9" no longer exists in the	
	current regulation. It has been replaced with "§ 62.1-259. Certain	
	withdrawals; permit not required". The	is memo does add additional
	interpretation to this statute. However	, its reference is incorrect; therefore,
	this document should be removed as a guidance document and either	
	replaced entirely or removed (if replaced, DEQ will modify this specific	
	language in upcoming reissuances).	
Expected Date	July 2023 (or later)	

Action/Stage or Guidance Document Forum ID (if available) 00-2016

Title of Proposed Regulatory Action or Guidance Document Rescind 00-2016 Chain of Custody Policy and Procedure

Brief Overview

This is an internal procedure document for the Department of Environmental Quality (DEQ). This internal standard operating procedure (SOP) for DEQ describes how all environmental samples will be collected using the chain of custody procedures in this document to ensure the integrity of samples, so they can be used as admissible evidence to enforce the Commonwealth's environmental laws and regulations. It also states the laboratories to which samples may be taken for processing. The document states that it is an internal SOP.

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Description	□ Exempt Action	
Legal Authority	\Box Action required by federal statute	☑ Discretionary action
	\Box Action required by state statute	
Deregulatory	This document is not an interpretation	n of any state or federal regulations
Component	and is simply an internal procedure for DEQ staff to use water withdrawal	
	permit issuance under the program to	assist in sample collection and
	laboratory submittal. This manual is out of date and no longer used	
	internally. Additionally, this documer	nt was created in 2006 and states the
	specific laboratories where samples sl	hould be taken. Due to changing
	Department of General Services and procurement regulations, this	
	document should be kept up to date as an internal set of instructions and	
	not as a guidance document. Therefore, this document should be removed	
	as a guidance document.	
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Expected Date	July 2023	

Action/Stage or Guidance Document Forum ID (if available) 03-2001

Title of Proposed Regulatory Action or Guidance Document

Rescind 03-2001 Reporting Operator Misconduct or Convictions

Brief Overview

The purpose of this document is to establish a procedure to ensure that when Department of Environmental Quality (DEQ) personnel identify actions by licensed wastewater treatment operators that may be in violation of the State Board for Waterworks and Wastewater Works Operators Regulations Standards of Practice (18VAC160-20-140) this information is transmitted to the Department of Professional and Occupational Regulation in a timely manner. This is an internal procedure document as stated within the first page of the document.

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Description	□ Exempt Action	
Legal Authority	□ Action required by federal statute	⊠ Discretionary action
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Deregulatory	This memo only restates regulation ve	erbiage from 18VAC160-20-10 et
Component	seq. This document details only internal DEQ procedures and does not	
	interpret any laws or regulations. Therefore, this document should be	
	removed as a guidance document.	
Expected Date	July 2023	

Action/Stage or Guidance Document Forum ID (if available) 96-009

Title of Proposed Regulatory Action or Guidance Document Rescind 96-009 Obtaining Dissolved Metal Data

Brief Overview

This dissolved metal data sampling collection document was written to cover the collection of both total recoverable and dissolved metals. It is an internal document for Department of Environmental Quality (DEQ) staff, and details sampling procedures for dissolved metals in compliance wastewater, which restates the requirements found in 40 CFR, Part 136. Table II – "Required Containers, Preservation Techniques and Holding Times" and explains to staff why the specific holding times and temperatures are key in consistent and reliable results.

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Legal Authority	\Box Action required by federal statute	☑ Discretionary action
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Deregulatory	This memo only restates federal regul	ation verbiage from 40 CFR, Part
Component	136. This document details only inter-	nal DEQ procedures and does not
_	interpret any laws or regulations. Therefore, this document should be	
	removed as a guidance document.	
Expected Date	July 2023	

Action/Stage or Guidance Document Forum ID (if available) WQS-5

Title of Proposed Regulatory Action or Guidance Document Rescind WQS-5 Guidance of Application of Public Water Supply

Brief Overview

This document was written in 1994 and the purpose of this memo was to provide a requested interpretation as to whether the public water supply (PWS) designations denoted as PWS in the river basin section tables (VR680-21-08) of the water quality standards regulation apply to the entire section or just to the water intake.

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Description	□ Exempt Action	
Legal Authority	□ Action required by federal statute	⊠ Discretionary action
	\Box Action required by state statute	
Deregulatory	This rule being referenced was effecti	ive on May 20, 1992; amended,
Component		, eff. December 10, 1997; Volume 26,
	Issue 12, eff. February 1, 2010. Finall	y, this rule was absorbed within
	9VAC25-260-360. The original version of the rule referenced in this memo	
	is no longer active and therefore, this	guidance document should be
	removed.	
Expected Date	July 2023	

Action/Stage or Guidance Document Forum ID (if available) GM22-2010

Title of Proposed Regulatory Action or Guidance Document

Rescind GM22-2010 - Implementation of the Virginia Pollutant Discharge Elimination System VPDES

General Permit for Vehicle Wash Facilities and Laundry Facilities (VAG 75)

Brief Overview

This document replaced Guidance Memo No.17-2006, "Implementation of the Reissued Virginia Pollutant Discharge Elimination System (VPDES) General Permit for Vehicle Wash Facilities and Laundry Facilities (VAG75)." This document has been updated to reflect changes necessary as a result of the reissuance of the VPDES General Permit for Vehicle Wash Facilities and Laundry Facilities (VAG75) that became effective on January 1, 2023.

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Legal Authority	\Box Action required by federal statute	⊠ Discretionary action
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Deregulatory	This document is intended for interna	l Department of Environmental
Component	Quality (DEQ) use and summarizes the changes made in the reissuance of	
	VPDES VAG75 for staff to use as a c	uick reference and a training
	document. It simply restates/copies th	e verbiage from the modified
	regulation and provides sample letters for staff to use to send to permittees,	
	as well as lists other inter-agency con	tacts required as part of this process.
	The final regulation, and associated permit forms of this regulation are	
	available on the DEQ VPDES general permits webpage and the Legislative	
	Information System. This document details only internal DEQ procedures	
	and does not interpret any laws or reg	
	should be removed as a guidance doc	ument.
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Regulatory Stage (check one box)	□ NOIRA □ Proposed □ Final	 Emergency or Emergency/NOIRA Revised Proposed Fast-Track 	
Additional Description	 Expedited Review Requested Exempt Action 	⊠ Guidance Document	
Legal Authority	☐ Action required by federal statute ☐ Action required by state statute	☑ Discretionary action	
Deregulatory Component	This document is intended for internal DEQ use and summarizes the changes made in the reissuance of 9VAC25-110 and VAG40, for staff to use as a quick reference and a training document. It simply restates/copies the verbiage from the modified regulation and provides sample letters for staff to use to send to permittees, as well as lists other inter-agency contacts required as part of this process. The final regulation, and associated permit forms of this regulation are available on the DEQ VPDES general permits webpage and the Legislative Information System. This document details only internal DEQ procedures and does not interpret any laws or regulations. Therefore, this document should be removed as a guidance document.		
Expected Date	July 2023		

Action/Stage or Guidance Document Forum ID (if available) GM21-2004

Title of Proposed Regulatory Action or Guidance Document

Rescind GM21-2004, "Implementation Guidance for Reissuance of the General VPDES Permit for

Nonmetallic Mineral Mining Facilities VAG84"

Brief Overview

This document replaced Guidance Memo No.14-2008, Implementation Guidance for Reissuance of the Virginia Pollution Discharge Elimination System (VPDES) General Permit for Nonmetallic Mineral Mining Facilities. On April 15, 2019, the State Water Control Board adopted amendments to the VPDES General Permit Regulation for Nonmetallic Mineral Mining Facilities, 9VAC25-190, which modified VAG84. These amendments were effective July 1, 2019. The purpose of this document was to identify changes that had been made to General Permit VAG84, to provide Department of Environmental Quality (DEQ) staff with instructions on implementation of these changes, to provide information on aspects of the permit that have raised questions, and to provide example letters that staff may use for the administration of the regulation.

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Legal Authority	\Box Action required by federal statute	☑ Discretionary action
	\Box Action required by state statute	
Deregulatory	This document is listed as a "Draft Do	ocument" on the Town hall; when
Component	opened the document details the "pro-	posed changes" to 9VAC25-190 as a
	guide to DEQ staff, as well as sample documents for staff to use in	
	correspondence with permittees. However, this regulation has been	
	finalized and is now active, not "proposed". Additionally, the header of the	
	guidance document reads, "GM 212004 – Pesticide GP (VAG87)	
	Implementation Guidance" which is i	ncorrect. Therefore, this document is
	both out of date and inaccurate, and n	o longer applicable. The final
	regulation, and associated permit forms of this regulation are available on	
	the DEQ VPDES general permits well	ppage and the Legislative Information
	System. This document details only in	nternal DEQ procedures and does not
	interpret any laws or regulations. Due to these multiple factors, this	
	document should be removed as a gui	dance document.
Expected Date	July 2023	

Action/Stage or Guidance Document Forum ID (if available) GM21-2003

Title of Proposed Regulatory Action or Guidance Document

Rescind GM21-2003, "Implementation Guidance for Reissuance of the VPDES General Permit

Regulation for Discharges Resulting From the Application of Pesticides to Surface Water, VAG87"

Brief Overview

This document replaced Guidance Memo No. 11-2009. On December 13, 2018, the State Water Control Board adopted amendments to the Virginia Pollutant Discharge Elimination System (VPDES) General Permit Regulation for Discharges Resulting from the Application of Pesticides to Surface Water, 9VAC25-800, which modified General Permit VAG87 as part of the reissuance of this permit. The purpose of this document was to identify changes that had been made to the General Permit VAG87, to provide Department of Environmental Quality (DEQ) staff with instructions on implementation of these changes, to provide information on aspects of the permit that have raised questions, and to provide example letters that staff may use for the administration of the regulation.

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	required as part of this process. The fifther forms of this regulation are available	0 1
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	regulations. Additionally, the PMP in	
	of 2019 and therefore is out of date. F	1
	should be removed as a guidance doc	,
Expected Date	July 2023	

Action/Stage or Guidance Document Forum ID (if available) GM21-2001

Title of Proposed Regulatory Action or Guidance Document

Rescind GM21-2001- Implementation of the 2021 Reissuance of the VPDES General Permit Regulation for Seafood Processing Facilities, VAG52

Brief Overview

The purpose of this document is to provide updated information for implementing the Seafood Processing Facilities General Permit (VAG52) based on amendment of 9VAC25-115 and the 2021 reissuance of the general permit. This document replaced Guidance Memo No. GM16-2003. The purpose of this document was to identify changes that had been made to the General Permit VAG52, to provide Department of Environmental Quality (DEQ) staff with instructions on implementation of these changes, to provide information on aspects of the permit that have raised questions, and to provide example letters that staff may use for the administration of the regulation.

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Legal Authority	\Box Action required by federal statute	☑ Discretionary action
	□ Action required by state statute	
Deregulatory	This document is intended for interna	l DEQ use and summarizes the
Component	changes made in the reissuance of VPDES VAG752 for staff to use as a	
	quick reference and a training document. It simply restates/copies the	
	verbiage from the modified regulation and provides sample letters for staff	
	to use to send to permittees, as well as	č .
	required as part of this process. The fi	0 1
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	webpage and the Legislative Informat	
	only internal DEQ procedures and does not interpret any laws or	
	regulations for the public. Therefore, this document should be removed as	
	a guidance document.	
Expected Date	July 2023	

Title of Proposed Regulatory Action or Guidance Document

Rescind GM18-2009 "Implementation Guidance for Reissuance of the VPDES General Permit for

Concrete Products Facilities, VAG11"

Brief Overview

This document replaced Guidance Memo No.13-2004, Implementation Guidance for Reissuance of the General VPDES Permit for Concrete Products Facilities. On September 20, 2018, the State Water Control Board adopted amendments to the VPDES General Permit for Concrete Products Facilities, 9VAC25-193, which modified General Permit VAG11. The purpose of this document was to identify changes that had been made to the General Permit VAG11, to provide Department of Environmental Quality (DEQ) staff with instructions on implementation of these changes, to provide information on aspects of the permit that have raised questions, and to provide example letters that staff may use for the administration of the regulation.

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Legal Authority	\Box Action required by federal statute	☑ Discretionary action
	\Box Action required by state statute	
Deregulatory	This document is intended for internal DEQ use and summarizes the	
Component	changes made in the reissuance of VPDES VAG11 for staff to use as a	
	quick reference and a training document. It simply restates/copies the	
	verbiage from the modified regulation and provides sample letters for staff	
	to use to send to permittees, as well as lists other inter-agency contacts	
	required as part of this process. The final regulation, and associated permit	
	forms of this regulation are available on the DEQ VPDES general permits	
	webpage and the Legislative Informat	•
	only internal DEQ procedures and does not interpret any laws or	
	regulations. Therefore, this document	should be removed as a guidance
	document.	
Expected Date	July 2023	

GM18-2003

Title of Proposed Regulatory Action or Guidance Document

Rescind GM18-2003 - Implementation Guidance for Reissuance of the General VPDES Permit for

Potable Water Treatment Plants, VAG64

Brief Overview

This document replaced Guidance Memo No. 13-005, Implementation Guidance for Reissuance of the VPDES Permit Regulation for Potable Water Treatment Plants VAG64. On December 7, 2017, the State Water Control Board adopted amendments to the Virginia Pollutant Discharge Elimination System General Permit (VPDES) for Potable Water Treatment Plants, 9VAC25-860, which modified General Permit VAG64. These modifications were effective July 1, 2018. The purpose of this document was to identify changes that had been made to the General Permit VAG64, to provide Department of Environmental Quality (DEQ) staff with instructions on implementation of these changes, to provide information on aspects of the permit that have raised questions, and to provide example letters that staff may use for the administration of the regulation.

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Deregulatory	This document is intended for interna	l DEQ use and summarizes the
Component	changes made in the reissuance of VPDES VAG64 for staff to use as a	
	quick reference and a training document. It simply restates/copies the	
	verbiage from the modified regulation	n and provides sample letters for staff
	to use to send to permittees, as well as lists other inter-agency contacts	
	required as part of this process. The final regulation and associated permit	
	forms of this regulation are available	on the DEQ VPDES general permits
	webpage and the Legislative Informat	tion System. This document details
	only internal DEQ procedures and does not interpret any laws or	
	regulations. Therefore, this document	should be removed as a guidance
	document.	
Expected Date	July 2023	

Title of Proposed Regulatory Action or Guidance Document

Rescind DCR-VSWCB-026: "Guidance Document on Utilization of Nonpoint Nutrient Offsets"

Brief Overview

This guidance document specifies DCR policy on the requirements of the Code of Virginia pertaining to application of stormwater nonpoint nutrient offsets. It details how these requirements affect the General Permit for Stormwater Discharges from Construction Activities and locally-adopted regional stormwater management programs approved and operated consistent with the Chesapeake Bay Preservation Act regulations.

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Legal Authority	□ Action required by federal statute	⊠ Discretionary action	
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Deregulatory	This document was developed by the	Department of Conservation and	
Component	Recreation (DCR) but is listed as a D	EQ guidance document. DCR is no	
	longer the implementing agency for the	his provision of the Code of Virginia.	
	This document is provided as guidance		
	procedures for DCR, which used to administer the program. This		
	document was intended for internal DCR use and summarizes the changes		
	made in the reissuance of § 10.1-603.	•	
	to use as a quick reference and a train	•	
	and associated permit forms of this regulation are available on the DEQ general permits webpage and the Legislative Information System.		
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	Additionally, this document requires project operators intending to utilize nonpoint source nutrient credits, "must submit a complete DCR form		
	DCR199-205 (07/11) to the Departme	-	
	form is no longer in existence and all		
	impoundment structure approvals/ins		
	no longer accurate and should be rem		
	should be issued if guidance on this is	•	
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Expected Date	July 2023		

Title of Proposed Regulatory Action or Guidance Document Rescind GM06-2005, Biosecurity Procedures for Poultry Farm Visits

Brief Overview

This document was originally issued on May 24, 2006. This guidance document was provided to regional staff for internal use, and describes internal Department of Environmental Quality (DEQ) procedures for ensuring that appropriate biosecurity procedures are implemented during DEQ staff visits to confined poultry feeding operations.

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Legal Authority	□ Action required by federal statute	☑ Discretionary action
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Deregulatory Component	This document is an internally used d compliance staff in implementation of feeding operations. The propose of th instructions regarding necessary biose inspecting facilities, and to provide a procedures and administering the VPA does not interpret any laws or regulati document should be removed as a gui	f the VPA general permit for poultry is document is to provide DEQ staff ecurity procedures to be used when tool to train new staff in the correct A permit program. This document ions for the public. Therefore, this
Expected Date	May 2024	

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	e for the 2024 Amendment and Reissua	
Regulation for Co	ncrete Products Facilities (9VAC25-19	3)
Brief Overview		
This guidance doc	ument will assist dischargers in unders	tanding any new permit requirements
-	rall implementation of the reissued gene	
products facilities.	This general permit regulation authori	zes the discharge of process and
	concrete product facilities. This regulate	•
existing and new o	concrete product facilities are covered u	inder this general permit regulation.
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Expected Date	September 2023	

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Develop Agricultu	ire and Forestry Stormwater Manageme	ent Guidance Document		
Brief Overview				
Ũ	nwater Management Act and Erosion a	*		
	rtain land-disturbing activities specifica			
-	guidance document will provide clarific	cation on application of these		
exemptions.				
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Expected Date	July 2023			

Title of Proposed Regulatory Action or Guidance Document

Revise GM15-2003 Postdevelopment Stormwater Management Implementation Guidance for Linear

Utility Projects Under the Virginia Stormwater Management Program Regulation (9VAC25-870)

Brief Overview

The purpose of this guidance document is to clarify the implementation of Virginia Stormwater Management Program (VSMP) Regulation, 9VAC25-870, for postdevelopment stormwater management requirements for linear development projects (e.g., waterlines, sewer lines, electric lines, telephone lines, oil and gas distribution pipelines) and was developed for use by DEQ and local VSMP Authorities. This update will modify the guidance document to also address general mitigation, including stormwater, stream, and wetland mitigation projects.

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restoration projects 62.144.19:20 of th phosphorus, or sed account for the atto This guidance will establishing credit	ument will set forth how DEQ calculate s used to generate nonpoint source nutr e Code of Virginia. Nutrient credits are liment delivered to the Chesapeake Bay enuation that occurs between the credit reduce uncertainty in the nonpoint sou calculation procedures for stream restor factors have been calculated on a case	ient credits as directed by § measured as pounds of nitrogen, , and delivery factors are used to -generating project and tidal waters. arce nutrient trading program by pration projects. Prior to this
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Title of Proposed Regulatory Action or Guidance Document

Develop Accelerated Nonpoint Source Nutrient Credit Release for Stream Restoration Projects Guidance

Brief Overview

Chapter 526 of the 2022 Acts of Assembly (SB 187, Sen. Hanger) authorizes the Department of Environmental Quality (DEQ) to accelerate the release of nutrient credits from stream restoration projects notwithstanding release schedules set out in regulation. This guidance seeks to clarify the changes made to § 62.144.19:20 of the Code of Virginia and necessary conditions for requesting the accelerated release.

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Deregulatory	This guidance will streamline the app	lication process and credit release
Component	schedule for applicable stream restora	tion projects in the nonpoint source
-	nutrient trading program. This guidan	1 5 1
	to be achieved a year sooner than und	
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Title of Proposed Regulatory Action or Guidance Document

Rescind GM18-2009- Implementation Guidance for Reissuance of the VPDES General Permit for

Concrete Products Facilities (VAG11)

Brief Overview

This guidance document is no longer needed for this general permit and will be removed.

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Legal Authority	\Box Action required by federal statute	☑ Discretionary action
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Deregulatory	This action will remove a guidance do	ocument that is no longer needed.
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Expected Date	December 2023	

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Legal Authority	\Box Action required by federal statute	☑ Discretionary action		
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Deregulatory	This action will remove a guidance de	ocument that is no longer needed.		
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Expected Date	July 2023			

GM14-2003

Title of Proposed Regulatory Action or Guidance Document

Rescind GM14-2003 Virginia Pollutant Discharge Elimination System (VPDES) Permit Manual/Elimination of March 2014 VPDES Permit Manual Revisions

Brief Overview

This document is not guidance and will be removed from the list of guidance documents listed on

the Town Hall website.

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Legal Authority	□ Action required by federal statute	☑ Discretionary action
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Deregulatory	This action will remove a guidance do	ocument that is no longer needed.
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Legal Authority	□ Action required by federal statute	⊠ Discretionary action
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Deregulatory	This action will rescind a guidance do	ocument that is no longer needed.
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Expected Date	March 2024	

Title of Proposed Regulatory Action or Guidance Document

Rescind GM21-2004 Implementation Guidance for Reissuance of the General VPDES Permit for Nonmetallic Mineral Mining Facilities VAG84

Brief Overview

This action will rescind outdated guidance GM21-2004 Implementation Guidance for Reissuance of the General VPDES Permit for Nonmetallic Mineral Mining Facilities VAG84 once the general permit has been reissued.

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Legal Authority	\Box Action required by federal statute	⊠ Discretionary action
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Deregulatory	This action will rescind outdated guidance.	
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Expected Date	January 2024	

Title of Proposed Regulatory Action or Guidance Document

Rescind GM13-2001 Guidance for the Reissuance of the General VPDES Permit Regulation for Discharges From Groundwater Remediation of Contaminated Sites, Dewatering Activities of Contaminated Sites, and Hydrostatic Tests General Permit

Brief Overview

This action will rescind the Implementation Guidance for the Reissuance of the General VPDES Permit Regulation for Discharges From Petroleum Contaminated Sites, Groundwater Remediation and Hydrostatic Tests, 9VAC25-120 (2013) from the list of effective guidance.

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Description	Exempt Action	
Legal Authority	□ Action required by federal statute	☑ Discretionary action
	□ Action required by state statute	
Deregulatory	This guidance will be rescinded because it is no longer necessary.	
Component		
Expected Date	July 2023	

Title of Proposed Regulatory Action or Guidance Document

Develop Implementation Guidance for the Existing Regulatory Requirements Applicable to Cooling Water Intake Structures (9VAC25-31-165)

Brief Overview

This implementation guidance will address cooling water intake structures. The guidance will address implementation issues associated with current new facility regulations (9VAC25-31-165 B) and the implementation of requirements developed on case-by-case, best professional judgment (BPJ) basis (9VAC25-31-165 C).

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Legal Authority	☐ Action required by federal statute ☐ Action required by state statute	⊠ Discretionary action
Deregulatory Component	This guidance will reflect current requirement promote consistency and efficiency.	uirements and information and will
Expected Date	July 2023	

Title of Proposed Regulatory Action or Guidance Document Develop the 2023 Virginia Stormwater Management Handbook

Brief Overview

This guidance will consolidate and update the Department of Environmental Quality's (DEQ's) existing manuals, technical bulletins, design standards and specifications, and guidance documents related to post-construction stormwater management and erosion and sediment control.

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Legal Authority	\Box Action required by federal statute	☑ Discretionary action
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Deregulatory	This guidance will create additional c	larity, consistency, and time savings
Component	for design professionals preparing pos	
	management and/ or erosion and sediment control plans by ensuring all	
	programmatic requirements are in a single document. This guidance will	
	also streamline DEQ's process for reviewing stormwater management	
	and/or erosion and sediment control.	
Expected Date	July 2023	

Title of Proposed Regulatory Action or Guidance Document Groundwater Withdrawal Permit Manual

Brief Overview

The purpose of this manual is to provide DEQ water withdrawal permitting staff a framework for processing requests for new, expanded, or modified groundwater withdrawals and is intended to provide the overall process for reviewing and issuing individual groundwater withdrawal permits. This revised manual contains updates and clarifications to the permit processing framework, and supersedes previous manuals for drafting groundwater withdrawal permits.

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Legal Authority	□ Action required by federal statute	☑ Discretionary action
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Expected Date	July 2023	

Title of Proposed Regulatory Action or Guidance Document Develop PCB Pollution Minimization Plan Guidance

Brief Overview

This guidance document will establish procedures to develop Pollutant Minimization Plans (PMPs) for implementing Polychlorinated biphenyls (PCB) TMDL Waste Load Allocations. The guidance will include guidelines for Department of Environmental Quality (DEQ) staff to request, review and approve a PMP, as well as track plan implementation and compliance, to measure progress in attaining PCB reductions. The guidance will also assist applicable VPDES permitted facilities listed as PCB sources in a TMDL with preparing a complete and approvable PMP.

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Expected Date	July 2023	

Guidance Memo 14-2016

Title of Proposed Regulatory Action or Guidance Document

Revise Public Participation Procedures Guidance (Guidance Memo 14-2016)

Brief Overview

This is a revision to the existing guidance document 14-2016 that sets forth the process to provide the public and stakeholders with an adequate opportunity to participate in the development and implementation of TMDLs, TMDL modifications, 305(b)/303(d) Integrated Reports, and non-TMDL waste load allocations. The revisions will update and provide clarifications to procedures, and establish public notice templates to use for public and advisory group meetings.

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Title of Proposed Regulatory Action or Guidance Document

Chesapeake Bay Preservation Act Guidance: Implementing Coastal Resiliency Provisions (9VAC25-830-

155)

Brief Overview

This guidance document will provide additional information and assistance to localities implementing the recent regulatory changes related to climate resiliency and adaptation measures (9VAC25-830-155). It will provide additional clarity and examples for localities to use.

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Brief Overview		
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conducting locality	y compliance program reviews for the G	Chesapeake Bay Preservation Act.
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Legal Authority	□ Action required by federal statute	☑ Discretionary action
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Expected Date	July 2023	

Title of Proposed Regulatory Action or Guidance Document Chesapeake Bay Preservation Act Guidance: Riparian Buffer Manual (9VAC25-830)

Brief Overview

This guidance document will provide significant technical assistance and information to localities on the implementation of the requirements and in particular requirements and provisions related to buffer modifications, alterations, and plantings. It also will include updates related to regulatory changes for the planting of trees and preservation of mature trees which were based upon a statutory change.

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Brief Overview		
This will be a revision to the existing guidance document 02-2002 that establishes the procedures that Department of Environmental Quality (DEQ) staff should follow when investigating fish kills to meet the requirements set forth in § 62.1-44.15 (11) of the Code of Virginia. The revisions will contain updates and clarifications to existing procedures and outdated language related to safety, communications, establishing the cause of the fish kill, determining the number of fish killed, and presenting the data for enforcement action and cost recovery.		
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Action/Stage or Guidance Document Forum ID (if available)		
Title of Proposed Regulatory Action or Guidance Document 2024 Water Quality Assessment Guidance Manual (update to Guidance Memo 21-2002) (62.1.44.19:5C)		
Brief Overview This is a revision to existing guidance document (21-2002) that establishes the procedures that Department of Environmental Quality (DEQ) staff follow for conducting water quality assessments to generate the Virginia's 2024 §305(b)/ §303(d) Water Quality Assessment Integrated Report. Section 62.1-44.19:5 C of the Code of Virginia requires DEQ to develop and publish the procedures used for defining and determining impaired waters and provide for public comment on the procedures. The revisions will contain updates to water quality assessment procedures to account for revisions to water quality standards or to incorporate assessment process improvements.		
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Legal Authority	☐ Action required by federal statute ⊠ Action required by state statute	□ Discretionary action
Deregulatory Component Expected Date	July 2023	

Title of Proposed Regulatory Action or Guidance Document

Rescind GM18-2001 2018 Water Quality Assessment Guidance Manual

Brief Overview

Virginia's final 2018 Water Quality Assessment Guidance Manual (a 2.4 MB Word doc) contains the assessment procedures and methods which were used for the development of Virginia's 2018 §305(b)/ §303(d) Integrated (i.e., combined Water Quality Assessment and Impaired Waters) Report. The assessment guidance addressed key elements of the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) 2006 Assessment Guidance and subsequent updates through December 2017, in addition to the assessment methodology for Chesapeake Bay Water Quality Standards established by EPA and adopted by Virginia (Ambient Water Quality Criteria for Dissolved Oxygen, Water Clarity, and Chlorophyll a for the Chesapeake Bay and Its Tidal Tributaries). This guidance manual was applicable for the 2018 Water Quality Assessment Integrated Report (IR) and has been superseded by the 2020 and 2022 IR Guidance manuals. It is therefore being proposed for removal.

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Legal Authority	\Box Action required by federal statute	□ Discretionary action
	Action required by state statute	
Deregulatory	This guidance manual is superseded b	by GM-21-2002 Final 2022 Water
Component	Quality Assessment Guidance Manua	1.
Expected Date	July 2023	

Title of Proposed Regulatory Action or Guidance Document

Rescind GM19-2001 2020 Water Quality Assessment Guidance Manual

Brief Overview

Virginia's 2020 Water Quality Assessment Guidance Manual contains the assessment procedures and methods which were used for the development of Virginia's 2020 §305(b)/ §303(d) Integrated (i.e., combined Water Quality Assessment and Impaired Waters) Report. The assessment guidance addressed key elements of the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency's (EPA) 2006 Assessment Guidance and subsequent updates through April 2019. In addition, the assessment guidance includes the assessment methodology for the Chesapeake Bay Water Quality Standards established by EPA and adopted by Virginia (Ambient Water Quality Criteria for Dissolved Oxygen, Water Clarity, and Chlorophyll a for the Chesapeake Bay and Its Tidal Tributaries). This guidance manual was applicable for the 2020 Water Quality Assessment Integrated Report (IR) and has been superseded by the 2022 IR Guidance manual. It is therefore being proposed for removal.

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Legal Authority	\Box Action required by federal statute	□ Discretionary action
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Deregulatory	This guidance manual is superseded b	oy GM-21-2002 Final 2022 Water
Component	Quality Assessment Guidance Manua	ıl.
Expected Date	July 2023	

Title of Proposed Regulatory Action or Guidance Document

Rescind GM21-2002 Final 2022 Water Quality Assessment Guidance Manual

Brief Overview

Virginia's 2022 Water Quality Assessment Guidance Manual contains the assessment procedures and methods used for the development of Virginia's 2022 §305(b)/ §303(d) Integrated (i.e., combined Water Quality Assessment and Impaired Waters) Report. The assessment guidance addressed all key elements of the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency's (EPA) 2006 Assessment Guidance and subsequent updates through December 2020. In addition, the assessment guidance included the assessment methodology for the Chesapeake Bay Water Quality Standards established by EPA and adopted by Virginia (Ambient Water Quality Criteria for Dissolved Oxygen, Water Clarity, and Chlorophyll a for the Chesapeake Bay and Its Tidal Tributaries). This guidance manual was applicable for the 2022 Water Quality Assessment Integrated Report (IR) and will be superseded by the 2024 IR Guidance manual. It is therefore being proposed for removal.

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Description	□ Exempt Action	
Legal Authority	\Box Action required by federal statute	□ Discretionary action
	Action required by state statute	
Deregulatory	This guidance manual will be superseded by GM23-2002 Final 2024	
Component	Water Quality Assessment Guidance Manual.	
Expected Date	July 2023	

Title of Proposed Regulatory Action or Guidance Document

Rescind GM04-2005 Water Quality Monitoring Consolidated Guidance Memorandum, Amendment #2

Brief Overview

This document is not formal guidance and has been superseded by the 2020 Water Quality Monitoring Standard Operating Procedures and Ambient Water Quality Monitoring Project Plan that are posted on the Department of Environmental Quality (DEQ) website.

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Legal Authority	□ Action required by federal statute	☑ Discretionary action
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Deregulatory	This guidance document will be resci	nded.
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Expected Date	July 2023	

Title of Proposed Regulatory Action or Guidance Document

Water Division Guidance Memorandum No. 22-2014 – Virginia Pollution Abatement (VPA) Permit

Manual

Brief Overview

The Department of Environmental Quality (DEQ) is the primary promulgating agency for the guidance identified above. The guidance is specifically associated with the Virginia Pollution Abatement (VPA) Permit Regulation, 9VAC25-32.

This action involves updating and consolidating existing agency guidance in the VPA Permit Manual related to (i) the processing of all types of VPA permit actions, including permit issuances, reissuances, modifications, revocations and reissuances, and termination; and (ii) technical issues affecting the processing of VPA permits. This activity is necessary to:

- Make changes to the Manual that are consistent with recent amendments to State Water Control Law and subsequently to the VPA Permit Regulation in accordance with Chapter 356 of the 2022 Acts of Assembly (SB 657, Sen. Stuart):
- Streamline VPA permit processing by providing the bulk of the technical and procedural information for permit actions in one document: and
- Ensure more consistent VPA permit content, and uniform and efficient processing by DEQ water permitting staff among all regions of the agency.

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Legal Authority	\Box Action required by federal statute	□ Discretionary action
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Deregulatory	This guidance does not remove or imp	pose any new regulatory
Component	1 7 1	idates existing agency procedures that
	are consistent and in conformance with the VPA Permit Regulation	
	(9VAC25-32), the Sewage Collection and Treatment Regulations	
	(9VAC25-790), and the Water Reclamation and Reuse Regulation	
	(9VAC25-740).	ç
Expected Date	July 2023	

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	e for Implementation of VPA Regulation	
waste Manageme	nt Amendments, VPG2 (9VAC25-630)
Brief Overview		
	f Environmental Quality (DEQ) is init	iating the development of a new
		ave been made to the VPA Regulation
-	it for Poultry Waste Management (9V)	
	It will also provide DEQ staff with gui	, 0
changes and clarif	y certain aspects of the permit process.	
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Description	Exempt Action	
Legal Authority	\Box Action required by federal statute	☑ Discretionary action
	\Box Action required by state statute	
Deregulatory	Developing this guidance document	will allow for the elimination of two
Component	outdated guidance documents.	
Expected Date	July 2023	

Title of Proposed Regulatory Action or Guidance Document

Rescind 94-014 Implementation of the VPA General Permit for Confined Animal Feeding Operations

Brief Overview

This document was originally issued on November 16, 1994. This guidance document was provided to regional staff for internal use, and procedures have been updated following the reissuance of the general permit in 2004 and 2014. This guidance document describes internal Department of Environmental Quality (DEQ) procedures for processing Virginia Pollution Abatement (VPA) general permits for animal feeding operations using a liquid manure management system to ensure the State Water Control Law, the VPA Permit Regulation, and the VPA general permit for AFOs are met. It presents the procedures for obtaining a complete registration statement, determining eligibility for coverage under the general permit, transmittal of the general permit to registrants, and inspection procedures.

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Description	□ Exempt Action	
Legal Authority	\Box Action required by federal statute	⊠ Discretionary action
	\Box Action required by state statute	
Deregulatory	This document is an internally used d	ocument to assist DEQ permit and
Component	compliance staff in ensuring that that DEQ has a complete general permit	
	registration statement before coverage under the draft permit is issued and	
	that all permit conditions and requirements are met. The propose of this	
	document is to provide VPA permit writers, inspectors, reviewers, and	
	managers procedures to ensure that DEQ meets requirements of the	
	Commonwealth. In addition, this document is intended to promote	
	consistency between DEQ regions, de	efine and set standards for timely
	processing of registration statements,	inspecting facilities, and to provide a
	tool to train new staff in the correct pr	rocedures and administering the VPA
	permit program. This document does	not interpret any laws or regulations.
	Therefore, this document should be re-	emoved as a guidance document.
Expected Date	May 2024	

Title of Proposed Regulatory Action or Guidance Document Update the Drought Assessment and Response Plan Guidance

Brief Overview

The Virginia Drought Assessment and Response Plan (Plan) was developed in 2003. The Plan established a Drought Monitoring Task Force (DMTF), identifies 13 drought regions, establishes specific drought indicators that will be used to evaluate drought status for each region, establishes drought stages (Normal, Drought Watch, Drought Warning, Drought Emergency) and the specific criteria that each stage is recommended based on the indicators, and establishes responses to each drought stage for state agencies, localities, and water suppliers.

Chapters 36 and 37 of the 2023 Acts of Assembly (HB 2095, Del. Bulova and SB 1149, Sen. Marsden) requires the State Water Control Board to recognize localities that use the Potomac River as a water supply source as a distinct drought evaluation region. The bill requires the Board to incorporate for this distinct region the provisions related to messages, stages, and responses from the Metropolitan Washington Water Supply and Drought Awareness Response Plan: Potomac River System (the Metropolitan Washington Plan). The bill does not limit the authority of the Governor during a declared drought emergency.

The Virginia Drought Assessment and Response Plan will be updated to comply with these requirements. No other changes to the Plan are proposed as part of this guidance update.

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Description	□ Exempt Action	
Legal Authority	□ Action required by federal statute	□ Discretionary action
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Deregulatory	This guidance update will allow for lo	ocalities that use the Potomac River
Component	as a water source to adhere to triggers	and responses from the Metropolitan
	Washington Water Supply and Drought Awareness Response Plan instead	
	of the state triggers and responses in the Virginia Drought Assessment and	
	Response Plan except for in a declare	d drought emergency.
Expected Date	January 2024	

Action/Stage or Guidance Document Forum ID (if available)		
-	Regulatory Action or Guidance Doc Regional Water Supply Planning Regu	
 Brief Overview The purpose of the Local and Regional Water Supply Planning Regulation Guidance Document (Guidance Document) is to support stakeholder compliance with the proposed Local and Regional Water Supply Regulation (9VAC25-780). The proposed amendments to the Local and Regional Water Supply Regulation (9VAC25-780) (2005) are required by 2020 amendments to §§ 62.1-44.36, 62.1-44.38, and 62.1-44.38:1 of the Code of Virginia which directed the State Water Control Board to encourage development of cross-jurisdictional water supply projects, and to adopt regulations designating regional planning areas based primarily on river basin.		
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Additional Description	□ Expedited Review Requested □ Exempt Action	Guidance Document
Legal Authority	☐ Action required by federal statute ☐ Action required by state statute	⊠ Discretionary action
Deregulatory Component	The draft guidance document is associated with a proposed regulation mandated by state statute. The development of a guidance document will support stakeholders to comply with the proposed Local and Regional Water Supply Planning Regulation (9VAC25-780).	
Expected Date	March 2024	

Title of Proposed Regulatory Action or Guidance Document

Implementation Guidance for Use of the Biotic Ligand Model for Copper Criteria Amendments (9VAC25-260-140.G)

Brief Overview

This guidance is necessary to provide clarity to permittees about the implementation of the proposed amendments to the Water Quality Standards regulations for case-by-case implementation of the biotic ligand model (BLM) for copper. The U.S. Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) considers current VA WQS regulation language regarding the copper BLM-derived criteria to be a process for developing site-specific criteria. Each BLM-derived criteria value would need to be promulgated before using the value in permitting evaluations. EPA stated it cannot accept a BLM-derived copper permit limit until site-specific copper criteria have been promulgated, or unless a more prescriptive approach is provided for in the WQS and sufficiently detailed guidance provides for criteria implementation. A NOIRA is anticipated in September 2023 and is addressed in a separate table in this plan. The associated guidance is expected to be complete by June 2024.

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Legal Authority	\Box Action required by federal statute	⊠ Discretionary action
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Deregulatory		
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Expected Date	June 2024	

Title of Proposed Regulatory Action or Guidance Document

Rescind GM01-2001 Monitoring of Toxic Trace Metals in Surface Waters

Brief Overview

This document is not formal guidance and the procedures have been incorporated into the agency's <u>2020 Water Quality Monitoring Standard Operating Procedures</u> which are posted on the Department of Environmental Quality's website.

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Legal Authority	□ Action required by federal statute	☑ Discretionary action
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Deregulatory	This guidance document will be rescinded.	
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Expected Date	July 2023	

Action/Stage or Guidance Document Forum ID (if available) LPR-SRR-2014-03

Title of Proposed Regulatory Action or Guidance Document

Rescind Quality Assurance Plan for the Alternate Water Supply Program – Revision 3

Brief Overview

The purpose of the Quality Assurance Project Plan (QAPP) for the Alternate Water Supply Program is to ensure that procedures used and data collected by Department of Environmental Quality (DEQ) staff and DEQ-hired contractors are of sufficient quality to support the decisions about the need to provide alternate water supplies to persons having wells that are impacted by petroleum. It is an internal procedure, and it is obsolete.

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Additional Description	 Expedited Review Requested Exempt Action 	⊠ Guidance Document
Legal Authority	☐ Action required by federal statute ☐ Action required by state statute	☑ Discretionary action
Deregulatory Component	This is a quality assurance plan for in guidance document.	ternal use. It should be removed as a
Expected Date	December 2023	

Action/Stage or Guidance Document Forum ID (if available) LPR-SRR-2016-02

Title of Proposed Regulatory Action or Guidance Document

Rescind CEDS Tanks Compliance and Registration User Manual

Brief Overview

This data entry procedures manual provides tank compliance, registration, and administrative staff with step-by-step procedures for entering data into the CEDS Tank Facilities and Tank Owners modules. It is an internal procedure and should not be classified as a guidance document.

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Expected Date	December 2023	

Action/Stage or Guidance Document Forum ID (if available) LPR-SRR-2015-01C

Title of Proposed Regulatory Action or Guidance Document

Rescind Storage Tank Program Quality Management Plan, Amendment 3

Brief Overview

This document being rescinded was created to ensure the environmental data collected by staff and contractors hired by the Storage Tank Program met U.S. Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) data requirements. It has been redone and is at EPA for review. It is obsolete and is an internal procedure.

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Expected Date	December 2023	

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Develop the Home	eowner Heating Oil Tank Technical Ma	anual		
Brief Overview				
	ument will include how to investigate a	and characterize homeowner heating		
U	t will include reporting and reimbursen	6		
internal job aid for	r tank remediation staff that introduces	electronic documentation as well as		
	ubleshooting. However, it also includes	s guidance for the regulated		
community.				
This guidance mai	nual is being taken from Chapter/Volur	ne 5 of the current Tank Technical		
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	aff and stakeholders. This includes how	• •		
	pursement of site costs through pre-app	roval and verification of site work		
where applicable.				
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Expected Date	June 2024			

LPR-SRR-2018-2A

Title of Proposed Regulatory Action or Guidance Document

Risk Based Inspection Strategy (RBIS) For Underground Storage Tanks I

Brief Overview

This guidance document explains the Risk Based Inspection Strategy (RBIS) for Underground Storage Tanks (USTs). This strategy is intended to evaluate alternative targeting methods for establishing annual inspection schedules.

Regulatory	□ NOIRA	\Box Emergency or
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Description	□ Exempt Action	
Legal Authority	□ Action required by federal statute	☑ Discretionary action
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Deregulatory	The agency will be revising the existi	ng guidance document this year to
Component	adjust the criteria used to establish facility risk levels which determine	
	inspection frequency. The expected impact of the changes will be to	
	decrease inspection frequency for some UST facilities. This document	
	should be removed from Town Hall a	s it is internal procedures.
Expected Date	January 2024	

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Title of Proposed Regulatory Action or Guidance Document

Update the Storage Tank Technical Manual – Volume 2: Release Reporting Requirements

Brief Overview

This guidance manual is currently being updated from the 2011 version. The updated version will eliminate obsolete links and processes as well as provide better procedural clarification for staff and stakeholders regarding when and how to report releases to the Department of Environmental Quality. This document is an internal job aid for tank remediation staff that provides a standard framework for handling release reporting consistently administratively statewide. The document will also expand on language from the 2011 document to provide clarity to all stakeholders.

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Expected Date	June 2024	

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Update the Storage Tank Technical Manual – Volume 4: Site Work and Pre-Approval and Verification Process

Brief Overview

This guidance manual is currently being updated from the 2011 version. The updated version will eliminate obsolete links and processes as well as provide better procedural clarification for staff and stakeholders. This includes how to manage scope of work and facilitate the reimbursement of site costs through pre-approval and verification of site work where applicable.

This document is an internal job aid for tank remediation staff that introduces electronic documentation as well as administrative troubleshooting. The guidance will be streamlined from the current version for procedural clarity.

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Description	□ Exempt Action	
Legal Authority	\Box Action required by federal statute	⊠ Discretionary action
	□ Action required by state statute	
Deregulatory	The guidance will be streamlined from	n the current version for procedural
Component	clarity.	
Expected Date	June 2024	

Title of Proposed Regulatory Action or Guidance Document

Update the Storage Tank Technical Manual – Volume 5: Release Response and Corrective Action

Brief Overview

This guidance manual is currently being updated from the 2011 version. The updated version will eliminate obsolete links and processes as well as provide better procedural clarification for staff and stakeholders regarding when and how to report releases to the Department of Environmental Quality. This document is an internal job aid for tank remediation staff that provides a standard framework for handling release reporting consistently administratively statewide. The document will also expand on language from the 2011 document to provide clarity to all stakeholders.

This document is an internal job aid for tank remediation staff that introduces electronic documentation as well as administrative troubleshooting. The guidance will be streamlined from the current version for procedural clarity.

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Expected Date	June 2024	

LPR-SRR-02-2012

Title of Proposed Regulatory Action or Guidance Document

Rescind the Tank Ownership and Responsible Person Identification Changes Guidance

Brief Overview

This guidance document that will be rescinded provides information to regional office petroleum staff concerning when to pursue a property owner for compliance with pollution prevention requirements of the UST Technical Regulation and corrective action in the event of a petroleum release to the environment.

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Deregulatory	This document was developed for inte	ernal use by Department of
Component	Environmental Quality staff and has s	since been incorporated into other
	existing guidance documents. This document should be removed as a	
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	guidance document.	
Expected Date	December 2023	

Title of Proposed Regulatory Action or Guidance Document

Rescind the Case Closure Evaluation of Sites with Free Product Guidance

Brief Overview

This guidance document that will be rescinded is an expansion of Section 5.5 of the Storage Tank Program Technical Manual and was developed to assist Storage Tank Program Case Managers in evaluating the feasibility and practicality of free product removal and to recognize when a case can be closed with no increased risk to human health and the environment. It is an internal procedure.

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Deregulatory	This document was developed for inte	ernal use by Department of
Component	Environmental Quality staff and should be removed as a guidance	
	document.	
Expected Date	December 2023	

LPR-SRR-01-2013

Title of Proposed Regulatory Action or Guidance Document

Rescind the Provision of Alternate Water Supplies to Operators of Petroleum-Impacted Water Supplies Guidance

Brief Overview

The purpose of this guidance document that is being rescinded is to provide information for Department of Environmental Quality (DEQ) staff regarding the provision and termination of CFU coverage at a site. It is internal procedure.

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Legal Authority	\Box Action required by federal statute	☑ Discretionary action
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Deregulatory	This document was developed for inte	ernal use by DEQ staff and should be
Component	removed as a guidance document.	
Expected Date	December 2023	

Action/Stage or Guidance Document Forum ID (if available) LPR-SRR-2014-01

Title of Proposed Regulatory Action or Guidance Document

Rescind the State Lead Procedures Manual, First Edition

Brief Overview

The purpose of the State Lead Procedures Manual is to provide Department of Environmental Quality (DEQ) staff with standard operating procedures for managing sites within the State Lead Program. This document will be redone and will be internal procedure.

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Legal Authority	\Box Action required by federal statute	☑ Discretionary action
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Deregulatory	This document will be rewritten and w	will be an internal manual for DEQ
Component	staff. It should be removed as a guidance document.	
Expected Date	June 2024	

Title of Proposed Regulatory Action or Guidance Document

Rescind the Quality Assurance Project Plan, State Lead Program, Revision 2

Brief Overview

The purpose of the Quality Assurance Project Plan for the State Lead Program is to ensure that procedures used, and data collected by Department of Environmental Quality (DEQ) State Lead contractors are of sufficient quality to support the decisions that must be made by agency staff. It has also been redone and is in review by the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency. Once approved it will be internal procedure.

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Legal Authority	□ Action required by federal statute	⊠ Discretionary action
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Deregulatory	This should be removed as a guidance	e document as it is actually a quality
Component	assurance plan for internal use.	
Expected Date	December 2023	

LPR-SRR-2015-02

Title of Proposed Regulatory Action or Guidance Document

Rescind the Instructions for Completing the State Lead Acceptance Form and Contractor **Evaluation Tab**

Brief Overview

This document that will be rescinded provides instructions for staff when completing the State Lead Acceptance Form (AAF). It superseded the guidance found in LPR-SRR-2014-01 and was meant to be incorporated into the next revision of that manual. It is an internal procedure.

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Legal Authority	□ Action required by federal statute □ Action required by state statute	☑ Discretionary action
Deregulatory Component	This document will be included in the State Lead Manual which will be an internal procedure. It should be removed as a guidance document.	
Expected Date	December 2023	

Title of Proposed Regulatory Action or Guidance Document Update the Hazardous Waste Inspector Handbook

Brief Overview

This guidance document was created to be used by hazardous waste inspectors at the Department of Environmental Quality in order to guide them through the inspection process, and to house all the guidance on inspections in one location. This guidance is already on Town Hall but is being updated to incorporate additional issues that have occurred as a result of new regulations that impact hazardous waste generators being promulgated. Inspection checklists, provided in Appendix A to the Manual, are also being revised. This document is an internal job aid for hazardous waste inspectors.

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Expected Date	February 2024	

LPR-SW-04-2012

Title of Proposed Regulatory Action or Guidance Document

Update the Management and Reuse of Contaminated Media Guidance

Brief Overview

This action will update the 2012 Management and Reuse of Contaminated Media guidance to address

issues for use and implementation of the state-wide self-implemented variance for facilities.

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Deregulatory	The updated guidance document will	allow for greater flexibility and
Component	updated applicable risk numbers by conforming our guidance to be	
	consistent with the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency's regional	
	screening levels and removing the rec	uirement to implement land use
	restrictions.	
Expected Date	May 2024	

Title of Proposed Regulatory Action or Guidance Document

Develop Submission Instructions No. 30: Guidelines for Landfill Topographic Survey Submissions

Brief Overview

This guidance will provide landfill permittees instruction on submission of annual/biennial landfill topographic surveys. This guidance corresponds with regulatory changes proposed with Amend 9 of 9VAC20-81 (Solid Waste Management Regulations). This is a guidance document that will be used by Department of Environmental Quality staff and permitted landfills to assist with submission of the annual/biennial landfill topographic survey.

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Expected Date	January 2024	

Title of Proposed Regulatory Action or Guidance Document Rescind the Solid Waste Permit Manual

Brief Overview

The purpose of this manual is to guide Department of Environmental Quality (DEQ) permit writers on aspects of solid waste permit procedures. These procedures were designed in an effort to ensure consistency between DEQ regional offices and provide new personnel with a document from which to learn how to write permits, process solid waste authorizations, and manage records. This document was designed for internal use only and assists DEQ staff within the Office of Financial Responsibility and Waste Programs and the regional offices keep abreast of the most recent regulations and procedures by removing or adding pages to the manual.

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Legal Authority	□ Action required by federal statute	☑ Discretionary action
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Deregulatory	This document was developed and most recently updated online in 2008.	
Component	This document was developed entirely for internal DEQ staff use. It is	
	meant to be a "living document" that exists in electronic format on DEQ's	
	intranet site and is updated corresponding with changes to applicable	
	statutes and regulations. The attachments to the manual include template	
	versions of review correspondence, draft permits, and other documentation	
	for staff to reference.	
	The solid waste permit manual has been determined to be an internal	
	procedure for staff and not formal gui	
	any interpretation of any state or fede	
	internal procedure for DEQ staff. Additionally, this manual is out of date	
	and no longer used internally and sho	•
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Expected Date	July 2023	

Title of Proposed Regulatory Action or Guidance Document

Solid Waste Compliance Program Inspection Manual (Revision 6)

Brief Overview

The Solid Waste Compliance Program conducts periodic inspections of waste management facilities subject to the Virginia Waste Management Act and its associated waste regulations. This manual provides procedural guidance on how to conduct a legally defensible inspection and is designed to promote uniformity and consistency among Department of Environmental Quality (DEQ) regional offices. Procedures include pre-inspection preparation, on-site inspection protocols, and post-inspection procedures for report preparation and responding to observations of compliance and noncompliance. This manual is an existing guidance document on the Virginia Regulatory Town Hall and is being updated for consistency with Amendment 9 to the Virginia Solid Waste Management Regulations (9VAC20-81). This document is an internal job aid for solid waste inspectors and provides a standard framework for agency staff to evaluate compliance with waste-related regulations in order to maintain consistency around the state.

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Title of Proposed Regulatory Action or Guidance Document Update the Landfill Gas Regulatory Requirements Guidance

Brief Overview

This guidance document was developed to clarify regulatory requirements applicable to landfill gas monitoring and remediation under the Virginia Solid Waste Management Regulations (9VAC20-81). This is an existing guidance document on the Virginia Regulatory Town Hall and is being updated for consistency with Amendment 9 to the Solid Waste Regulations (9VAC20-81). This document provides risk-based strategies that landfills can utilize to maintain compliance with the applicable landfill gas monitoring and remediation requirements as well as provides a standard framework for agency staff to evaluate compliance with the landfill gas requirements of the solid waste regulations in order to maintain consistency around the state.

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Title of Proposed Regulatory Action or Guidance Document

Update Submission Instruction 13 - Landfill Gas Management, Remediation, and Odor Plans for Solid Waste Disposal Facilities

Brief Overview

This Submission Instruction provides guidance for solid waste disposal facilities to submit a Landfill Gas Management Plan, Landfill Gas Remediation Plan, and Odor Management Plan in compliance with the Virginia Solid Waste Management Regulations (9VAC20-81). This is an existing guidance document on the Virginia Regulatory Town Hall and is being updated for consistency with Amendment 9 to the Solid Waste Regulations. This document provides a template for permit applicants and permit holders to submit information required by the solid waste regulations in order to streamline review by agency staff.

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Title of Proposed Regulatory Action or Guidance Document

Update the Solid Waste Management Plan 5-year Update Guidance

Brief Overview

This guidance document was developed to clarify regulatory requirements applicable to solid waste planning units under the Virginia Solid Waste Planning and Recycling Regulations (9VAC20-130). This is an existing guidance document on Virginia Regulatory Town Hall and is being updated for consistency with the 2019 amendment to the solid waste planning regulations.

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Title of Proposed Regulatory Action or Guidance Document

Develop an Instructional Guide on Disclosure Statements (DEQ Forms DISC-01, DISC-02, and DISC-03)

Brief Overview

This new guidance document will provide solid waste management facilities and Department of Environmental Quality staff with instructions on submission of Disclosure Statements required by the Virginia Solid Waste Management Regulations, 9 VAC 20-81.

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Legal Authority	 Exempt Action Action required by federal statute 	☑ Discretionary action
Deregulatory	□ Action required by state statute This new guidance document will cla	rify that permit applicants who have
Component	This new guidance document will clarify that permit applicants who have previously conducted waste operations in Virginia are subject to less comprehensive disclosure requirements than permit applicants who have not previously conducted waste operations in Virginia.	
Expected Date	November 2023	

Title of Proposed Regulatory Action or Guidance Document Develop Alternate Operational Cover Guidance for Landfills Guidance

Brief Overview

Under certain circumstances, the Virginia Solid Waste Management Regulations, 9VAC20-81, allow for the use of alternate operational cover strategies in lieu of the default landfill operational cover requirements, if approved by the Department of Environmental Quality Director following a demonstration that the proposed alternative serves the same purpose and meets the same performance standards of the specified type of operational cover. This new guidance document will provide solid waste landfills and their consultants a guide to requesting and demonstrating the use of such alternate operational cover strategies. The information and procedures will apply to requests for alternatives to daily cover, progressive cover, weekly cover, and intermediate cover.

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Deregulatory Component	This new guidance document will state and approvals of alternate operational landfills.	1 1
Expected Date	March 2024	

Title of Proposed Regulatory Action or Guidance Document Update the Management of Sharps Guidance

Brief Overview

This guidance clarifies the management requirements for sharps in compliance with the Virginia Regulated Medical Waste Management Regulations. This is an existing guidance document on the Virginia Regulatory Town Hall and is being updated for consistency with Amendment 3 to the Regulated Medical Waste Management Regulations (9VAC20-121). This guidance document is used by Department of Environmental Quality staff, the regulated community and the general public concerning the packaging, labeling, management and disposal of sharps.

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Deregulatory Component	This document is a letter to a specific facility for a specific issue and does not interpret existing laws or regulations for the public and therefore should be rescinded as a guidance document.		
Expected Date	July 2023		

Title of Proposed Regulatory Action or Guidance Document

Rescind the Risk Based Closure – (REAMS) Risk Exposure and Analysis Modeling System Guidance

Brief Overview

This document being rescinded is outdated. The Risk Exposure and Analysis Modeling System (REAMS) is no longer used and has been replaced with the Virginia Unified Risk Assessment Model (VURAM). The VURAM User Guide including instructions on installation, use, and applicability is provided on DEQ's website.

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Title of Proposed Regulatory Action or Guidance Document

Rescind the Closure Guidance-Wood Treatment Facilities - Drip Pads

Brief Overview

This document that will be rescinded is outdated. The document is a fact sheet written to assist in outlining the regulatory requirements applicable to drip pads. Requirements have since been superseded by the Generator Improvements Rule, and thus this document is outdated. Additionally, the document only outlined applicable requirements and did not interpret existing laws or regulations for the public and therefore should be rescinded as a guidance document.

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Title of Proposed Regulatory Action or Guidance Document

Rescind the Waste Procedure No. 5 – Hazardous Waste Emergency Permits Guidance

Brief Overview

The purpose of this procedure document is to guide Department of Environmental Quality (DEQ) staff on responding to requests for hazardous waste emergency permits. These procedures were designed to document the process to ensure consistency and outline staff roles. This document was designed as a document for internal use only and assists DEQ staff within the Office of Financial Responsibility and Waste Programs keep abreast of the most recent regulations and procedures. These procedures are to be incorporated into the Hazardous Waste Permitting Manual and updated as needed within that manual.

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Deregulatory	This document was developed entirely	y for internal DEQ staff use. It is
Component	meant to be a "living document" that exists in electronic format on DEQ's intranet site and is updated corresponding with changes to applicable statutes and regulations. The procedure is being incorporated into a broader Hazardous Waste Permit Manual under development to consolidate all hazardous waste permitting procedures in one manual. Therefore, this document should be removed as a guidance document.	
Expected Date	July 2023	

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Title of Proposed Regulatory Action or Guidance Document

Rescind the Financial Assurance Procedures in Support of the Hazardous Waste Permitting Program

Brief Overview

The purpose of these procedures is to guide Department of Environmental Quality (DEQ) staff on reviewing financial assurance documentation required as part of a hazardous waste permit. These procedures were designed to document the process to ensure consistency and outline staff roles. This document was designed as a document for internal use only and assists DEQ staff within the Office of Financial Responsibility and Waste Programs keep abreast of the most recent regulations and procedures by removing or adding pages to the manual.

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Deregulatory	This document was developed entirely	y for internal DEQ staff use. It is
Component	meant to be a "living document" that exists in electronic format on DEQ's intranet site and is updated corresponding with changes to applicable statutes and regulations. Therefore, this document should be removed as a guidance document.	
Expected Date	July 2023	

Title of Proposed Regulatory Action or Guidance Document

Develop Submission Instructions No. 31: Procedural Requirements for RMW Permits-By-Rule

Brief Overview

This guidance will provide Regulated Medical Waste (RMW) transfer and treatment facilities guidance on the RMW permit-by-rule process and documents associated with the application. Guidance corresponds with regulatory changes with Amend 3 of 9VAC20-121 (Regulated Medical Waste Management Regulations). This is a guidance document that will be used by DEQ staff and RMW facilities to assist with submission of the RMW PBR applications.

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Expected Date	January 2024	

Title of Proposed Regulatory Action or Guidance Document

Update Submission Instruction 29 – Additional Permit Application Requirements for Coal Combustion

Residuals Units

Brief Overview

This Submission Instruction provides guidance for owners and operators of coal combustion residual units (CCR) instructions regarding elements of permitting submissions to address CCR units particularly for a new and existing CCR surface impoundments and landfills. This is an existing guidance document on the Virginia Regulatory Town Hall and is being updated for consistency with updates to the Solid Waste Regulations to incorporate by reference amendments to the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency's Disposal of Coal Combustion Residuals from Electric Utilities. This document provides a template for permit applicants and permit holders to submit information required by the solid waste regulations in order to streamline review by agency staff.

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Expected Date	June 2024	

LPR-SW-04-2012

Title of Proposed Regulatory Action or Guidance Document

Update the State-Wide Variance Guidance Memo No. LPR-SW-04-2012 Management and Reuse of Contaminated Media

Brief Overview

Update to the 2012 Management and Reuse of Contaminated Media to address issues for use and

implementation of the state-wide self-implemented variance for facilities.

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Deregulatory	The updated guidance document will	allow for greater flexibility and
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-	consistent with the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency's regional	
	screening levels and removing the req	uirement to implement land use
	restrictions.	
Expected Date	May 2024	

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Title of Proposed Regulatory Action or Guidance Document

Civil Enforcement Manual - Chapter 4 - Civil Charges and Civil Penalties

Brief Overview

Civil Enforcement Manual - Chapter 4 - Civil Charges and Civil Penalties: Town Hall, Document ID: CEM-07. Document ID: CEM-07. This chapter addresses the specific procedure and criteria used by DEQ to calculate civil penalties in administrative enforcement actions.

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Expected Date	July 2023 (or later)	

Title of Proposed Regulatory Action or Guidance Document Develop Environmental Justice in the Permitting Process Guidance

Brief Overview

In 2020, the Commonwealth enacted the Virginia Environmental Justice Act (Act) and related implementing legislation. The Virginia Environmental Justice Act makes it Virginia's policy "... to promote environmental justice and ensure that it is carried out throughout the Commonwealth, with a focus on environmental justice and fenceline communities." Further, the Department of Environmental Quality's (DEQ) enabling statute was amended to state that DEQ's purpose, among others, is "to ensure the fair treatment and meaningful involvement of all people regardless of race, color, national origin, faith, disability, or income with respect to the administration of environmental laws, regulations, and policies." DEQ established an Office of Environmental Justice (OEJ) in April 2021 which includes an Office Manager and four Environmental Justice Coordinators.

This guidance will describe how DEQ will ensure meaningful involvement and fair treatment in environmental permitting and will be applicable to all DEQ permitting actions. To the extent possible, this guidance should be incorporated into ongoing efforts to enable permit applicants, as well as the public and any stakeholder, to track pending permits and access current information about the critical steps and permitting schedules associated with permit approvals.

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Title of Proposed Regulatory Action or Guidance Document

Update The Procedure Manual - Environmental Impact Review of Major State Facilities

Brief Overview

The Procedure Manual – Environmental Impact Review of Major State Facilities was prepared according to the requirements of § 10.1-1191 of the Code of Virginia, which directs the Department of Environmental Quality (DEQ) to develop procedures governing the preparation and evaluation of required environmental impact reports for state projects. Section 10.1-1188 of the Code of Virginia requires state agencies to prepare and submit an environmental impact report (EIR) for each major state project. Changes are anticipated to address changes to § 10.1-1183 of the Code of Virginia to address climate change and environmental justice and the Virginia Environmental Justice Act requiring all state agencies to address environmental justice. This action replaces an outdated manual with an updated manual.

Regulatory	□ NOIRA	\Box Emergency or
Stage	□ Proposed	Emergency/NOIRA
(check one box)	□ Final	□ Revised Proposed
		□ Fast-Track
Additional	□ Expedited Review Requested	⊠ Guidance Document
Description	□ Exempt Action	
Legal Authority	\Box Action required by federal statute	☑ Discretionary action
	□ Action required by state statute	
Deregulatory	This action replaces an outdated manual with an updated manual.	
Component		
Expected Date	July 2023 (or later)	

Title of Proposed Regulatory Action or Guidance Document

Process for Early Dispute Resolution of Notices of Alleged Violation and Notices of Deficiency

Brief Overview

Process for Early Dispute Resolution of Notices of Alleged Violation and Notices of Deficiency: Town Hall, Document ID: 2672. Establishes a Process for Early Dispute Resolution to afford an additional informal process that can assist in resolution of disagreements with DEQ concerning the issuance of notices of alleged violation.

Regulatory Stage (check one box)	□ NOIRA □ Proposed □ Final	 Emergency or Emergency/NOIRA Revised Proposed Fast-Track
Additional Description	□ Expedited Review Requested □ Exempt Action	I Guidance Document
Legal Authority	☐ Action required by federal statute ☐ Action required by state statute	☑ Discretionary action
Deregulatory Component		
Expected Date	July 2023 (or later)	

Title of Proposed Regulatory Action or Guidance Document

Revise the Federal Consistency Information Package for the Virginia Coastal Zone Management Program

Brief Overview

Revisions are proposed to change contact information in Federal Consistency Information Package for the Virginia Coastal Zone Management Program to address changes in personnel and agency phone numbers.

Regulatory	□ NOIRA	Emergency or
Stage	□ Proposed	Emergency/NOIRA
(check one box)	□ Final	□ Revised Proposed
		□ Fast-Track
Additional	Expedited Review Requested	⊠ Guidance Document
Description	□ Exempt Action	
Legal Authority	□ Action required by federal statute	☑ Discretionary action
	□ Action required by state statute	
Deregulatory		
Component		
Expected Date	December 2023	

Title of Proposed Regulatory Action or Guidance Document

Guidance Document- GM24-2002 Virginia Runoff Reduction Method User Guide and Compliance Spreadsheets for New Development and Redevelopment - Version 4.1

Brief Overview

The Virginia Erosion and Stormwater Management Regulation, at 9VAC25-875-590, states that "Compliance with the water quality design criteria set out in subdivisions A 1 and A 2 of 9VAC25-875-580 shall be determined by utilizing the Virginia Runoff Reduction Method or another equivalent methodology that is approved by the department." Through its adoption as guidance, Virginia Runoff Reduction Method (VRRM) - Version 4.1, consisting of spreadsheets for new development and redevelopment and a User Guide - will become an equivalent methodology that is approved by the Department.

VRRM 4.1 expands the number of land covers by adding mixed open as an alternative between forest and managed turf, updates loading rate calculations to ensure consistency with the Chesapeake Bay Total Maximum Daily Load (TMDL), accommodates revisions to the Chesapeake Assessment Scenario Tool, and utilizes more accurate phosphate loading information to provide better projections about stormwater runoff quality from construction sites and the expected impact of best management practices that are planned to reduce nutrient runoff. The VRRM 4.1 User Guide includes necessary information about how to use the VRRM spreadsheets and details about revisions in VRRM 4.1.

As the agency transitions to the new guidance, GM24-2002, the regulated community may choose to use the existing guidance, GM16-2001- Updated Virginia Runoff Reduction Method Compliance Spreadsheets - Version 3.0, or this new guidance for plans submitted between July 1, 2024 and June 30, 2025. The existing guidance, GM16-2001- Updated Virginia Runoff Reduction Method Compliance Spreadsheets - Version 3.0, is scheduled to be rescinded on July 1, 2025, at the end of a one-year transition period.

Regulatory	□ NOIRA	Emergency or
Stage		Emergency/NOIRA
(check one box)		□ Revised Proposed
		□ Fast-Track
Additional	Expedited Review Requested	⊠ Guidance Document
Description	Exempt Action	
Legal Authority	□ Action required by federal statute	☑ Discretionary action
	\Box Action required by state statute	
Deregulatory		
Component		
Expected Date	January 2024 (or later)	

Department of Fire Programs (DFP) / Total = 18

Action/Stage or Guidance Document Forum ID (if available) SFMO-1		
Title of Proposed	Regulatory Action or Guidance Doc	rument
Use of Pyrotechnic	cs inside or outdoors on State-owned P	roperty before a proximate audience
Brief Overview		
This application is	intended to collect information on tho	se who wish to use pyrotechnics on
	erty before an audience. Code of Virgin	- 0
•	to enforce the Statewide Fire Prevention	1 1 2
Fire Prevention Co	ode § 5608 requires permits for firewor	ks displays before a proximate
audience.	1	
Regulatory	□ NOIRA	□ Emergency or
Stage	□ Proposed	Emergency/NOIRA
(check one box)	□ Final	□ Revised Proposed
		□ Fast-Track
Additional	□ Expedited Review Requested	⊠ Guidance Document
Description	□ Exempt Action	
Legal Authority	\Box Action required by federal statute	⊠ Discretionary action
	Action required by state statute	
Deregulatory	Executive Order #19 (2022) requires executive branch agencies to reduce	
Component	regulatory requirements by 25% or in	
	change removes the guidance docume	ent to align with <i>Code of Virginia</i> §
	2.2-4002.1.	
Expected Date	August 2023	

Action/Stage or C	Guidance Document Forum ID (if ava	ailable)
SFMO-3		
Title of Proposed	Regulatory Action or Guidance Doc	ument
Application for A	nnual Permit to Manufacture Explosive	S
Brief Overview		
	intended to collect information on tho	
-	Commonwealth of Virginia. Code of Vi	•
Marshal authority	to consider all permit applications for 1	nanufacturing explosives.
Regulatory	□ NOIRA	\Box Emergency or
Stage	□ Proposed	Emergency/NOIRA
(check one box)	□ Final	□ Revised Proposed
		□ Fast-Track
Additional	□ Expedited Review Requested	⊠ Guidance Document
Description	Exempt Action	
Legal Authority	\Box Action required by federal statute	⊠ Discretionary action
	Action required by state statute	
Deregulatory	Executive Order #19 (2022) requires executive branch agencies to reduce	
Component	regulatory requirements by 25% or in length by 25%. This proposed	
	change removes the guidance docume	ent to align with <i>Code of Virginia</i> §
	2.2-4002.1.	
Expected Date	August 2023	

Action/Stage or (Suidanca Document Forum ID (if ave	nilable)	
SFMO-4	Action/Stage or Guidance Document Forum ID (if available) SFMO-4		
	Regulatory Action or Guidance Doc	ument	
-	nnual Permit to Sell Explosives		
Brief Overview			
This application is	intended to collect information on those	se who wish to sell explosives in the	
	f Virginia. Code of Virginia § 27-97.2 §	•	
to consider all per	mit applications for the sale of explosiv	/es.	
Regulatory	□ NOIRA	□ Emergency or	
Stage	□ Proposed	Emergency/NOIRA	
(check one box)	\Box Final	□ Revised Proposed	
		□ Fast-Track	
Additional	Expedited Review Requested	⊠ Guidance Document	
Description	□ Exempt Action		
Legal Authority	□ Action required by federal statute	⊠ Discretionary action	
	⊠ Action required by state statute		
Deregulatory	Executive Order #19 (2022) requires executive branch agencies to reduce		
Component	regulatory requirements by 25% or in length by 25%. This proposed		
	change removes the guidance document to align with <i>Code of Virginia</i> §		
	2.2-4002.1.		
Expected Date	August 2023		

Action/Stage or O	Guidance Document Forum ID (if ava	ailable)	
SFMO-5			
Title of Proposed	Regulatory Action or Guidance Doc	ument	
Application for Ar	nnual permit to Store Explosives		
Brief Overview			
This application is intended to collect information on those who wish to store explosives in the Commonwealth of Virginia. <i>Code of Virginia</i> § 27-97.2 gives the State Fire Marshal authority to consider all permit applications for the storage of explosives.			
Regulatory	□ NOIRA	Emergency or	
Stage	□ Proposed	Emergency/NOIRA	
(check one box)	\Box Final	□ Revised Proposed	
		□ Fast-Track	
Additional	Expedited Review Requested	⊠ Guidance Document	
Description	□ Exempt Action		
Legal Authority	□ Action required by federal statute	⊠ Discretionary action	
	\boxtimes Action required by state statute		
Deregulatory	Executive Order #19 (2022) requires executive branch agencies to reduce		
Component	regulatory requirements by 25% or in length by 25%. This proposed		
	0	change removes the guidance document to align with <i>Code of Virginia</i> §	
	2.2-4002.1.		
Expected Date	August 2023		

Action/Stage or C	Guidance Document Forum ID (if ava	ailahla)	
SFMO-6	Juliance Document Forum ID (II ava	mable)	
	Regulatory Action or Guidance Doc	ument	
-	nual Permit to use Explosives		
Brief Overview	•		
This application is	intended to collect information on those	se who wish to use explosives in the	
Commonwealth of	f Virginia. Code of Virginia § 27-97.2 g	gives the State Fire Marshal authority	
to consider all peri	mit applications for the use of explosive	es.	
Regulatory	□ NOIRA	Emergency or	
Stage	□ Proposed	Emergency/NOIRA	
(check one box)	□ Final	□ Revised Proposed	
		□ Fast-Track	
Additional	Expedited Review Requested	⊠ Guidance Document	
Description	Exempt Action		
Legal Authority	□ Action required by federal statute	☑ Discretionary action	
	\boxtimes Action required by state statute		
Deregulatory	Executive Order #19 (2022) requires	executive branch agencies to reduce	
Component	regulatory requirements by 25% or in length by 25%. This proposed		
	change removes the guidance docume	change removes the guidance document to align with <i>Code of Virginia</i> §	
	2.2-4002.1.		
Expected Date	August 2023		

Action/Stage or Guidance Document Forum ID (if available)SFMO-7Title of Proposed Regulatory Action or Guidance DocumentApplication for a Background Clearance Card (BCC) Application for Certification of a Blasteror PyrotechnicianBrief OverviewThis application is intended to collect information on those who wish to obtain certification asa blaster or pyrotechnician in the Commonwealth of Virginia. Code of Virginia § 27-97.2

gives the State Fire Marshal authority to consider all permit applications for certification as a blaster or pyrotechnician.

blaster of pyroteen		
Regulatory	□ NOIRA	\Box Emergency or
Stage	□ Proposed	Emergency/NOIRA
(check one box)	□ Final	□ Revised Proposed
		□ Fast-Track
Additional	Expedited Review Requested	⊠ Guidance Document
Description	□ Exempt Action	
Legal Authority	\Box Action required by federal statute	☑ Discretionary action
	Action required by state statute	
Deregulatory	Executive Order #19 (2022) requires	executive branch agencies to reduce
Component	regulatory requirements by 25% or in length by 25%. This proposed	
	change removes the guidance document to align with Code of Virginia §	
	2.2-4002.1.	
Expected Date	August 2023	

Action/Stage or Guidance Document Forum ID (if available) SFMO-8		
Title of Proposed	Regulatory Action or Guidance Doc	ument
Application to Ren	new a Background Clearance Card (BC	C), Blaster or Pyrotechnician
Brief Overview		
This application is	intended to collect information on tho	se who wish to renew their
certification as a b	laster or pyrotechnician in the Commo	nwealth of Virginia. Code of Virginia
-	e State Fire Marshal authority to consid	ler all permit applications for
certification as a b	laster or pyrotechnician.	
Regulatory	□ NOIRA	□ Emergency or
Stage	□ Proposed	Emergency/NOIRA
(check one box)	□ Final	□ Revised Proposed
		□ Fast-Track
Additional	□ Expedited Review Requested	⊠ Guidance Document
Description	□ Exempt Action	
Legal Authority	□ Action required by federal statute	☑ Discretionary action
	☑ Action required by state statute	
Deregulatory	Executive Order #19 (2022) requires executive branch agencies to reduce	
Component	regulatory requirements by 25% or in length by 25%. This proposed	
	change removes the guidance document to align with <i>Code of Virginia</i> §	
	2.2-4002.1.	
Expected Date	August 2023	

Action/Stage or Guidance Document Forum ID (if available) SFMO-9		
	Regulatory Action or Guidance Doc	ument
-	e Display of Aerial Fireworks on State-	
Brief Overview		
	intended to collect information on those	1 0
	-owned property. Code of Virginia § 9.	6
•	e the Statewide Fire Prevention Code of	1 I V
	5608 requires permits for fireworks di	splays.
Regulatory	□ NOIRA	□ Emergency or
Stage	□ Proposed	Emergency/NOIRA
(check one box)	⊠ Final	□ Revised Proposed
		□ Fast-Track
Additional	Expedited Review Requested	I Guidance Document
Description	Exempt Action	
Legal Authority	□ Action required by federal statute	☑ Discretionary action
	Action required by state statute	
Deregulatory	Executive Order #19 (2022) requires	executive branch agencies to reduce
Component	regulatory requirements by 25% or in length by 25%. This proposed	
	change removes the guidance docume	ent to align with <i>Code of Virginia</i> §
	2.2-4002.1.	
Expected Date	August 2023	

0	Action/Stage or Guidance Document Forum ID (if available)		
SFMO-10			
Title of Proposed	Regulatory Action or Guidance Doc	ument	
Blaster Re-Certific	cation training hours and sources		
Brief Overview			
The policy stateme	ent is intended to inform individuals that	at are certified to load, fire, or	
supervise the use of	of explosive shots (i.e. Blasters) of the	required training hours and sources of	
training for recerti	fication. (Statewide Fire Prevention Co	ode § 5601)	
Regulatory	□ NOIRA	Emergency or	
Stage	□ Proposed	Emergency/NOIRA	
(check one box)	\Box Final	□ Revised Proposed	
		□ Fast-Track	
Additional	□ Expedited Review Requested	⊠ Guidance Document	
Description	□ Exempt Action		
Legal Authority	\Box Action required by federal statute	⊠ Discretionary action	
	Action required by state statute	-	
Deregulatory	Executive Order #19 (2022) requires executive branch agencies to reduce		
Component	regulatory requirements by 25% or in length by 25%. This proposed		
	change removes the guidance document to align with <i>Code of Virginia</i> §		
	2.2-4002.1 and removes outdated policy.		
Expected Date	August 2023		

Action/Stage or C SFMO-11	Action/Stage or Guidance Document Forum ID (if available)		
	Regulatory Action or Guidance Doc	ument	
Application to Ope	erate Theatrical Flame Effects		
Brief Overview			
	intended to collect information on tho	1	
	e property of the Commonwealth of V	•	
0	e Marshal authority to enforce the State		
* * *	e Fire Prevention Code § 308 requires	permits for theatrical flame effects.	
Regulatory	□ NOIRA	\Box Emergency or	
Stage	□ Proposed	Emergency/NOIRA	
(check one box)	□ Final	□ Revised Proposed	
		□ Fast-Track	
Additional	□ Expedited Review Requested	⊠ Guidance Document	
Description	Exempt Action		
Legal Authority	□ Action required by federal statute	☑ Discretionary action	
	Action required by state statute		
Deregulatory	Executive Order #19 (2022) requires executive branch agencies to reduce		
Component	regulatory requirements by 25% or in length by 25%. This proposed		
	change removes the guidance docume	ent to align with <i>Code of Virginia</i> §	
	2.2-4002.1.		
Expected Date	August 2023		

Action/Stage or G	Guidance Document Forum ID (if ava	ailable)	
SFMO-12			
Title of Proposed	Regulatory Action or Guidance Doc	ument	
Pyrotechnician Re	-Certification training hours and source	28	
Brief Overview			
The policy statement is intended to inform individuals that are certified to design, setup, or conduct fireworks displays (i.e. pyrotechnicians) of the required training hours and sources of training for recertification. (Statewide Fire Prevention Code § 5601)			
Regulatory	□ NOIRA	\Box Emergency or	
Stage	□ Proposed	Emergency/NOIRA	
(check one box)	⊠ Final	□ Revised Proposed	
		□ Fast-Track	
Additional	□ Expedited Review Requested	⊠ Guidance Document	
Description	□ Exempt Action		
Legal Authority	\Box Action required by federal statute	⊠ Discretionary action	
	\boxtimes Action required by state statute		
Deregulatory	Executive Order #19 (2022) requires executive branch agencies to reduce		
Component	regulatory requirements by 25% or in length by 25%. This proposed		
	change removes the guidance docume	change removes the guidance document to align with <i>Code of Virginia</i> §	
	2.2-4002.1 and removes outdated poli	icy.	
Expected Date	August 2023		

Action/Stage or C SFMO-13	Action/Stage or Guidance Document Forum ID (if available) SFMO-13		
Title of Proposed	Regulatory Action or Guidance Doc	ument	
Application for rep	placement Certification or BCC		
Brief Overview			
	intended to collect information on tho	-	
	as a blaster or pyrotechnician in the Con	- ,	
0	gives the State Fire Marshal authority	to consider all permit applications for	
	laster or pyrotechnician.		
Regulatory	□ NOIRA	\Box Emergency or	
Stage	□ Proposed	Emergency/NOIRA	
(check one box)	□ Final	□ Revised Proposed	
		□ Fast-Track	
Additional	Expedited Review Requested	⊠ Guidance Document	
Description	□ Exempt Action		
Legal Authority	□ Action required by federal statute	⊠ Discretionary action	
	Action required by state statute		
Deregulatory	Executive Order #19 (2022) requires executive branch agencies to reduce		
Component	regulatory requirements by 25% or in length by 25%. This proposed		
	change removes the guidance docume	ent to align with <i>Code of Virginia</i> §	
	2.2-4002.1.		
Expected Date	August 2023		

Action/Stage or Guidance Document Forum ID (if available) SMFO-14			
Title of Proposed	Regulatory Action or Guidance Doc	rument	
Application of Op	en Burning		
Brief Overview			
	intended to collect information on tho	1 0	
	the Commonwealth of Virginia. Code	v 8 - 8	
	prity to enforce the Statewide Fire Prev	1 1 1	
	vention Code § 307 requires permits for	or open burning.	
Regulatory	□ NOIRA	\Box Emergency or	
Stage	□ Proposed	Emergency/NOIRA	
(check one box)	□ Final	□ Revised Proposed	
		□ Fast-Track	
Additional	Expedited Review Requested	⊠ Guidance Document	
Description	Exempt Action		
Legal Authority	□ Action required by federal statute	⊠ Discretionary action	
	\Box Action required by state statute		
Deregulatory	Executive Order #19 (2022) requires	executive branch agencies to reduce	
Component	regulatory requirements by 25% or in length by 25%. This proposed		
	change removes the guidance docume	change removes the guidance document to align with <i>Code of Virginia</i> §	
	2.2-4002.1.		
Expected Date	August 2023		

Action/Stage or C	Guidance Document Forum ID (if ava	ailable)
VFSB-1		
Title of Proposed	Regulatory Action or Guidance Doc	ument
Aid-To-Localities	Policy	
Brief Overview		
-	ded to provide potential grant applicant	
	y Department of Fire Programs, in cons	e
	required in Code of Virginia § 9.1-204	
- U	ment to make information easier to und	lerstand for potential applicants.
Regulatory	□ NOIRA	\Box Emergency or
Stage	□ Proposed	Emergency/NOIRA
(check one box)	\Box Final	□ Revised Proposed
		□ Fast-Track
Additional	Expedited Review Requested	⊠ Guidance Document
Description	□ Exempt Action	
Legal Authority	□ Action required by federal statute	☑ Discretionary action
	Action required by state statute	
Deregulatory	Executive Order #19 (2022) requires executive branch agencies to reduce	
Component	regulatory requirements by 25% or in length by 25%. This proposed	
	change reduces the length by approximately 14%.	
Expected Date	October 2023	

Action/Stage or O VFSB-2	Action/Stage or Guidance Document Forum ID (if available) VFSB-2		
Title of Proposed	Regulatory Action or Guidance Doc	ument	
Live Fire Training	Structure Grants		
Brief Overview			
Ū.	ded to provide potential grant applicant	6	
Structure Grants p	rovided by Department of Fire Program	ns, in consultation with the Virginia	
	ed as required by Code of Virginia § 38.		
0	of the document to make information ea	asier to understand for potential	
applicants.	1		
Regulatory	□ NOIRA	□ Emergency or	
Stage	□ Proposed	Emergency/NOIRA	
(check one box)	□ Final	□ Revised Proposed	
		□ Fast-Track	
Additional	Expedited Review Requested	I Guidance Document	
Description	□ Exempt Action		
Legal Authority	□ Action required by federal statute	☑ Discretionary action	
	\boxtimes Action required by state statute		
Deregulatory	Executive Order #19 (2022) requires executive branch agencies to reduce		
Component	regulatory requirements by 25% or in length by 25%. This proposed		
_	change reduces the length by approximately 23%.		
Expected Date	October 2023		

Action/Stage or C	Juidance Document Forum ID (if ava	iilable)
VFSB-3		
Title of Proposed	Regulatory Action or Guidance Doc	ument
	lent Reporting (VFIRS) Hardware Grar	nt
Brief Overview		
U U	ded to provide potential grant applican	5
1 0	s System Hardware Grants provided by	1 0
	the Virginia Fire Services Board as requ	•
	led to reduce the length of the documer	it to make information easier to
understand for pot		
Regulatory	□ NOIRA	\Box Emergency or
Stage	□ Proposed	Emergency/NOIRA
(check one box)	□ Final	Revised Proposed
		□ Fast-Track
Additional	□ Expedited Review Requested	⊠ Guidance Document
Description	□ Exempt Action	
Legal Authority	□ Action required by federal statute	☑ Discretionary action
	☑ Action required by state statute	
Deregulatory	Executive Order #19 (2022) requires executive branch agencies to reduce	
Component	regulatory requirements by 25% or in	length by 25%. This proposed
	change reduces the length by approximately 33%.	
Expected Date	October 2023	

Action/Stage or O VFSB-4	Action/Stage or Guidance Document Forum ID (if available)		
	Regulatory Action or Guidance Doc	ument	
-	vices Training Policy		
Brief Overview			
Ū.	ded to provide potential grant applicant	6	
-	ovided by Department of Fire Programs		
	d as required by <i>Code of Virginia</i> § 38.		
•	of the document to make information ea	asier to understand for potential	
applicants.			
Regulatory		Emergency or	
Stage	□ Proposed	Emergency/NOIRA	
(check one box)	🗆 Final	Revised Proposed	
		□ Fast-Track	
Additional	□ Expedited Review Requested	⊠ Guidance Document	
Description	□ Exempt Action		
Legal Authority	□ Action required by federal statute	☑ Discretionary action	
	\boxtimes Action required by state statute		
Deregulatory	Executive Order #19 (2022) requires executive branch agencies to reduce		
Component	regulatory requirements by 25% or in length by 25%. This proposed		
_	change reduces the length by approximately 14%.		
Expected Date	October 2023		

Action/Stage or (Action/Stage or Guidance Document Forum ID (if available)		
VFSB-6			
Title of Proposed	Regulatory Action or Guidance Doc	ument	
	ducation Assistance Grant		
Brief Overview			
-	ded to provide potential grant applican		
	nce Grant provided by Department of F	•	
e	ervices Board as required by Code of V	0	
	he length of the document to make info	ormation easier to understand for	
potential applicant			
Regulatory	□ NOIRA	□ Emergency or	
Stage	□ Proposed	Emergency/NOIRA	
(check one box)	□ Final	□ Revised Proposed	
		□ Fast-Track	
Additional	□ Expedited Review Requested	⊠ Guidance Document	
Description	Exempt Action		
Legal Authority	□ Action required by federal statute	☑ Discretionary action	
	Action required by state statute		
Deregulatory	Executive Order #19 (2022) requires executive branch agencies to reduce		
Component	regulatory requirements by 25% or in length by 25%. This proposed		
	change reduces the length by approximately 20%.		
Expected Date	October 2023		

Department of Health (VDH) / Total = 104

Guidance Document Forum ID (if available)		
Title of Guidance	Document	
Screening for TB In	nfection and Disease *. (EPI-409)	
Brief Overview		
Amend. An updated	d version will be posted on the VDH	and Town Hall websites. The new
version of the docu	ment is titled "Screening and Testing	g for Tuberculosis"
Regulatory	🗆 NOIRA	\Box Emergency or
Stage		Emergency/NOIRA
(check one box)	□ Proposed	Revised Proposed
	🗆 Final	□ Fast-Track
Additional	□ Expedited Review Requested	Guidance Document
Description	Exempt Action	
Legal Authority	□ Action required by federal	□ Discretionary Action
	statute	
	□ Action required by state statute	
Deregulatory	None	
Component		
Expected Date	July 2023	

Guidance Document Forum ID (if available)		
Title of Guidance	Document	
Triennial Audit Red	quirement for Hospices and Home Ca	are Organizations. (OLC-3003-G)
Brief Overview		
Repeal. Based on a	dvice from legal counsel	
Regulatory	🗆 NOIRA	\Box Emergency or
Stage		Emergency/NOIRA
(check one box)	□ Proposed	Revised Proposed
	🗖 Final	□ Fast-Track
Additional	Expedited Review Requested	Guidance Document
Description	Exempt Action	
Legal Authority	□ Action required by federal	Discretionary Action
	statute	
	\Box Action required by state statute	
Deregulatory	Guidance is being repealed	
Component		
Expected Date	July 2023	

Guidance Document Forum ID (if available)		
Title of Guidance	Document	
Citizens with Comp	plaints against a Radon Professional. ((ORH-753)
Brief Overview		
Repeal. Exceeds au	thority for radon program functions.	
Regulatory	🗆 NOIRA	\Box Emergency or
Stage		Emergency/NOIRA
(check one box)	□ Proposed	Revised Proposed
	🗇 Final	□ Fast-Track
Additional	□ Expedited Review Requested	☑ Guidance Document
Description	Exempt Action	
Legal Authority	\Box Action required by federal	Discretionary Action
	statute	
	☐ Action required by state statute	
Deregulatory		
Component		
Expected Date	July 2023	

Guidance Document Forum ID (if available)		
Title of Guidance	Document	
Nursing facility inf	formal dispute resolution process. (QI	HC-026)
Brief Overview	· · · · · ·	
Amend. The docum	nent needs updates to be current with	CMS's State Operations Manual
Regulatory	□ NOIRA	\Box Emergency or
Stage		Emergency/NOIRA
(check one box)	□ Proposed	Revised Proposed
	🗆 Final	□ Fast-Track
Additional	□ Expedited Review Requested	☑ Guidance Document
Description	□ Exempt Action	
Legal Authority	□ Action required by federal	□ Discretionary Action
	statute	
	\Box Action required by state statute	
Deregulatory	To be determined	
Component		
Expected Date	July 2023	

Guidance Document Forum ID (if available)		
Title of Guidance	Document	
Home Care Initial I	Licensure Checklist. (QHC-054)	
Brief Overview		
Amend. Process de	scribed is out-of-date; OLC will be l	aunching an online portal for all
applications so this	needs to be updated after that softw	are launch
Regulatory	□ NOIRA	\Box Emergency or
Stage		Emergency/NOIRA
(check one box)	□ Proposed	Revised Proposed
	🗇 Final	□ Fast-Track
Additional	□ Expedited Review Requested	Guidance Document
Description	Exempt Action	
Legal Authority	\Box Action required by federal	Discretionary Action
	statute	
	□ Action required by state statute	
Deregulatory	To be determined	
Component		
Expected Date	July 2023	

Guidance Document Forum ID (if available)		
Title of Guidance	Document	
Hospice Initial Lice	ensure Checklist. (QHC-056)	
Brief Overview		
Amend. Process de	scribed is out-of-date; OLC will be l	aunching an online portal for all
applications so this	needs to be updated in step with that	t software launch
Regulatory	□ NOIRA	□ Emergency or
Stage		Emergency/NOIRA
(check one box)	□ Proposed	Revised Proposed
	🗆 Final	□ Fast-Track
Additional	□ Expedited Review Requested	Guidance Document
Description	Exempt Action	
Legal Authority	\Box Action required by federal	Discretionary Action
	statute	
	□ Action required by state statute	
Deregulatory	To be determined	
Component		
Expected Date	July 2023	

Guidance Document Forum ID (if available)		
Title of Guidance	Documont	
· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	License. (QHC-070)	
Brief Overview		
Repeal. Supersedec	l by updated statutes published after g	guidance document effective date
Regulatory	🗆 NOIRA	\Box Emergency or
Stage		Emergency/NOIRA
(check one box)	□ Proposed	□ Revised Proposed
	🗆 Final	□ Fast-Track
Additional	Expedited Review Requested	Guidance Document
Description	□ Exempt Action	
Legal Authority	□ Action required by federal	□ Discretionary Action
	statute	
	□ Action required by state statute	
Deregulatory	Guidance is being repealed	
Component		
Expected Date	July 2023	

Guidance Document Forum ID (if available)		
Title of Guidance	Document	
	ction of health care facilities. (QHC-0	031)
Brief Overview		
Repeal. Superseded	by updated regulations published aft	er guidance document effective date
Regulatory	🗆 NOIRA	□ Emergency or
Stage		Emergency/NOIRA
(check one box)	□ Proposed	Revised Proposed
	🗆 Final	□ Fast-Track
Additional	□ Expedited Review Requested	☑ Guidance Document
Description	□ Exempt Action	
Legal Authority	□ Action required by federal	Discretionary Action
	statute	
	\Box Action required by state statute	
Deregulatory	Guidance is being repealed	
Component		
Expected Date	August 2023	

Guidance Document Forum ID (if available)		
Title of Guidance	Document	
Enforcement Manu	al. (WTR-2020-02)	
Brief Overview		
		being changed to ODW-2023-03. The
	ent Manual reflects current best prac	
	am, refining and expanding upon the	Enforcement Manual 1.0. The
amendments updat		
Regulatory	D NOIRA	□ Emergency or
Stage		Emergency/NOIRA
(check one box)	□ Proposed	Revised Proposed
	🗇 Final	□ Fast-Track
Additional	□ Expedited Review Requested	Guidance Document
Description	□ Exempt Action	
Legal Authority	□ Action required by federal	Discretionary Action
	statute	
	\Box Action required by state statute	
Deregulatory	To be determined	
Component		
Expected Date	August 2023	

Guidance Document Forum ID (if available)		
Title of Guidance	Document	
Guidelines for Spec	cialized Health Care Procedures. (FA	AM 105)
Brief Overview		
Amend. Update the	e guidance to school personnel on the	e care of students with special health
care needs. The upo	dates were made in coordination with	n the Virginia Department of Education
Regulatory	D NOIRA	□ Emergency or
Stage		Emergency/NOIRA
(check one box)	□ Proposed	Revised Proposed
	🗇 Final	□ Fast-Track
Additional	□ Expedited Review Requested	Guidance Document
Description	Exempt Action	
Legal Authority	\Box Action required by federal	□ Discretionary Action
	statute	
	□ Action required by state statute	
Deregulatory	None, the document contains no regulatory requirements.	
Component		
Expected Date	August 2023	

Guidance Document Forum ID (if available)		
Title of Guidance	Document	
Virginia Conrad 30	Waiver Program Guidelines. (PRM-	-002)
Brief Overview		
Amend. Guidelines	s will be updated regarding new discr	etionary slots modifications &
determination proc	ess and to provide information to the	public
Regulatory	□ NOIRA	\Box Emergency or
Stage		Emergency/NOIRA
(check one box)	□ Proposed	Revised Proposed
	🗆 Final	□ Fast-Track
Additional	□ Expedited Review Requested	Guidance Document
Description	Exempt Action	
Legal Authority	□ Action required by federal	Discretionary Action
	statute	
	\Box Action required by state statute	
Deregulatory	To be determined	
Component		
Expected Date	August 2023	

Guidance Document Forum ID (if available)		
Title of Guidance	Document	
Virginia State Loar	n Repayment Program (VA-SLRP) Eli	igibility Guidelines, 2017 *. (PRM-
003)		
Brief Overview		
Amend. Updated to	reflect new federally approved change	ges: providers who are employed 20-
11	oved site are now eligible; matching f	1 ·
Commonwealth of	Virginia instead of recipient's employ	er
Regulatory	□ NOIRA	□ Emergency or
Stage		Emergency/NOIRA
(check one box)	□ Proposed	Revised Proposed
	🗆 Final	□ Fast-Track
Additional	□ Expedited Review Requested	☑ Guidance Document
Description	Exempt Action	
Legal Authority	□ Action required by federal	□ Discretionary Action
	statute	
	\Box Action required by state statute	
Deregulatory	To be determined	
Component		
Expected Date	August 2023	

Guidance Document Forum ID (if available)		
Title of Guidance	Document	
Well Development.	. (WTR-813)	
Brief Overview		
Repeal. The inform	ation in this document has been cons	solidated into the Project Review &
Permit Procedures	Manual, and can be deleted/repealed	once the new Manual goes into effect.
Regulatory	🗆 NOIRA	\Box Emergency or
Stage		Emergency/NOIRA
(check one box)	□ Proposed	Revised Proposed
	🗆 Final	□ Fast-Track
Additional	□ Expedited Review Requested	☑ Guidance Document
Description	Exempt Action	
Legal Authority	□ Action required by federal	Discretionary Action
	statute	
	\Box Action required by state statute	
Deregulatory	Consolidation of multiple guidance	documents into one
Component		
Expected Date	August 2023	

Guidance Document Forum ID (if available)		
Title of Guidance	Document	
UV Disinfection Sy	ystems for Public Water Supplies. (W	VTR-839)
Brief Overview		
Repeal. The inform	ation in this document has been con	solidated into the Project Review &
Permit Procedures	Manual, and can be deleted/repealed	l once the new Manual goes into effect.
Regulatory	🗆 NOIRA	□ Emergency or
Stage		Emergency/NOIRA
(check one box)	□ Proposed	Revised Proposed
	🗆 Final	□ Fast-Track
Additional	□ Expedited Review Requested	Guidance Document
Description	Exempt Action	
Legal Authority	□ Action required by federal	□ Discretionary Action
	statute	
	□ Action required by state statute	
Deregulatory	Consolidation of multiple guidance	e documents into one
Component		
Expected Date	August 2023	

Guidance Document Forum ID (if available)		
Title of Guidance	Document	
Treatment - Hollow	v Fiber, Positive Pressure Driven Mic	rofiltration and Ultrafiltration and
Ultrafiltration Men	nbrane Filtration Technology. (WTR-	.880)
Brief Overview		
Repeal. The inform	nation in this document has been cons	olidated into the Project Review &
Permit Procedures	Manual, and can be deleted/repealed	once the new Manual goes into effect.
Regulatory	□ NOIRA	\Box Emergency or
Stage		Emergency/NOIRA
(check one box)	□ Proposed	Revised Proposed
	🗖 Final	□ Fast-Track
Additional	□ Expedited Review Requested	Guidance Document
Description	Exempt Action	
Legal Authority	□ Action required by federal	Discretionary Action
	statute	
	\Box Action required by state statute	
Deregulatory	Consolidation of multiple guidance	documents into one
Component		
Expected Date	August 2023	

Guidance Document Forum ID (if available)		
Title of Guidance	Document	
Ozone Treatment &	b Disinfection Credit. (WTR-899)	
Brief Overview		
Repeal. The inform	nation in this document has been con	solidated into the Project Review &
Permit Procedures	Manual, and can be deleted/repealed	once the new Manual goes into effect.
Regulatory	🗆 NOIRA	\Box Emergency or
Stage		Emergency/NOIRA
(check one box)	□ Proposed	Revised Proposed
	🗆 Final	□ Fast-Track
Additional	□ Expedited Review Requested	Guidance Document
Description	Exempt Action	
Legal Authority	\Box Action required by federal	□ Discretionary Action
	statute	
	□ Action required by state statute	
Deregulatory	Consolidation of multiple guidance	e documents into one
Component		
Expected Date	August 2023	

Guidance Document Forum ID (if available)		
Title of Guidance	Document	
Nursing Facility Er	nergency Planning. (QHC-033)	
Brief Overview		
Amend. Out-of-dat	e URL	
Regulatory	🗆 NOIRA	□ Emergency or
Stage		Emergency/NOIRA
(check one box)	□ Proposed	□ Revised Proposed
	🗇 Final	□ Fast-Track
Additional	□ Expedited Review Requested	☑ Guidance Document
Description	Exempt Action	
Legal Authority	□ Action required by federal	□ Discretionary Action
	statute	
	□ Action required by state statute	
Deregulatory		
Component		
Expected Date	August 2023	

Guidance Document Comment Forum ID (if available)		
Title of Guidance	Document	
Delete Office of Er	nergency Medical Services documen	ts deemed not to meet the statutory
definition of a guid	ance document.	-
Brief Overview		
The following docu	ments have been deemed by the Off	ice of the Attorney General not to meet
	tion of a guidance document, thus ca	n be deleted from Town Hall without a
comment forum:		
,	3012, EMS-3019, EMS-3040A, EMS	
-	-6021F, EMS-6027, EMS-6028F, EN	
EMS-7102, EMS-8002, EMS-8004, EMS-8005, EMS-8006, EMS-8009, EMS-8010, EMS-		
8011, EMS-8012, H		
Regulatory	D NOIRA	\Box Emergency or
Stage		Emergency/NOIRA
(check one box)	□ Proposed	Revised Proposed
	🗇 Final	□ Fast-Track
Additional	□ Expedited Review Requested	Guidance Document
Description	□ Exempt Action	
Legal Authority	\Box Action required by federal	Discretionary Action
	statute	
	\Box Action required by state statute	
Deregulatory	Removal of 139 pages of guidance documents.	
Component		
Expected Date	August 2023	

Guidance Document Forum ID (if available)		
Title of Guidance	Document	
COPN Electronic S	Submission. (QHC-038)	
Brief Overview		
Amend. Statutory 1	anguage quoted is out-of-date	
Regulatory	🗆 NOIRA	□ Emergency or
Stage		Emergency/NOIRA
(check one box)	Proposed	Revised Proposed
	🗇 Final	□ Fast-Track
Additional	□ Expedited Review Requested	☑ Guidance Document
Description	Exempt Action	
Legal Authority	□ Action required by federal	□ Discretionary Action
	statute	
	\Box Action required by state statute	
Deregulatory	To be determined	
Component		
Expected Date	September 2023	

Guidance Document Forum ID (if available)			
Title of Guidance	Title of Guidance Document		
Guidance on X-Ray	y Machine Operators using PET CT I	Units. (ORH-734)	
Brief Overview			
Amend. Content to	be retained and updated with new te	mplate	
Regulatory	🗆 NOIRA	\Box Emergency or	
Stage		Emergency/NOIRA	
(check one box)	□ Proposed	Revised Proposed	
	🗖 Final	□ Fast-Track	
Additional	Expedited Review Requested	Guidance Document	
Description	Exempt Action		
Legal Authority	□ Action required by federal	Discretionary Action	
	statute		
	\Box Action required by state statute		
Deregulatory	Last updated in 2018. Text will be consolidated where possible.		
Component			
Expected Date	September 2023		

Guidance Document Forum ID (if available)			
Title of Guidance	Title of Guidance Document		
Radiation Safety Pi	rocedures. (ORH-744)		
Brief Overview			
Amend. ORH-744	will be updated to remove references	to outdated guidance; ensure	
document is void of	f typos and grammatical errors; conso	blidate and streamline content;	
incorporate new ter	nplate design		
Regulatory	□ NOIRA	\Box Emergency or	
Stage		Emergency/NOIRA	
(check one box)	□ Proposed	Revised Proposed	
	🗆 Final	□ Fast-Track	
Additional	□ Expedited Review Requested	Guidance Document	
Description	Exempt Action		
Legal Authority	□ Action required by federal	□ Discretionary Action	
	statute		
	\Box Action required by state statute		
Deregulatory	Last updated in 2020. Text will be c	consolidated where possible.	
Component		-	
Expected Date	September 2023		

Guidance Document Forum ID (if available)			
Title of Guidance	Title of Guidance Document		
Radiation Safety Pi	Radiation Safety Procedures for Dental Offices. (ORH-745)		
Brief Overview			
Amend. ORH-745	will be updated to remove references	to outdated guidance; ensure	
document is void of	f typos and grammatical errors; cons	olidate and streamline content;	
incorporate new ter	nplate design		
Regulatory	□ NOIRA	\Box Emergency or	
Stage		Emergency/NOIRA	
(check one box)	□ Proposed	Revised Proposed	
	🗖 Final	□ Fast-Track	
Additional	□ Expedited Review Requested	Guidance Document	
Description	Exempt Action		
Legal Authority	□ Action required by federal	Discretionary Action	
	statute		
	□ Action required by state statute		
Deregulatory	Last updated in 2020. Text will be	consolidated where possible.	
Component		-	
Expected Date	September 2023		

Guidance Document Forum ID (if available)			
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Title of Cuidence	Title of Guidance Document		
		(1-1: (FAN(110A)	
- 0 0	Disorders Program Pool of Funds Gu	Idelines. (FAM 112A)	
Brief Overview			
Amend. The existing	ng guidance describes the bleeding di	sorders pool of funds and provides	
guidance for imple	mentation of the program. The amend	led guidance document adds clarifying	
language to the hea	Ith insurance eligibility requirement	and updates the recent nam	
Regulatory	🗆 NOIRA	\Box Emergency or	
Stage		Emergency/NOIRA	
(check one box)	□ Proposed	□ Revised Proposed	
	🗆 Final	□ Fast-Track	
Additional	Expedited Review Requested	☑ Guidance Document	
Description	□ Exempt Action		
Legal Authority	□ Action required by federal	□ Discretionary Action	
	statute		
	\Box Action required by state statute		
Deregulatory	To be determined		
Component			
Expected Date	September 2023		

Guidance Document Forum ID (if available)		
Title of Guidance	Document	
Implementation of	the AOSS Regulations Nitrogen Requ	irements. (ENV-2013-01)
Brief Overview		
Amend. Amend to	include additional nitrogen BMPs	
Regulatory	🗆 NOIRA	□ Emergency or
Stage		Emergency/NOIRA
(check one box)	□ Proposed	Revised Proposed
	🗆 Final	□ Fast-Track
Additional	□ Expedited Review Requested	☑ Guidance Document
Description	Exempt Action	
Legal Authority	\Box Action required by federal	Discretionary Action
	statute	
	□ Action required by state statute	
Deregulatory	To be determined	
Component		
Expected Date	September 2023	

Guidance Document Forum ID (if available)		
Title of Guidance	Document	
GMP 2019-01 Hard	dship Guidelines *. (GMP 2019-01)	
Brief Overview		
Amend. Annual pro	pcess	
Regulatory	🗆 NOIRA	□ Emergency or
Stage		Emergency/NOIRA
(check one box)	Proposed	Revised Proposed
	🗇 Final	□ Fast-Track
Additional	□ Expedited Review Requested	Guidance Document
Description	□ Exempt Action	
Legal Authority	□ Action required by federal	□ Discretionary Action
	statute	
	\Box Action required by state statute	
Deregulatory	No	
Component		
Expected Date	September 2023	

Guidance Document Forum ID (if available)			
Title of Guidance	Document		
Radiation Safety Pr	rocedures for Veterinary Offices. (OF	RH-746)	
Brief Overview	· · · · ·		
Amend. ORH-746	will be updated to remove references	to outdated guidance; ensure	
document is void of	f typos and grammatical errors; conse	olidate and streamline content;	
incorporate new ter	incorporate new template design		
Regulatory	□ NOIRA	□ Emergency or	
Stage		Emergency/NOIRA	
(check one box)	□ Proposed	Revised Proposed	
	🗆 Final	□ Fast-Track	
Additional	□ Expedited Review Requested	Guidance Document	
Description	Exempt Action		
Legal Authority	□ Action required by federal	Discretionary Action	
	statute		
	\Box Action required by state statute		
Deregulatory	Last updated in 2020. Text will be a	consolidated where possible.	
Component		-	
Expected Date	September 2023		

Guidance Document Forum ID (if available)		
Title of Guidance	Document	
Radiation Safety Pi	rocedures for Non-medical Radiation	Producing Devices. (ORH-747)
Brief Overview		x , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , ,
Amend. ORH-747	will be updated to remove references	to outdated guidance; ensure
document is void of	f typos and grammatical errors; conso	blidate and streamline content;
incorporate new ter	nplate design	
Regulatory	🗆 NOIRA	\Box Emergency or
Stage		Emergency/NOIRA
(check one box)	□ Proposed	Revised Proposed
	🗖 Final	□ Fast-Track
Additional	□ Expedited Review Requested	Guidance Document
Description	Exempt Action	
Legal Authority	□ Action required by federal	□ Discretionary Action
	statute	
	\Box Action required by state statute	
Deregulatory	Last updated in 2020. Text will be o	consolidated where possible.
Component	_	-
Expected Date	October 2023	

Guidance Document Forum ID (if available)		
Title of Guidance	Document	
Radon Testing and	Mitigation. (ORH-750)	
Brief Overview		
Amend. ORH-750	will be updated to remove references	to outdated guidance; ensure
document is void of	f typos and grammatical errors; conso	blidate and streamline content;
incorporate new ter	nplate design	
Regulatory	□ NOIRA	□ Emergency or
Stage		Emergency/NOIRA
(check one box)	□ Proposed	Revised Proposed
	🗇 Final	□ Fast-Track
Additional	□ Expedited Review Requested	Guidance Document
Description	□ Exempt Action	
Legal Authority	□ Action required by federal	□ Discretionary Action
	statute	
	\Box Action required by state statute	
Deregulatory	Last updated in 2018. Text will be c	consolidated where possible.
Component		
Expected Date	October 2023	

Guidance Document Forum ID (if available)			
Title of Guidance	Title of Guidance Document		
Radon Mitigation I	Discharge Vent Pipes. (ORH-751)		
Brief Overview			
Amend. ORH-751	will be updated to remove references	to outdated guidance; ensure	
document is void of	f typos and grammatical errors; conso	blidate and streamline content;	
incorporate new ter	nplate design		
Regulatory	□ NOIRA	\Box Emergency or	
Stage		Emergency/NOIRA	
(check one box)	□ Proposed	Revised Proposed	
	🗇 Final	□ Fast-Track	
Additional	Expedited Review Requested	Guidance Document	
Description	□ Exempt Action		
Legal Authority	□ Action required by federal	□ Discretionary Action	
	statute		
	\Box Action required by state statute		
Deregulatory	Last updated in 2018. Text will be c	consolidated where possible.	
Component		-	
Expected Date	October 2023		

Guidance Document Forum ID (if available)		
Title of Guidance	Document	
	don Testing. (ORH-752)	
Brief Overview		
Amend. ORH-752	will be updated to remove references	to outdated guidance; ensure
document is void of	f typos and grammatical errors; conso	blidate and streamline content;
incorporate new ter	nplate design	
Regulatory	🗆 NOIRA	□ Emergency or
Stage		Emergency/NOIRA
(check one box)	□ Proposed	Revised Proposed
	🗖 Final	□ Fast-Track
Additional	□ Expedited Review Requested	Guidance Document
Description	Exempt Action	
Legal Authority	□ Action required by federal	□ Discretionary Action
	statute	
	\Box Action required by state statute	
Deregulatory	Last updated in 2019. Text will be c	consolidated where possible.
Component		-
Expected Date	October 2023	

Guidance Document Forum ID (if available)		
Title of Guidance	Document	
CNA Training Wai	ver. (QHC-012)	
Brief Overview		
Amend. Not curren	t with CMS's State Operations Manua	l; has out of date contact information
Regulatory	□ NOIRA	□ Emergency or
Stage		Emergency/NOIRA
(check one box)	□ Proposed	Revised Proposed
	🗖 Final	□ Fast-Track
Additional	□ Expedited Review Requested	☑ Guidance Document
Description	Exempt Action	
Legal Authority	□ Action required by federal	Discretionary Action
	statute	
	\Box Action required by state statute	
Deregulatory	To be determined	
Component		
Expected Date	October 2023	

Guidance Document Forum ID (if available)		
Title of Guidance	Document	
Notification of omb	oudsmen. (QHC-016)	
Brief Overview		
Amend. Language	is inconsistent with permissible conte	nt for guidance document
Regulatory	🗆 NOIRA	\Box Emergency or
Stage		Emergency/NOIRA
(check one box)	□ Proposed	Revised Proposed
	🗆 Final	□ Fast-Track
Additional	□ Expedited Review Requested	Guidance Document
Description	Exempt Action	
Legal Authority	□ Action required by federal	□ Discretionary Action
	statute	
	\Box Action required by state statute	
Deregulatory	To be determined	
Component		
Expected Date	October 2023	

Guidance Document Forum ID (if available)		
Title of Guidance	Document	
Source Water Manu	ual. (WTR-2019-01)	
Brief Overview		
Amend. To provide	e updates to Chapter 4, Harmful Alga	l Bloom Monitoring and Response,
-	operating procedures, roles and respo	
sampling procedure	es, analytical methods and related rec	ommendations, health advi
Regulatory	🗆 NOIRA	\Box Emergency or
Stage		Emergency/NOIRA
(check one box)	□ Proposed	Revised Proposed
	🗆 Final	□ Fast-Track
Additional	□ Expedited Review Requested	Guidance Document
Description	□ Exempt Action	
Legal Authority	□ Action required by federal	□ Discretionary Action
	statute	
	\Box Action required by state statute	
Deregulatory		
Component		
Expected Date	October 2023	

Guidance Document Forum ID (if available)			
Title of Guidance	Title of Guidance Document		
Hearing Targeted C	Congenital Cytomegalovirus (cCMV)	Screening Protocols 2020. (TBD)	
Brief Overview			
NEW. Issue guidan	ce on the protocols for screening of c	CMV.	
Regulatory	🗆 NOIRA	□ Emergency or	
Stage		Emergency/NOIRA	
(check one box)	□ Proposed	□ Revised Proposed	
	🗆 Final	□ Fast-Track	
Additional	□ Expedited Review Requested	Guidance Document	
Description	□ Exempt Action		
Legal Authority	□ Action required by federal	□ Discretionary Action	
	statute		
	\Box Action required by state statute		
Deregulatory	Consideration will be given to issue	concise guidance.	
Component			
Expected Date	October 2023		

Guidance Document Forum ID (if available)			
Title of Guidance	Title of Guidance Document		
Tamper Resistance	and other Good Practices for Radon	Testing. (ORH-754)	
Brief Overview			
Amend. ORH-754	will be updated to remove references	to outdated guidance; ensure	
document is void of	f typos and grammatical errors; conso	blidate and streamline content;	
incorporate new ter	nplate design		
Regulatory	🗆 NOIRA	\Box Emergency or	
Stage		Emergency/NOIRA	
(check one box)	□ Proposed	Revised Proposed	
	🗆 Final	□ Fast-Track	
Additional	□ Expedited Review Requested	Guidance Document	
Description	Exempt Action		
Legal Authority	□ Action required by federal	□ Discretionary Action	
	statute		
	\Box Action required by state statute		
Deregulatory	Last updated in 2018. Text will be o	consolidated where possible.	
Component		-	
Expected Date	October 2023		

Guidance Document Forum ID (if available)		
Title of Guidance	Document	
Radon Test Reports	s and Documentation. (ORH-755)	
Brief Overview		
Amend. ORH-755	will be updated to remove references	to outdated guidance; ensure
document is void of	f typos and grammatical errors; conso	blidate and streamline content;
incorporate new ter	nplate design	
Regulatory	□ NOIRA	\Box Emergency or
Stage		Emergency/NOIRA
(check one box)	□ Proposed	Revised Proposed
	🗖 Final	□ Fast-Track
Additional	□ Expedited Review Requested	Guidance Document
Description	□ Exempt Action	
Legal Authority	□ Action required by federal	□ Discretionary Action
	statute	
	\Box Action required by state statute	
Deregulatory	Last updated in 2018. Text will be c	consolidated where possible.
Component		
Expected Date	November 2023	

Guidance Document Forum ID (if available)		
Title of Guidance	Document	
Virginia Tuberculo	sis Control Laws Guidebook. (EPI-4	04)
Brief Overview		
Amend. Need to re	view and have OAG re-apoprove. Th	e updated version will be the amended
version.		
Regulatory	🗆 NOIRA	□ Emergency or
Stage		Emergency/NOIRA
(check one box)	□ Proposed	Revised Proposed
	🗆 Final	□ Fast-Track
Additional	□ Expedited Review Requested	☑ Guidance Document
Description	Exempt Action	
Legal Authority	□ Action required by federal	Discretionary Action
	statute	
	□ Action required by state statute	
Deregulatory	none.	
Component		
Expected Date	November 2023	

Guidance Document Forum ID (if available)			
Title of Guidance	Title of Guidance Document		
Accreditation Option	on for Medicare Payments for Home	Care Organizations. (QHC-046)	
Brief Overview			
Amend. Not curren	t with CMS's practice and policies		
Regulatory	🗆 NOIRA	\Box Emergency or	
Stage		Emergency/NOIRA	
(check one box)	□ Proposed	Revised Proposed	
	🗆 Final	□ Fast-Track	
Additional	□ Expedited Review Requested	Guidance Document	
Description	Exempt Action		
Legal Authority	□ Action required by federal	□ Discretionary Action	
	statute		
	\Box Action required by state statute		
Deregulatory	To be determined		
Component			
Expected Date	November 2023		

Guidance Document Forum ID (if available)		
Title of Guidance	Document	
Peer Utilization Re	views on Reconsideration of Adverse	Action. (QHC-053)
Brief Overview		
Amend. Guidance	document contains superfluous histori	cal information
Regulatory	🗆 NOIRA	□ Emergency or
Stage		Emergency/NOIRA
(check one box)	□ Proposed	Revised Proposed
	🗆 Final	□ Fast-Track
Additional	□ Expedited Review Requested	☑ Guidance Document
Description	Exempt Action	
Legal Authority	□ Action required by federal	Discretionary Action
	statute	
	\Box Action required by state statute	
Deregulatory	To be determined	
Component		
Expected Date	November 2023	

Guidance Document Forum ID (if available)		
Title of Guidance	Document	
WTR-287 (SF) Ins	pections at Campgrounds and Trailer	Parks *. (WTR-287 (SF))
Brief Overview		
Repeal. repeal- out	dated and internal training and job ai	ds accomplish this directive to staff as
to work duties		
Regulatory	□ NOIRA	\Box Emergency or
Stage		Emergency/NOIRA
(check one box)	□ Proposed	Revised Proposed
	🗆 Final	□ Fast-Track
Additional	□ Expedited Review Requested	Guidance Document
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Legal Authority	□ Action required by federal	Discretionary Action
	statute	
	\Box Action required by state statute	
Deregulatory	Reduction of overall agency guidance document page length	
Component		
Expected Date	November 2023	

Guidance Document Forum ID (if available)		
Title of Guidance	Document	
Policy on Administ	tration of the Equitable Access to Driv	nking Water Fund *. (ODW-2023-01)
Brief Overview		
Amend. Incorporate	e lessons learned from the first few m	onths of administering this new
program at the end	of FY2023, including taking account	of challenges faced, feedback from
stakeholders, and st	treamlining and clarifying the applica	tion process.
Regulatory	🗆 NOIRA	□ Emergency or
Stage		Emergency/NOIRA
(check one box)	□ Proposed	Revised Proposed
	🗆 Final	□ Fast-Track
Additional	□ Expedited Review Requested	Guidance Document
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Legal Authority	□ Action required by federal	□ Discretionary Action
	statute	
	\Box Action required by state statute	
Deregulatory		
Component		
Expected Date	November 2023	

Guidance Document Forum ID (if available)		
Title of Guidance	Document	
Disaster Exemption	n for Temporary Bed Increases. (OL	C-1005-G)
Brief Overview		
	ated after regulatory changes for 12V	
12VAC5-410 re: di	isaster exemption is effective (proba	bly 2023)
Regulatory	□ NOIRA	\Box Emergency or
Stage		Emergency/NOIRA
(check one box)	□ Proposed	Revised Proposed
	🗆 Final	□ Fast-Track
Additional	□ Expedited Review Requested	Guidance Document
Description	Exempt Action	
Legal Authority	\Box Action required by federal	□ Discretionary Action
	statute	
	□ Action required by state statute	
Deregulatory	To be determined	
Component		
Expected Date	November 2023	

Guidance Document Forum ID (if available)		
Title of Guidance Document		
Sex offender advise		
Brief Overview		
Amend. Guidance	document contains superfluous histori	cal information
Regulatory	□ NOIRA	□ Emergency or
Stage		Emergency/NOIRA
(check one box)	Proposed	Revised Proposed
	🗆 Final	□ Fast-Track
Additional	□ Expedited Review Requested	Guidance Document
Description	Exempt Action	
Legal Authority	□ Action required by federal	Discretionary Action
	statute	
	\Box Action required by state statute	
Deregulatory	Text is being consolidated and stream	nlined to make reading easier; may
Component	result in page reduction	
Expected Date	November 2023	

Guidance Document Forum ID (if available)			
Title of Guidance	Title of Guidance Document		
	estrictions in Virginia from May $1-S$	September 30 *. (WTR-340 (SF))	
Brief Overview	<u></u>		
Repeal. Vibrio Mai	nagement Plan is updated annually in	conjunction with VMRC, VMRC has	
regulations dictatin	g harvest restrictions for this time pe	riod. WTR-346 (SF) is most relevant.	
This document is d	uplicative and outdated		
Regulatory	🗆 NOIRA	□ Emergency or	
Stage		Emergency/NOIRA	
(check one box)	□ Proposed	Revised Proposed	
	🗆 Final	□ Fast-Track	
Additional	□ Expedited Review Requested	Guidance Document	
Description	Exempt Action		
Legal Authority	□ Action required by federal	Discretionary Action	
	statute		
	□ Action required by state statute		
Deregulatory	replacement is active, eliminate du	plication	
Component			
Expected Date	November 2023		

Guidance Document Forum ID (if available)		
Title of Guidance	Document	
TB Drug Assistanc	e Program Procedures. (EPI-406)	
Brief Overview		
Repeal. This docun medications.	nent is no longer needed as the VDH	TB Program has been purchasing TB
Regulatory	□ NOIRA	□ Emergency or
Stage		Emergency/NOIRA
(check one box)	□ Proposed	□ Revised Proposed
	🗆 Final	□ Fast-Track
Additional	Expedited Review Requested	Guidance Document
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Legal Authority	□ Action required by federal	□ Discretionary Action
	statute	
	\Box Action required by state statute	
Deregulatory	Reduction of overall agency guidan	ce document page length
Component		-
Expected Date	December 2023	

Guidance Document Forum ID (if available)		
Title of Guidance	Document	
Private Well Regul	ations Implementation Manual *. (E	NV-1990-01)
Brief Overview		
Amend. Will need	to be amended following Executive 1	Branch review of the Final revisions to
the Private Well Re	egulations.	
Regulatory	🗆 NOIRA	\Box Emergency or
Stage		Emergency/NOIRA
(check one box)	□ Proposed	Revised Proposed
	🗆 Final	□ Fast-Track
Additional	□ Expedited Review Requested	Guidance Document
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Legal Authority	\Box Action required by federal	□ Discretionary Action
	statute	
	□ Action required by state statute	
Deregulatory	To be determined	
Component		
Expected Date	December 2023	

Guidance Document Forum ID (if available)		
Title of Guidance	Document	
ENV-132 BORA-C	CARE and Standoff to Wells *. (ENV	7-2006-01)
Brief Overview		
Repeal. Can be rep	ealed following Executive Branch ap	proval of final revisions to the Private
Well Regulations.		
Regulatory	🗆 NOIRA	\Box Emergency or
Stage		Emergency/NOIRA
(check one box)	□ Proposed	Revised Proposed
	🗆 Final	□ Fast-Track
Additional	□ Expedited Review Requested	Guidance Document
Description	Exempt Action	
Legal Authority	□ Action required by federal	Discretionary Action
	statute	
	□ Action required by state statute	
Deregulatory	To be determined	
Component		
Expected Date	December 2023	

Guidance Document Forum ID (if available)		
Title of Guidance	Document	
Implementation of	House Bill 2102. (ENV-2008-01)	
Brief Overview		
Repeal. Can be rep	ealed following Executive Branch ap	proval of final revisions to the Private
Well Regulations.		
Regulatory	□ NOIRA	\Box Emergency or
Stage		Emergency/NOIRA
(check one box)	□ Proposed	Revised Proposed
	🗆 Final	□ Fast-Track
Additional	□ Expedited Review Requested	Guidance Document
Description	Exempt Action	
Legal Authority	□ Action required by federal	Discretionary Action
	statute	
	\Box Action required by state statute	
Deregulatory	To be determined	
Component		
Expected Date	December 2023	

Guidance Document Forum ID (if available)		
Title of Guidance	Document	
ENV-150 Borate-b	ased Termiticides *. (ENV-2009-03)	
Brief Overview		
Repeal. Can be repe	ealed following Executive Branch ap	proval of final revisions to the Private
Well Regulations.		
Regulatory	□ NOIRA	\Box Emergency or
Stage		Emergency/NOIRA
(check one box)	□ Proposed	Revised Proposed
	🗆 Final	□ Fast-Track
Additional	□ Expedited Review Requested	Guidance Document
Description	Exempt Action	
Legal Authority	□ Action required by federal	□ Discretionary Action
	statute	
	\Box Action required by state statute	
Deregulatory	To be determined	
Component		
Expected Date	December 2023	

Guidance Document Forum ID (if available)		
Title of Guidance	Document	
VERIP Guide - Gu	ide for Registry Providers to sign agr	eements for access to registry (EPI-
203)		
Brief Overview		
Amend. Document	is being updated to provide updated	guidance for system enhancements
Regulatory	🗆 NOIRA	\Box Emergency or
Stage		Emergency/NOIRA
(check one box)	□ Proposed	Revised Proposed
	🗆 Final	□ Fast-Track
Additional	□ Expedited Review Requested	Guidance Document
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Legal Authority	□ Action required by federal	□ Discretionary Action
	statute	
	\Box Action required by state statute	
Deregulatory	To be determined	
Component		
Expected Date	December 2023	

Guidance Document Forum ID (if available)			
Title of Guidance	Document		
Project Review & I	Permit Procedures Manual. (ODW-202	23-02)	
Brief Overview			
Amend. To update	and incorporate working memos related	ed to plan review	
Regulatory	🗆 NOIRA	□ Emergency or	
Stage		Emergency/NOIRA	
(check one box)	□ Proposed	Revised Proposed	
	🗆 Final	□ Fast-Track	
Additional	□ Expedited Review Requested	☑ Guidance Document	
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Legal Authority	\Box Action required by federal	Discretionary Action	
	statute		
	□ Action required by state statute		
Deregulatory	To be determined		
Component			
Expected Date	December 2023		

Guidance Document Forum ID (if available)			
Title of Guidance	Document		
Designated Suppor	t Person Implementation. (OLC-3002	2-G)	
Brief Overview			
1	ated after regulatory changes for 12V	AC5-410 re: designated support	
persons is effective	e (probably 2023)		
Regulatory	□ NOIRA	□ Emergency or	
Stage		Emergency/NOIRA	
(check one box)	□ Proposed	Revised Proposed	
	🗆 Final	□ Fast-Track	
Additional	□ Expedited Review Requested	Guidance Document	
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	statute		
	□ Action required by state statute		
Deregulatory	To be determined		
Component			
Expected Date	December 2023		

Guidance Document Forum ID (if available)			
Title of Guidance	Document		
WTR-275 (SF) We	t Storage Permits *. (WTR-275 (SF)))	
Brief Overview			
Amend. Due to cha	inging federal guidance in the NSSP,	document needs to be updated to	
reflect those change	es		
Regulatory	□ NOIRA	\Box Emergency or	
Stage		Emergency/NOIRA	
(check one box)	□ Proposed	Revised Proposed	
	🗆 Final	□ Fast-Track	
Additional	□ Expedited Review Requested	Guidance Document	
Description	Exempt Action		
Legal Authority	□ Action required by federal	Discretionary Action	
	statute		
	\Box Action required by state statute		
Deregulatory	To be determined		
Component			
Expected Date	January 2024		

Guidance Document Forum ID (if available)			
Title of Guidance	Document		
Relay Period May t	through September *. (WTR-341 (SF)))	
Brief Overview			
Amend. Document	needs to include the month of October	r	
Regulatory	🗆 NOIRA		Emergency or
Stage			Emergency/NOIRA
(check one box)	□ Proposed		Revised Proposed
	🗖 Final		Fast-Track
Additional	□ Expedited Review Requested	\boxtimes	Guidance Document
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Legal Authority	☐ Action required by federal		Discretionary Action
	statute		
	\Box Action required by state statute		
Deregulatory	To be determined		
Component			
Expected Date	January 2024		

Guidance Document Forum ID (if available)			
Title of Guidance	Document		
	ility Response Guideline. (QHC-043))	
Brief Overview			
Amend. May poten	tially be consolidated with another g	uidance document **Further	
discussion needed of	on whether this meets the definition of	of a guidance document; may need to	
repeal instead**			
Regulatory	🗆 NOIRA	\Box Emergency or	
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(check one box)	□ Proposed	Revised Proposed	
	🗆 Final	□ Fast-Track	
Additional	Expedited Review Requested	Guidance Document	
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Legal Authority	□ Action required by federal	Discretionary Action	
	statute		
	\Box Action required by state statute		
Deregulatory	To be determined		
Component			
Expected Date	January 2024		

Guidance Document Forum ID (if available)			
Title of Guidance	Document		
Drug Assistance Pr	ogram for Patients Needing Second	Line TB Drugs. (EPI-407)	
Brief Overview			
Repeal. This docum	nent is no longer needed as the VDH	TB Program has been purchasing TB	
medications.			
Regulatory	□ NOIRA	\Box Emergency or	
Stage		Emergency/NOIRA	
(check one box)	□ Proposed	Revised Proposed	
	🗆 Final	□ Fast-Track	
Additional	□ Expedited Review Requested	Guidance Document	
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Legal Authority	□ Action required by federal	Discretionary Action	
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Deregulatory	Reduction of overall agency guidance document page length		
Component			
Expected Date	January 2024		

Guidance Document Forum ID (if available)			
Title of Guidance	Document		
Policy on Bone De	nsitometry Equipment and Operator	Licensure. (ORH-705)	
Brief Overview			
1	quirements not found in the regulation he regs and repeal this document.	ons. Plan to incorporate these	
Regulatory	🗆 NOIRA	□ Emergency or	
Stage		Emergency/NOIRA	
(check one box)	□ Proposed	Revised Proposed	
	🗆 Final	□ Fast-Track	
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	□ Action required by state statute		
Deregulatory	Reduction of overall agency guidance document page length		
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Expected Date	January 2024		

Guidance Document Forum ID (if available)			
Title of Guidance	Document		
Guidance on Healin	ng Arts Screening Programs. (ORH-7	706)	
Brief Overview			
Repeal. ORH will p	oursue changes to its regs to deny use	of bone densitometers (dual energy x-	
ray absorpitometry,	, DEXA) for anything but determinin	g bone density unless otherwise	
prescribed by a me	dical doctor.		
Regulatory	🗆 NOIRA	\Box Emergency or	
Stage		Emergency/NOIRA	
(check one box)	□ Proposed	Revised Proposed	
	🗇 Final	□ Fast-Track	
Additional	□ Expedited Review Requested	Guidance Document	
Description	□ Exempt Action		
Legal Authority	□ Action required by federal	□ Discretionary Action	
	statute		
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Deregulatory	Reduction of overall agency guidan	ce document page length	
Component			
Expected Date	January 2024		

Guidance Document Forum ID (if available)			
Title of Guidance	Document		
Guidelines for the l	Expenditure of the 26% Return to Loo	cality Share of Four-for-Life Funds.	
(EMS-1014)			
Brief Overview			
Repeal. This guidan	nce is no longer needed.		
Regulatory	🗆 NOIRA	\Box Emergency or	
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(check one box)	□ Proposed	Revised Proposed	
	🗆 Final	□ Fast-Track	
Additional	□ Expedited Review Requested	Guidance Document	
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	□ Action required by state statute		
Deregulatory	Reduction of overall agency guidance document page length		
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Guidance Document Forum ID (if available)			
Title of Guidance	Document		
Virginia Office of I	EMS Accreditation of PSAP, Guidelin	nes. (EMS-1050)	
Brief Overview			
Repeal. This guidan	nce is no longer needed.		
Regulatory	🗆 NOIRA	\Box Emergency or	
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	🗆 Final	□ Fast-Track	
Additional	□ Expedited Review Requested	Guidance Document	
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Legal Authority	□ Action required by federal	□ Discretionary Action	
	statute		
	□ Action required by state statute		
Deregulatory	Reduction of overall agency guidance document page length		
Component			
Expected Date	January 2024		

Guidance Document Forum ID (if available)			
Title of Guidance	Document		
Regional Council I	Designation Manual. (EMS-2001)		
Brief Overview			
Repeal. This guidan	nce is no longer needed.		
Regulatory	🗆 NOIRA		Emergency or
Stage			Emergency/NOIRA
(check one box)	□ Proposed		Revised Proposed
	🗇 Final		Fast-Track
Additional	Expedited Review Requested	\mathbf{X}	Guidance Document
Description	Exempt Action		
Legal Authority	□ Action required by federal		Discretionary Action
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	\Box Action required by state statute		
Deregulatory	Reduction of overall agency guidance document page length		
Component			
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Guidance Document Forum ID (if available)			
Title of Guidance	Document		
Eligibility Guidanc	e Document. (CHS-002)		
Brief Overview			
Amend. Will amen	d in conjunction with regulatory action	1	
Regulatory	🗆 NOIRA	\Box Emergency or	
Stage		Emergency/NOIRA	
(check one box)	□ Proposed	Revised Proposed	
	🗆 Final	□ Fast-Track	
Additional	Expedited Review Requested	☑ Guidance Document	
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Legal Authority	☐ Action required by federal	□ Discretionary Action	
	statute		
	\Box Action required by state statute		
Deregulatory	To be determined		
Component			
Expected Date	February 2024		

Guidance Document Forum ID (if available)		
Title of Guidance	Document	
Impact of Criminal	Convictions on Nursing Licensure of	r Certification and Employment in
Virginia. (QHC-06	-	
Brief Overview		
Amend. Additional	l crimes have been added, so list is ou	it of date; this was a joint effort
between VDH and	DHP, so need to coordinate any ame	ndments with them
Regulatory	🗆 NOIRA	□ Emergency or
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	🗆 Final	□ Fast-Track
Additional	□ Expedited Review Requested	☑ Guidance Document
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Legal Authority	□ Action required by federal	Discretionary Action
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	\Box Action required by state statute	
Deregulatory	To be determined	
Component		
Expected Date	February 2024	

Guidance Document Forum ID (if available)			
Title of Guidance	Document		
Clinical Training R	Record. (EMS-3043)		
Brief Overview			
Repeal. This guidan	nce is no longer needed.		
Regulatory	🗆 NOIRA	□ Emergency or	
Stage		Emergency/NOIRA	
(check one box)	□ Proposed	Revised Proposed	
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Deregulatory	Reduction of overall agency guidance document page length		
Component			
Expected Date	February 2024		

Guidance Document Forum ID (if available)		
Title of Guidance	Document	
BLS Student Last G	Class Paperwork. (EMS-3047B)	
Brief Overview		
Repeal. This guida	nce is no longer needed.	
Regulatory	🗆 NOIRA	□ Emergency or
Stage		Emergency/NOIRA
(check one box)	□ Proposed	□ Revised Proposed
	🗇 Final	□ Fast-Track
Additional	Expedited Review Requested	☑ Guidance Document
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	\Box Action required by state statute	
Deregulatory	Reduction of overall agency guidance document page length	
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Expected Date	February 2024	

Guidance Docume	Guidance Document Forum ID (if available)		
Title of Guidance	Document		
Consumer guide to	restraint usage in nursing facilities. (QHC-021)	
Brief Overview			
Amend. Guidance	document extensively quotes statutes	and regulations; this material should	
be replaced with cr	oss-references/citations to improve re	eadability and reduce likelihood of out-	
of-date material			
Regulatory	🗆 NOIRA	\Box Emergency or	
Stage		Emergency/NOIRA	
(check one box)	□ Proposed	Revised Proposed	
	🗆 Final	□ Fast-Track	
Additional	□ Expedited Review Requested	Guidance Document	
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Legal Authority	□ Action required by federal	□ Discretionary Action	
	statute		
	☐ Action required by state statute		
Deregulatory	Text is being consolidated and strea	mlined to make reading easier; may	
Component	result in page reduction	-	
Expected Date	February 2024		

Guidance Document Forum ID (if available)			
Title of Guidance	Title of Guidance Document		
Initital ALS Studen	nt Paperwork. (EMS-3048A)		
Brief Overview			
Repeal. This guida	nce is no longer needed.		
Regulatory	🗆 NOIRA		Emergency or
Stage			Emergency/NOIRA
(check one box)	□ Proposed		Revised Proposed
	🗇 Final		Fast-Track
Additional	Expedited Review Requested	\mathbf{X}	Guidance Document
Description	Exempt Action		
Legal Authority	□ Action required by federal		Discretionary Action
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	□ Action required by state statute		
Deregulatory	Reduction of overall agency guidanc	e doo	cument page length
Component			
Expected Date	February 2024		

Guidance Document Forum ID (if available)			
Title of Guidance	Document		
Oxygen Cylinder G	Buidance. (EMS-6020)		
Brief Overview			
Repeal. This guidan	nce is no longer needed.		
Regulatory	🗆 NOIRA		Emergency or
Stage			Emergency/NOIRA
(check one box)	□ Proposed		Revised Proposed
	🗖 Final		Fast-Track
Additional	□ Expedited Review Requested	\times	Guidance Document
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Legal Authority	□ Action required by federal		Discretionary Action
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Deregulatory	Reduction of overall agency guidance document page length		
Component			
Expected Date	February 2024		

Guidance Document Forum ID (if available)		
Title of Guidance	Document	
Electronic monitori	ing of resident rooms. (QHC-022)	
Brief Overview		
Amend. Statutory la adopted regulations	anguage quoted is out-of-date; docur s in 12VAC5-371	nent may be inconsistent with later
Regulatory	🗆 NOIRA	□ Emergency or
Stage		Emergency/NOIRA
(check one box)	□ Proposed	Revised Proposed
	🗆 Final	□ Fast-Track
Additional	□ Expedited Review Requested	☑ Guidance Document
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Legal Authority	□ Action required by federal	Discretionary Action
	statute	
	\Box Action required by state statute	
Deregulatory	To be determined	
Component		
Expected Date	February 2024	

Guidance Document Forum ID (if available)		
Title of Guidance		
Compliance Sampl	ing and Reporting Guidance Manual	. (WTR-898)
Brief Overview		
Repeal. The inform	nation in this document has been con-	solidated into a new Sampling Manual,
and can be deleted/	repealed once the new Manual goes	into effect.
Regulatory	🗆 NOIRA	\Box Emergency or
Stage		Emergency/NOIRA
(check one box)	□ Proposed	□ Revised Proposed
	🗆 Final	□ Fast-Track
Additional	□ Expedited Review Requested	Guidance Document
Description	Exempt Action	
Legal Authority	□ Action required by federal	Discretionary Action
	statute	
	□ Action required by state statute	
Deregulatory	Consolidation of multiple guidance	documents into one. Outdated or
Component	unnecessary provisions will also be	e removed.
Expected Date	March 2024	

Guidance Document Forum ID (if available)			
Title of Guidance	Document		
Surveillance & Reg	gulations – Ground Water Rule Imple	ementation Procedures. (WTR-910)	
Brief Overview			
Repeal. The inform	nation in this document has been cons	solidated into a new Sampling Manual,	
and can be deleted/	repealed once the new Manual goes	into effect.	
Regulatory	□ NOIRA	\Box Emergency or	
Stage		Emergency/NOIRA	
(check one box)	□ Proposed	Revised Proposed	
	🗆 Final	□ Fast-Track	
Additional	□ Expedited Review Requested	Guidance Document	
Description	Exempt Action		
Legal Authority	□ Action required by federal	□ Discretionary Action	
	statute		
	□ Action required by state statute		
Deregulatory	Consolidation of multiple guidance	documents into one. Outdated or	
Component	unnecessary provisions will also be	e removed.	
Expected Date	March 2024		

Guidance Document Forum ID (if available)			
Title of Guidance	Document		
Revised Total Colin	form Rule (RTCR) Implementation l	Procedures. (WTR-917)	
Brief Overview			
Repeal. The inform	nation in this document has been con	solidated into a new Sampling Manual,	
and can be deleted/	repealed once the new Manual goes	into effect.	
Regulatory	□ NOIRA	□ Emergency or	
Stage		Emergency/NOIRA	
(check one box)	□ Proposed	Revised Proposed	
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Description	Exempt Action		
Legal Authority	\Box Action required by federal	□ Discretionary Action	
	statute		
	□ Action required by state statute		
Deregulatory	Consolidation of multiple guidance	documents into one. Outdated or	
Component	unnecessary provisions will also be	e removed.	
Expected Date	March 2024		

Guidance Document Forum ID (if available)			
Title of Guidance	Document		
Receiving out of sy	vstem medications. (QHC-023)		
Brief Overview			
	v language quoted is out-of-date; part	s of document outside of scope for a	
guidance document	t		
Regulatory	🗆 NOIRA	\Box Emergency or	
Stage		Emergency/NOIRA	
(check one box)	□ Proposed	□ Revised Proposed	
	🗆 Final	□ Fast-Track	
Additional	□ Expedited Review Requested	Guidance Document	
Description	□ Exempt Action		
Legal Authority	□ Action required by federal	Discretionary Action	
	statute		
	\Box Action required by state statute		
Deregulatory	To be determined		
Component			
Expected Date	March 2024		

Guidance Document Forum ID (if available)		
Title of Guidance	Document	
Preliminary Approv	val of Discharge Systems *. (ENV-19	93-01)
Brief Overview		
Amend. Regulation	ns were recently revised.	
Regulatory	🗆 NOIRA	□ Emergency or
Stage		Emergency/NOIRA
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	🗆 Final	□ Fast-Track
Additional	□ Expedited Review Requested	☑ Guidance Document
Description	□ Exempt Action	
Legal Authority	□ Action required by federal	□ Discretionary Action
	statute	
	\Box Action required by state statute	
Deregulatory	To be determined	
Component		
Expected Date	March 2024	

Guidance Document Forum ID (if available)			
Title of Guidance	Document		
Enforcement consid	deration for Discharging Regulations *	*. (EN	NV-1993-02)
Brief Overview			
Amend. Regulation	ns were recently revised.		
Regulatory	🗆 NOIRA		Emergency or
Stage			Emergency/NOIRA
(check one box)	□ Proposed		Revised Proposed
	🗆 Final		Fast-Track
Additional	□ Expedited Review Requested	\boxtimes	Guidance Document
Description	Exempt Action		
Legal Authority	□ Action required by federal		Discretionary Action
	statute		
	\Box Action required by state statute		
Deregulatory	To be determined		
Component			
Expected Date	March 2024		

Guidance Document Forum ID (if available)		
Title of Guidance	Document	
Enforcement of 10/	10 Effluent Standards *. (ENV-1993-	-03)
Brief Overview		
Amend. Regulation	as were recently revised.	
Regulatory	🗆 NOIRA	\Box Emergency or
Stage		Emergency/NOIRA
(check one box)	□ Proposed	□ Revised Proposed
	🗇 Final	□ Fast-Track
Additional	□ Expedited Review Requested	Guidance Document
Description	Exempt Action	
Legal Authority	□ Action required by federal	□ Discretionary Action
	statute	
	\Box Action required by state statute	
Deregulatory	To be determined	
Component		
Expected Date	March 2024	

Guidance Document Forum ID (if available)		
Title of Guidance	Document	
Sampling Port Req	uirements *. (ENV-1993-04)	
Brief Overview		
Amend. Regulation	ns were recently revised.	
Regulatory	🗆 NOIRA	□ Emergency or
Stage		Emergency/NOIRA
(check one box)	□ Proposed	Revised Proposed
	🗇 Final	□ Fast-Track
Additional	□ Expedited Review Requested	Guidance Document
Description	Exempt Action	
Legal Authority	☐ Action required by federal	□ Discretionary Action
	statute	
	\Box Action required by state statute	
Deregulatory	To be determined	
Component		
Expected Date	March 2024	

Guidance Document Forum ID (if available)		
Title of Guidance	Document	
Construction Stand	ards for Existing Discharging Sewage	e Treatment Systems *. (ENV-1993-
05)		-
Brief Overview		
Amend. Regulation	is were recently revised.	
Regulatory	🗆 NOIRA	□ Emergency or
Stage		Emergency/NOIRA
(check one box)	□ Proposed	Revised Proposed
	🗆 Final	□ Fast-Track
Additional	□ Expedited Review Requested	☑ Guidance Document
Description	Exempt Action	
Legal Authority	□ Action required by federal	□ Discretionary Action
	statute	
	\Box Action required by state statute	
Deregulatory	To be determined	
Component		
Expected Date	April 2024	

Guidance Document Forum ID (if available)		
Title of Guidance	Document	
Revalidation of Per	mits-Expired or Unexpired *. (ENV-1	1993-07)
Brief Overview		
Repeal. Requireme	nts were incorporated into GMP 2017	/-01.
Regulatory	🗆 NOIRA	□ Emergency or
Stage		Emergency/NOIRA
(check one box)	□ Proposed	Revised Proposed
	🗖 Final	□ Fast-Track
Additional	□ Expedited Review Requested	☑ Guidance Document
Description	Exempt Action	
Legal Authority	□ Action required by federal	□ Discretionary Action
	statute	
	\Box Action required by state statute	
Deregulatory	Reduction of overall agency guidance	ce document page length
Component		
Expected Date	April 2024	

Guidance Document Forum ID (if available)		
Title of Guidance	Document	
Guidelines for Desi	ignating Prohibited Discharge Areas *	. (ENV-1993-09)
Brief Overview		
Amend. Regulation	ns were recently revised.	
Regulatory	🗆 NOIRA	□ Emergency or
Stage		Emergency/NOIRA
(check one box)	□ Proposed	Revised Proposed
	🗆 Final	□ Fast-Track
Additional	□ Expedited Review Requested	☑ Guidance Document
Description	Exempt Action	
Legal Authority	\Box Action required by federal	Discretionary Action
	statute	
	\Box Action required by state statute	
Deregulatory	To be determined	
Component		
Expected Date	April 2024	

Guidance Docume	Guidance Document Forum ID (if available)		
Title of Guidance	Document		
	ge Treatment systems not Registered	Under the VPDES General Permit	
000	a Current Individual VPDES Permit		
Brief Overview			
Amend. Regulation	ns were recently revised.		
Regulatory	🗆 NOIRA	\Box Emergency or	
Stage		Emergency/NOIRA	
(check one box)	□ Proposed	Revised Proposed	
	🗆 Final	□ Fast-Track	
Additional	□ Expedited Review Requested	Guidance Document	
Description	□ Exempt Action		
Legal Authority	□ Action required by federal	□ Discretionary Action	
	statute		
	□ Action required by state statute		
Deregulatory	To be determined		
Component			
Expected Date	April 2024		

Guidance Docume	Guidance Document Forum ID (if available)		
Title of Guidance	Document		
Sand Filter System	s Permitted under Individual VPDES	of NPDES Permits which do not	
discharge *. (ENV-			
Brief Overview			
Amend. Regulation	as were recently revised.		
Regulatory	🗆 NOIRA	□ Emergency or	
Stage		Emergency/NOIRA	
(check one box)	□ Proposed	Revised Proposed	
	🗆 Final	□ Fast-Track	
Additional	□ Expedited Review Requested	Guidance Document	
Description	Exempt Action		
Legal Authority	□ Action required by federal	Discretionary Action	
	statute		
	\Box Action required by state statute		
Deregulatory	To be determined		
Component			
Expected Date	April 2024		

Guidance Document Forum ID (if available)		
Title of Guidance	Document	
Sand Filter System	s Which do not Discharge Which we	re permitted under LHS-120 Permits
or Constructed Bef	ore Permits Were Required *. (ENV	-1994-03)
Brief Overview		
Amend. Regulation	as were recently revised.	
Regulatory	🗆 NOIRA	□ Emergency or
Stage		Emergency/NOIRA
(check one box)	□ Proposed	Revised Proposed
	🗆 Final	□ Fast-Track
Additional	□ Expedited Review Requested	Guidance Document
Description	Exempt Action	
Legal Authority	□ Action required by federal	Discretionary Action
	statute	
	\Box Action required by state statute	
Deregulatory	To be determined	
Component		
Expected Date	April 2024	

Guidance Document Forum ID (if available)		
Title of Guidance	Document	
Inspecting Pump St	tation Electrical Controls *. (ENV-199	94-04)
Brief Overview		
Amend. Amend to	take into account the transitoin of desi	ign and inspections to private sector.
Regulatory	□ NOIRA	□ Emergency or
Stage		Emergency/NOIRA
(check one box)	□ Proposed	Revised Proposed
	🗆 Final	□ Fast-Track
Additional	□ Expedited Review Requested	☑ Guidance Document
Description	Exempt Action	
Legal Authority	\Box Action required by federal	Discretionary Action
	statute	
	□ Action required by state statute	
Deregulatory	To be determined	
Component		
Expected Date	April 2024	

Guidance Document Forum ID (if available)		
Title of Guidance	Documont	
		(ENIV 1004 05)
U	wage Permit Construction Backlogs *.	(ENV-1994-03)
Brief Overview		
Repeal. Services tra	ansitioned to private sector.	
Regulatory	🗆 NOIRA	□ Emergency or
Stage		Emergency/NOIRA
(check one box)	□ Proposed	□ Revised Proposed
	🗆 Final	□ Fast-Track
Additional	□ Expedited Review Requested	☑ Guidance Document
Description	□ Exempt Action	
Legal Authority	□ Action required by federal	□ Discretionary Action
	statute	
	□ Action required by state statute	
Deregulatory	Reduction of overall agency guidance	document page length
Component		
Expected Date	April 2024	

Guidance Document Forum ID (if available)		
Title of Guidance	Document	
	generation Discharge into Drainfields *. (E	ENV-1994-06)
Brief Overview		· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·
Repeal. No longer	necessary.	
Regulatory	□ NOIRA □	Emergency or
Stage		Emergency/NOIRA
(check one box)	□ Proposed □	Revised Proposed
	🗆 Final	Fast-Track
Additional	\Box Expedited Review Requested \boxtimes	Guidance Document
Description	Exempt Action	
Legal Authority	\Box Action required by federal \Box	Discretionary Action
	statute	
	□ Action required by state statute	
Deregulatory	Reduction of overall agency guidance do	cument page length
Component		
Expected Date	May 2024	

Guidance Document Forum ID (if available)		
Title of Guidance	Document	
Questions from the	Field on Senate Bill 415 *. (ENV-19	94-07)
Brief Overview		
Repeal. Responses	are outdated.	
Regulatory	🗆 NOIRA	□ Emergency or
Stage		Emergency/NOIRA
(check one box)	□ Proposed	Revised Proposed
	🗆 Final	□ Fast-Track
Additional	□ Expedited Review Requested	☑ Guidance Document
Description	Exempt Action	
Legal Authority	□ Action required by federal	□ Discretionary Action
	statute	
	□ Action required by state statute	
Deregulatory	Reduction of overall agency guidance	ce document page length
Component		
Expected Date	May 2024	

Guidance Document Forum ID (if available)		
Title of Guidance	Document	
Preliminary Approv	val of Sewage Discharge Systems *.	(ENV-1995-01)
Brief Overview		
Amend. Regulation	ns were recently revised.	
Regulatory	🗆 NOIRA	□ Emergency or
Stage		Emergency/NOIRA
(check one box)	□ Proposed	Revised Proposed
	🗖 Final	□ Fast-Track
Additional	□ Expedited Review Requested	☑ Guidance Document
Description	Exempt Action	
Legal Authority	□ Action required by federal	Discretionary Action
	statute	
	\Box Action required by state statute	
Deregulatory	To be determined	
Component		
Expected Date	May 2024	

Guidance Document Forum ID (if available)		
Title of Guidance	Document	
Discharging regula	tions implementation manual *. (ENV	V-1995-04)
Brief Overview		
Amend. Regulation	as were recently revised.	
Regulatory	🗆 NOIRA	\Box Emergency or
Stage		Emergency/NOIRA
(check one box)	□ Proposed	Revised Proposed
	🗖 Final	□ Fast-Track
Additional	Expedited Review Requested	Guidance Document
Description	Exempt Action	
Legal Authority	□ Action required by federal	□ Discretionary Action
	statute	
	□ Action required by state statute	
Deregulatory	To be determined	
Component		
Expected Date	May 2024	

Guidance Document Forum ID (if available)		
Title of Guidance	Document	
ENV-013 Variance	e from Maintenance Contract Require	ements in Discharge Regulations *.
(ENV-1996-01)	-	
Brief Overview		
Amend. Regulation	ns were recently revised.	
Regulatory	🗆 NOIRA	\Box Emergency or
Stage		Emergency/NOIRA
(check one box)	□ Proposed	Revised Proposed
	🗆 Final	□ Fast-Track
Additional	□ Expedited Review Requested	Guidance Document
Description	Exempt Action	
Legal Authority	\Box Action required by federal	Discretionary Action
	statute	
	□ Action required by state statute	
Deregulatory	To be determined	
Component		
Expected Date	May 2024	

Guidance Document Forum ID (if available)		
Title of Guidance	Document	
Tire Chip Aggregat	te *. (ENV-2006-02)	
Brief Overview		
Amend. Need to up	pdate references.	
Regulatory	🗆 NOIRA	□ Emergency or
Stage		Emergency/NOIRA
(check one box)	Proposed	Revised Proposed
	🗇 Final	□ Fast-Track
Additional	□ Expedited Review Requested	Guidance Document
Description	Exempt Action	
Legal Authority	□ Action required by federal	□ Discretionary Action
	statute	
	\Box Action required by state statute	
Deregulatory	To be determined	
Component		
Expected Date	May 2024	

Guidance Document Forum ID (if available)		
Title of Guidance	Document	
Procedure for issuin	ng certification letters in lieu of sewag	ge disposal system construction
permits under the.	(ENV-2008-03)	
Brief Overview		
Amend. Updates to	Fee Regulations must be addressed.	
Regulatory	🗆 NOIRA	□ Emergency or
Stage		Emergency/NOIRA
(check one box)	□ Proposed	Revised Proposed
	🗆 Final	□ Fast-Track
Additional	□ Expedited Review Requested	Guidance Document
Description	Exempt Action	
Legal Authority	□ Action required by federal	□ Discretionary Action
	statute	
	\Box Action required by state statute	
Deregulatory	To be determined	
Component		
Expected Date	May 2024	

Guidance Document Forum ID (if available)		
Title of Guidance	Document	
Verifying licenses	of persons who submit work to the V	irginia Department of Health *. (ENV-
2010-01)	-	
Brief Overview		
Amend. Propose to	AMEND following Executive Brand	ch approval of final revisions to the
Private Well Regul	ations.	
Regulatory	🗆 NOIRA	□ Emergency or
Stage		Emergency/NOIRA
(check one box)	□ Proposed	Revised Proposed
	🗖 Final	□ Fast-Track
Additional	Expedited Review Requested	☑ Guidance Document
Description	□ Exempt Action	
Legal Authority	□ Action required by federal	Discretionary Action
	statute	
	□ Action required by state statute	
Deregulatory	To be determined	
Component		
Expected Date	May 2024	

Guidance Document Forum ID (if available)		
Title of Guidance	Document	
Rainwater Guidelin	nes *. (ENV-2011-01)	
Brief Overview		
Repeal. Can be rep	ealed following Executive Branch app	proval of Rainwater Harvesting
Regulations (currer	tly in proposed stage)	
Regulatory	□ NOIRA	□ Emergency or
Stage		Emergency/NOIRA
(check one box)	□ Proposed	Revised Proposed
	🗆 Final	□ Fast-Track
Additional	□ Expedited Review Requested	Guidance Document
Description	Exempt Action	
Legal Authority	□ Action required by federal	□ Discretionary Action
	statute	
	\Box Action required by state statute	
Deregulatory	Reduction of overall agency guidance document page length	
Component		
Expected Date	June 2024	

Guidance Document Forum ID (if available)		
Title of Guidance	Document	
Fee Regulations Im	plementing Policy *. (ENV-2016-02	2)
Brief Overview		
Amend. Amend fol	lowing Executive Branch approval of	of proposed Fast Track amendments to
the regulations.		
Regulatory	🗆 NOIRA	□ Emergency or
Stage		Emergency/NOIRA
(check one box)	□ Proposed	Revised Proposed
	🗆 Final	□ Fast-Track
Additional	□ Expedited Review Requested	Guidance Document
Description	Exempt Action	
Legal Authority	\Box Action required by federal	□ Discretionary Action
	statute	
	□ Action required by state statute	
Deregulatory	To be determined	
Component		
Expected Date	June 2024	

Guidance Document Forum ID (if available)		
Title of Guidance	Document	
	ter Notice *. (ENV-355)	
Brief Overview		
Amend. Requires u	pdate to conform with current termine	plogy and updated procedures
Regulatory	🗆 NOIRA	□ Emergency or
Stage		Emergency/NOIRA
(check one box)	Proposed	□ Revised Proposed
	🗖 Final	□ Fast-Track
Additional	□ Expedited Review Requested	☑ Guidance Document
Description	Exempt Action	
Legal Authority	□ Action required by federal	Discretionary Action
	statute	
	\Box Action required by state statute	
Deregulatory	To be determined	
Component		
Expected Date	June 2024	

Guidance Document Forum ID (if available)		
Title of Guidance	Degument	
		* (ENIX 402)
	g Milk and Dairy Product Complaints	*. $(ENV-403)$
Brief Overview		
Amend. Requires u	pdate to conform with current federal	standards
Regulatory	🗆 NOIRA	□ Emergency or
Stage		Emergency/NOIRA
(check one box)	□ Proposed	□ Revised Proposed
	🗆 Final	□ Fast-Track
Additional	□ Expedited Review Requested	☑ Guidance Document
Description	Exempt Action	
Legal Authority	\Box Action required by federal	Discretionary Action
	statute	
	□ Action required by state statute	
Deregulatory	To be determined	
Component		
Expected Date	June 2024	

Guidance Document Forum ID (if available)		
Title of Guidance	Document	
	A" Milk Plant Enforcement Policy. (E	NV-432)
Brief Overview	r wink Franc Emorecinent Foney. (E.	100 152)
	pdate to remove provisions already in	regulation
Regulatory	□ NOIRA	Emergency or
Stage		Emergency/NOIRA
(check one box)	□ Proposed	□ Revised Proposed
	🗆 Final	□ Fast-Track
Additional	Expedited Review Requested	Guidance Document
Description	Exempt Action	
Legal Authority	□ Action required by federal	□ Discretionary Action
	statute	
	\Box Action required by state statute	
Deregulatory	Removes duplicative and potentially	contradictory provisions
Component		
Expected Date	June 2024	

Guidance Document Forum ID (if available)		
Title of Guidance	Document	
Guidance for Portal	ble Gauges. (ORH-720A)	
Brief Overview		
Amend. ORH-720A	A will be updated to remove reference	es to outdated guidance; ensure
document is void of	f typos and grammatical errors; conso	blidate and streamline content;
incorporate new ter	nplate design	
Regulatory	🗆 NOIRA	\Box Emergency or
Stage		Emergency/NOIRA
(check one box)	□ Proposed	Revised Proposed
	🗖 Final	□ Fast-Track
Additional	□ Expedited Review Requested	Guidance Document
Description	Exempt Action	
Legal Authority	\Box Action required by federal	Discretionary Action
	statute	
	\Box Action required by state statute	
Deregulatory	Last updated in 2016. Text will be o	consolidated where possible.
Component	_	-
Expected Date	June 2024	

Guidance Document Forum ID (if available)			
Title of Guidance	Title of Guidance Document		
Guidance for XRF	Devices. (ORH-720A1)		
Brief Overview	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·		
Amend. ORH-720A	A1 will be updated to remove referen	ces to outdated guidance; ensure	
document is void of	f typos and grammatical errors; conse	olidate and streamline content;	
incorporate new ter	nplate design		
Regulatory	□ NOIRA	□ Emergency or	
Stage		Emergency/NOIRA	
(check one box)	□ Proposed	Revised Proposed	
	🗖 Final	□ Fast-Track	
Additional	□ Expedited Review Requested	Guidance Document	
Description	Exempt Action		
Legal Authority	□ Action required by federal	Discretionary Action	
	statute		
	□ Action required by state statute		
Deregulatory	Last updated in 2016. Text will be	consolidated where possible.	
Component		-	
Expected Date	June 2024		

Guidance Document Forum ID (if available)		
Title of Guidance	Document	
Guidance for Indus	trial Radiography. (ORH-720B)	
Brief Overview		
Amend. ORH-720H	3 will be updated to remove reference	es to outdated guidance; ensure
document is void of	f typos and grammatical errors; conse	olidate and streamline content;
incorporate new ter	nplate design	
Regulatory	🗆 NOIRA	\Box Emergency or
Stage		Emergency/NOIRA
(check one box)	□ Proposed	Revised Proposed
	🗖 Final	□ Fast-Track
Additional	□ Expedited Review Requested	Guidance Document
Description	□ Exempt Action	
Legal Authority	□ Action required by federal	Discretionary Action
	statute	
	\Box Action required by state statute	
Deregulatory	Last updated in 2016. Text will be o	consolidated where possible.
Component		-
Expected Date	June 2024	

Guidance Document Forum ID (if available)		
Title of Guidance	Document	
Guidance for Fixed	Gauge Devices. (ORH-720C)	
Brief Overview		
Amend. ORH-7200	C will be updated to remove reference	es to outdated guidance; ensure
document is void of	f typos and grammatical errors; conse	olidate and streamline content;
incorporate new ter	nplate design	
Regulatory	🗆 NOIRA	□ Emergency or
Stage		Emergency/NOIRA
(check one box)	□ Proposed	Revised Proposed
	🗆 Final	□ Fast-Track
Additional	□ Expedited Review Requested	☑ Guidance Document
Description	Exempt Action	
Legal Authority	□ Action required by federal	Discretionary Action
	statute	
	\Box Action required by state statute	
Deregulatory	Last updated in 2016. Text will be a	consolidated where possible.
Component		-
Expected Date	June 2024	

Guidance Document Forum ID (if available)		
Title of Guidance	Document	
Guidance for Self-S	Shielded Irradiators. (ORH-720D)	
Brief Overview		
Amend. ORH-720I	D will be updated to remove reference	es to outdated guidance; ensure
document is void of	f typos and grammatical errors; conse	olidate and streamline content;
incorporate new ter	nplate design	
Regulatory	🗆 NOIRA	□ Emergency or
Stage		Emergency/NOIRA
(check one box)	□ Proposed	Revised Proposed
	🗆 Final	□ Fast-Track
Additional	□ Expedited Review Requested	☑ Guidance Document
Description	Exempt Action	
Legal Authority	□ Action required by federal	Discretionary Action
	statute	
	\Box Action required by state statute	
Deregulatory	Last updated in 2016. Text will be o	consolidated where possible.
Component		-
Expected Date	June 2024	

Guidance Document Forum ID (if available)		
Title of Guidance	Document	
Frequently asked q	uestions for nursing facilities. (QHC	-027)
Brief Overview		
Amend. Document	may be inconsistent with later adopt	ed regulations in 12VAC5-371 and
changes in federal a	and state law	
Regulatory	□ NOIRA	□ Emergency or
Stage		Emergency/NOIRA
(check one box)	□ Proposed	Revised Proposed
	🗆 Final	□ Fast-Track
Additional	□ Expedited Review Requested	Guidance Document
Description	Exempt Action	
Legal Authority	\Box Action required by federal	Discretionary Action
	statute	
	□ Action required by state statute	
Deregulatory	To be determined	
Component		
Expected Date	June 2024	

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Title of Proposed Regulatory Action or Guidance Document		
Guidance Document 110-39		
Brief Overview		
	document due to promulgation of emerg	ency regulations which cover the same
subject.		
Regulatory Stage	🗆 NOIRA	Emergency Rule
(check one box)	Proposed Rule	Fast-Track Rule
	🗆 Final Rule	
Additional	Expedited Rule	🛛 Guidance Document
Description	🗆 Exempt Rule	
Legal Authority	\Box Action required by federal statute	Discretionary action
	\Box Action required by state statute	
Deregulatory	Repeal of guidance document	
Component		
Expected Date	March 28, 2024	

Title of Proposed Regulatory Action or Guidance Document			
Guidance Documen	Guidance Document 110-33		
Brief Overview			
•	lance document to provide information o	•	
previous practice as	a pharmacy technician for registration b	y endorsement.	
Regulatory Stage	🗆 NOIRA	Emergency Rule	
(check one box)	Proposed Rule	Fast-Track Rule	
	🗆 Final Rule		
Additional	Expedited Rule	🖂 Guidance Document	
Description	🗆 Exempt Rule		
Legal Authority	\Box Action required by federal statute	Discretionary action	
	\Box Action required by state statute		
Deregulatory			
Component			
Expected Date	March 28, 2024		

Title of Proposed R	egulatory Action or Guidance Document	
Guidance Documen	t 110-35	
Brief Overview		
Amendment of guid	lance document to include information o	n opioid prescriptions. This change was
made at the reques	t of a stakeholder.	
Regulatory Stage		Emergency Rule
(check one box)	Proposed Rule	Fast-Track Rule
	🗆 Final Rule	
Additional	Expedited Rule	🖾 Guidance Document
Description	🗆 Exempt Rule	
Legal Authority	□ Action required by federal statute	Discretionary action
	\Box Action required by state statute	
Deregulatory		
Component		
Expected Date	March 28, 2024	

Title of Proposed	Title of Proposed Regulatory Action or Guidance Document		
Guidance Document 125-3.1			
Brief Overview			
	erenced guidance document to remove	copy and paste regulatory language	
and to update proc	edures to modern era.		
Regulatory	□ NOIRA	□ Emergency Rule	
Stage	Proposed Rule	□ Fast-Track Rule	
(check one box)	□ Final Rule		
Additional	Expedited Rule	I Guidance Document	
Description	Exempt Rule		
Legal Authority	□ Action required by federal statute	☑ Discretionary action	
	\Box Action required by state statute		
Deregulatory			
Component			
Expected Date	March 4, 2024		

Title of Proposed	Title of Proposed Regulatory Action or Guidance Document		
Guidance Docume	Guidance Document 150-2, Expanded duties for licensed veterinary technicians		
Brief Overview			
The Board will an	nend Guidance Document 150-2 consis	tent with current practice to reflect	
duties that may be	performed by licensed veterinary techn	nicians.	
Regulatory	□ NOIRA	Emergency Rule	
Stage	□ Proposed Rule	□ Fast-Track Rule	
(check one box)	\Box Final Rule		
Additional	□ Expedited Rule	⊠ Guidance Document	
Description	Exempt Rule		
Legal Authority	\Box Action required by federal statute	□ Discretionary action	
	Action required by state statute		
Deregulatory			
Component			
Expected Date	March 11, 2023		

Title of Proposed	Title of Proposed Regulatory Action or Guidance Document		
Four-year review of	Four-year review of Guidance Document 30-12, Guidelines for telepractice.		
Brief Overview			
The Board will rev	view and possibly amend Guidance Doc	cument 30-12, Guidelines for	
telepractice. This i	s the standard four-year review for all g	guidance documents.	
Regulatory	□ NOIRA	Emergency Rule	
Stage	Proposed Rule	□ Fast-Track Rule	
(check one box)	□ Final Rule		
Additional	Expedited Rule	⊠ Guidance Document	
Description	Exempt Rule		
Legal Authority	□ Action required by federal statute	☑ Discretionary action	
	\Box Action required by state statute		
Deregulatory			
Component			
Expected Date	August 8, 2023 or December 12, 2023	3	

Title of Proposed Regulatory Action or Guidance Document Four-year review of Guidance Document 30-9, Continuing education audits and sanctioning. **Brief Overview** The Board will review and amend Guidance Document 30-9, Continuing education audits and sanctioning. This is the standard four-year review for all guidance documents. Additionally, this guidance document must be updated due to regulations which became effective January 5, 2023. Regulatory □ NOIRA □ Emergency Rule Stage \Box Proposed Rule □ Fast-Track Rule (check one box) □ Final Rule Additional \Box Expedited Rule ⊠ Guidance Document Description □ Exempt Rule Legal Authority \Box Action required by federal statute \boxtimes Discretionary action \Box Action required by state statute Deregulatory Component **Expected Date** August 8, 2023 or December 12, 2023

Title of Proposed Regulatory Action or Guidance Document Repeal of Guidance Document 115-5, Conduct of an Informal Conference by an Agency Subordinate. **Brief Overview** The Board will repeal Guidance Document 115-5, Conduct of an Informal Conference by an Agency Subordinate. This is the standard four-year review for all guidance documents. Additionally, this guidance document is out of date and superseded by DHP Guidance Document 76-10.01. Regulatory □ NOIRA □ Emergency Rule Stage □ Proposed Rule □ Fast-Track Rule (check one box) □ Final Rule Additional ⊠ Guidance Document \Box Expedited Rule Description □ Exempt Rule Legal Authority \Box Action required by federal statute \boxtimes Discretionary action \Box Action required by state statute Deregulatory Deletion of a Guidance Document Component **Expected Date** July 21, 2024

Title of Proposed Regulatory Action or Guidance Document		
Four-year review of Guidance Document 115-1.2, Bylaws of the Board.		
Brief Overview		
	view and possibly amend Guidance Doo	
This is the standar	d four-year review for all guidance doc	uments.
Regulatory	□ NOIRA	Emergency Rule
Stage	Proposed Rule	□ Fast-Track Rule
(check one box)	□ Final Rule	
Additional		
Additional	□ Expedited Rule	Guidance Document
Description	Exempt Rule	
Legal Authority	□ Action required by federal statute	☑ Discretionary action
	\Box Action required by state statute	
Deregulatory		
Component		
Expected Date	October 13, 2023	

Title of Proposed Regulatory Action or Guidance Document

Review and amendment of Guidance Document 115-1.5, Sanction Reference Points Manual.

Brief Overview

The Board will review and possibly amend Guidance Document 115-1.5, Sanction Reference Points Manual. This document and its changes are subject to completion of data analysis and review by outside vendor regarding standard disciplinary actions for certain violations. If the data analysis and review is completed in FY2024, the Board will adopt the revised document.

Regulatory Stage (check one box)	□ NOIRA □ Proposed Rule □ Final Rule	 Emergency Rule Fast-Track Rule
Additional Description	□ Expedited Rule	⊠ Guidance Document
-	Exempt Rule	
Legal Authority	\Box Action required by federal statute	⊠ Discretionary action
	\Box Action required by state statute	
Deregulatory		
Component		
Expected Date	FY2024	

Title of Proposed Regulatory Action or Guidance Document Four-year review of Guidance Document 115-1.8, Examinations acceptable for certification as a rehabilitation provider. **Brief Overview** The Board will review and possibly amend Guidance Document 115-1.8, Examinations acceptable for certification as a rehabilitation provider. This is the standard four-year review for all guidance documents. Regulatory □ NOIRA □ Emergency Rule Stage \Box Proposed Rule □ Fast-Track Rule (check one box) □ Final Rule Additional \Box Expedited Rule ⊠ Guidance Document Description □ Exempt Rule Legal Authority \Box Action required by federal statute \boxtimes Discretionary action \Box Action required by state statute Deregulatory Component **Expected Date** October 13, 2023

Title of Proposed Regulatory Action or Guidance Document Four-year review of Guidance Document 115-10, Guidance on Conversion Therapy.		
Brief Overview The Board will review and possibly repeal Guidance Document 115-10, Guidance on Conversion Therapy. This is the standard four-year review for all guidance documents. The subject of this document is now in statute, making a guidance document on the topic unnecessary.		
Regulatory Stage (check one box)	□ NOIRA □ Proposed Rule □ Final Rule	 Emergency Rule Fast-Track Rule
Additional Description	□ Expedited Rule □ Exempt Rule	⊠ Guidance Document
Legal Authority	☐ Action required by federal statute ☐ Action required by state statute	⊠ Discretionary action
Deregulatory Component	Deletion of Guidance Document	
Expected Date	October 13, 2023 or 2024	

Title of Proposed Regulatory Action or Guidance Document

Four-year review of Guidance Document 115-3, Frequently asked questions about credentials appeals.

Brief Overview

The Board will review and possibly repeal Guidance Document 115-3, Frequently asked questions about credentials appeals. This is the standard four-year review for all guidance documents.

Regulatory Stage (check one box)	□ NOIRA □ Proposed Rule □ Final Rule	 Emergency Rule Fast-Track Rule
Additional	□ Expedited Rule	⊠ Guidance Document
Description	□ Exempt Rule	
Legal Authority	\Box Action required by federal statute	☑ Discretionary action
	\Box Action required by state statute	
Deregulatory	Potential repeal of a guidance document	
Component		
Expected Date	October 13, 2023 or 2024	

Title of Proposed Regulatory Action or Guidance Document		
Review and amendment of Guidance Document 115-9, Recognition of Entity for Licensure by		
Endorsement.		
Brief Overview		
The Board will rev	view and possibly amend Guidance Do	cument 115-9, Recognition of Entity
for Licensure by E	Endorsement.	
Regulatory	□ NOIRA	Emergency Rule
Stage	□ Proposed Rule	□ Fast-Track Rule
(check one box)	\Box Final Rule	
Additional	Expedited Rule	Guidance Document
Description	□ Exempt Rule	
Legal Authority	□ Action required by federal statute	☑ Discretionary action
	□ Action required by state statute	
Deregulatory		
Component		
Expected Date	FY2024	

Title of Proposed Regulatory Action or Guidance Document

Review and amendment of Guidance Document 60-2, Sanction Reference Points Manual.

Brief Overview

The Board will review and possibly amend Guidance Document 60-2, Sanction Reference Points Manual. This document and its changes are subject to completion of data analysis and review by outside vendor regarding standard disciplinary actions for certain violations. If the data analysis and review is completed in FY2024, the Board will adopt the revised document.

Regulatory Stage (check one box)	□ NOIRA □ Proposed Rule □ Final Rule	□ Emergency Rule □ Fast-Track Rule
Additional Description	□ Expedited Rule	⊠ Guidance Document
-	Exempt Rule	
Legal Authority	\Box Action required by federal statute	☑ Discretionary action
	\Box Action required by state statute	
Deregulatory		
Component		
Expected Date	FY2024	

Title of Proposed Regulatory Action or Guidance Document Review of Guidance Document 60-23, Teledentistry.		
Brief Overview The Board will review and possibly delete Guidance Document 60-23, Teledentistry. This is part of the standard four-year review process. The information contained in the Guidance Document is likely addressed in Code.		
Regulatory Stage (check one box)	□ NOIRA □ Proposed Rule □ Final Rule	 Emergency Rule Fast-Track Rule
Additional Description	□ Expedited Rule □ Exempt Rule	⊠ Guidance Document
Legal Authority	☐ Action required by federal statute ☐ Action required by state statute	⊠ Discretionary action
Deregulatory Component	Potential deletion of a Guidance Document.	
Expected Date	September 29, 2023	

Title of Proposed Regulatory Action or Guidance Document			
Deletion of Guidance Document 60-4, Questions and Answers About Sedation.			
Brief Overview			
The Board will de	lete Guidance Document 60-4. This doe	cument is not suitable as a guidance	
document and show	uld be moved to the Board's website as	an informational policy document.	
Regulatory	□ NOIRA	Emergency Rule	
Stage	Proposed Rule	□ Fast-Track Rule	
(check one box)	□ Final Rule		
Additional	□ Expedited Rule	I Guidance Document	
Description	Exempt Rule		
Legal Authority	□ Action required by federal statute	☑ Discretionary action	
	\Box Action required by state statute		
Deregulatory	Deletion of a Guidance Document.		
Component			
Expected Date	FY2024		

Title of Proposed Regulatory Action or Guidance Document			
Review of Guidance Document 60-17, Policy on Recovery of Disciplinary Costs.			
Brief Overview			
	i I Ci I D t C	0.17 Delling on Decomposit	
	view and amend Guidance Document 6		
Disciplinary Costs	. The Board amended this document in	December 2021 with the intent of	
revisiting the chan	ges made two years later, in December	2023.	
Regulatory	□ NOIRA	Emergency Rule	
Stage	Proposed Rule	□ Fast-Track Rule	
(check one box)	1		
	□ Final Rule		
Additional	Expedited Rule	⊠ Guidance Document	
Description	1		
Description	🗆 Exempt Rule		
Legal Authority	□ Action required by federal statute	☑ Discretionary action	
	□ Action required by state statute		
Deregulatory	Potential deletion of a Guidance Document.		
Component			
Expected Date	December 8, 2023		

Title of Proposed Regulatory Action or Guidance Document Review of Guidance Document 60-25, Policy on Dental Clinical Competency Examination Requirement for Licensure.		
Brief Overview		
The Board will rev	view and amend Guidance Document 6	0-25, Policy on Dental Clinical
1 2	nination Requirement for Licensure. Th	v 1
examination for lie	censure and the Guidance Document m	ust be updated to reflect that.
Regulatory	□ NOIRA	□ Emergency Rule
Stage	Proposed Rule	□ Fast-Track Rule
(check one box)	□ Final Rule	
Additional	Expedited Rule	⊠ Guidance Document
Description	Exempt Rule	
Legal Authority	\Box Action required by federal statute	☑ Discretionary action
	\Box Action required by state statute	
Deregulatory		
Component		
Expected Date	September 29, 2023	

Review of Guidance Document 60-26, Policy on Dental Hygiene Clinical Competency Examination Requirement for Licensure.

Brief Overview

The Board will review and amend Guidance Document 60-26, Policy on Dental Hygiene Clinical Competency Examination Requirement for Licensure. The Board only accepts the ADEX examination for licensure and the Guidance Document must be updated to reflect that.

Regulatory Stage (check one box)	□ NOIRA □ Proposed Rule □ Final Rule	□ Emergency Rule □ Fast-Track Rule
Additional	Expedited Rule	⊠ Guidance Document
Description	□ Exempt Rule	
Legal Authority	\Box Action required by federal statute	☑ Discretionary action
	\Box Action required by state statute	
Deregulatory		
Component		
Expected Date	September 29, 2023	

Title of Proposed Regulatory Action or Guidance Document		
Repeal of Guidance Document 65-19, Identification of Funeral Service Interns		
Brief Overview		
1	peal Guidance Document 65-19. Existin	ng regulations address the information
in this document a	nd it is no longer needed.	
Regulatory	□ NOIRA	Emergency Rule
Stage	Proposed Rule	□ Fast-Track Rule
(check one box)	□ Final Rule	
Additional	Expedited Rule	⊠ Guidance Document
Description	Exempt Rule	
Legal Authority	□ Action required by federal statute	☑ Discretionary action
	\Box Action required by state statute	
Deregulatory	Repeal of Guidance Document	
Component		
Expected Date	July 11, 2023	

Review of Guidance Document 65-3, Guidelines for Processing Applications for Licensure

Brief Overview

The Board will review and possibly revise Guidance Document 65-3 to reflect new mental health questions on applications which were required to be used by Chapters 18 and 19 of the 2023 General Assembly.

Decrelatore		
Regulatory	□ NOIRA	□ Emergency Rule
Stage	□ Proposed Rule	□ Fast-Track Rule
(check one box)	□ Final Rule	
Additional	□ Expedited Rule	⊠ Guidance Document
Description	Exempt Rule	
Legal Authority	\Box Action required by federal statute	☑ Discretionary action
	\Box Action required by state statute	
Deregulatory		
Component		
Expected Date	July 11, 2023	

Review and amendment of Guidance Document 65-14, Sanction Reference Points Manual.

Brief Overview

The Board will review and possibly amend Guidance Document 65-14, Sanction Reference Points Manual. This document and its changes are subject to completion of data analysis and review by outside vendor regarding standard disciplinary actions for certain violations. If the data analysis and review is completed in FY2024, the Board will adopt the revised document.

Regulatory Stage (check one box)	□ NOIRA □ Proposed Rule □ Final Rule	□ Emergency Rule □ Fast-Track Rule
Additional Description	Expedited Rule Ensure Park	⊠ Guidance Document
Legal Authority	 Exempt Rule Action required by federal statute 	☑ Discretionary action
	\Box Action required by state statute	
Deregulatory		
Component		
Expected Date	FY2024	

Review and amendment of Guidance Document 65-4, Aiding and Abetting Unlicensed Practice.

Brief Overview

The Board will review and possibly amend Guidance Document 65-4, Aiding and Abetting Unlicensed Practice. This is part of the standard four-year review process.

Regulatory	□ NOIRA	□ Emergency Rule
Stage	Proposed Rule	□ Fast-Track Rule
(check one box)	□ Final Rule	
Additional	Expedited Rule	⊠ Guidance Document
Description	□ Exempt Rule	
Legal Authority	□ Action required by federal statute	☑ Discretionary action
	□ Action required by state statute	
Deregulatory		
Component		
Expected Date	July 11, 2023	

Review and amendment of Guidance Document 75-2, Appropriate Criteria in Determining the Need for Regulation of Any Health Care Occupation or Profession.

Brief Overview

The Board will review and possibly amend Guidance Document 75-2, Appropriate Criteria in Determining the Need for Regulation of Any Health Care Occupation or Profession.

Regulatory	□ NOIRA	□ Emergency Rule
Stage	Proposed Rule	□ Fast-Track Rule
(check one box)	□ Final Rule	
Additional	Expedited Rule	⊠ Guidance Document
Description	Exempt Rule	
Legal Authority	□ Action required by federal statute	☑ Discretionary action
	\Box Action required by state statute	
Deregulatory		
Component		
Expected Date	September 26, 2023	

Title of Proposed Regulatory Action or Guidance Document			
Creation of guidan	Creation of guidance document regarding the administrator-in-training program		
Brief Overview			
	nsider creation of a guidance document		
questions received	by Board staff regarding administrator	r-in-training programs.	
Regulatory	□ NOIRA	Emergency Rule	
Stage	Proposed Rule	□ Fast-Track Rule	
(check one box)	□ Final Rule		
Additional		Quidanas Desument	
	□ Expedited Rule	Guidance Document	
Description	Exempt Rule		
Legal Authority	\Box Action required by federal statute	☑ Discretionary action	
	\Box Action required by state statute		
Deregulatory			
Component			
Expected Date	FY2024		

Review and amendment of Guidance Document 95-3, Sanction Reference Points Manual.

Brief Overview

The Board will review and possibly amend Guidance Document 95-3, Sanction Reference Points Manual. This document and its changes are subject to completion of data analysis and review by outside vendor regarding standard disciplinary actions for certain violations. If the data analysis and review is completed in FY2024, the Board will adopt the revised document.

Regulatory Stage (check one box)	□ NOIRA □ Proposed Rule □ Final Rule	□ Emergency Rule □ Fast-Track Rule
Additional Description	□ Expedited Rule	⊠ Guidance Document
Description	Exempt Rule	
Legal Authority	\Box Action required by federal statute	☑ Discretionary action
	\Box Action required by state statute	
Deregulatory		
Component		
Expected Date	FY2024	

Title of Proposed Regulatory Action or Guidance Document Edits to existing guidance document 85-10: Disclosures by licensed midwives for high-risk pregnancies		
Brief Overview		
Board intends to u	pdate based on additional complication	s licensed midwives have seen in the
past several years.		
Degrala terrer		
Regulatory	□ NOIRA	□ Emergency Rule
Stage	Proposed Rule	□ Fast-Track Rule
(check one box)	□ Final Rule	
Additional	Expedited Rule	I Guidance Document
Description	Exempt Rule	
Legal Authority	\Box Action required by federal statute	☑ Discretionary action
	□ Action required by state statute	
Deregulatory		
Component		
Expected Date	August 4, 2023	

Title of Proposed Regulatory Action or Guidance Document Edits to existing guidance document 85-26: Compliance with law for licensed midwives		
Edits to existing g	uidance document 85-26: Compliance	with law for licensed midwives
Brief Overview		
Standard four-year	r review. May update procedures and ed	dit formatting.
Regulatory		
0	□ NOIRA	□ Emergency Rule
Stage	Proposed Rule	□ Fast-Track Rule
(check one box)	□ Final Rule	
Additional	Expedited Rule	I Guidance Document
Description	□ Exempt Rule	
Legal Authority	\Box Action required by federal statute	☑ Discretionary action
	\Box Action required by state statute	
Deregulatory		
Component		
Expected Date	February 2023	

Title of Proposed Regulatory Action or Guidance Document			
Edits to existing g	Edits to existing guidance document 85-27: Role of licensed midwives in newborn hearing		
screening			
Brief Overview			
Standard four-year	r review. May update procedures and ec	lit formatting.	
Regulatory	□ NOIRA	Emergency Rule	
Stage	Proposed Rule	□ Fast-Track Rule	
(check one box)	\Box Final Rule		
Additional	□ Expedited Rule	Guidance Document	
Description	□ Exempt Rule		
Legal Authority	□ Action required by federal statute	☑ Discretionary action	
	□ Action required by state statute		
Deregulatory			
Component			
Expected Date	February 2023		

Review and amendment of Guidance Document 85-11, Sanction Reference Points Manual.

Brief Overview

The Board will review and possibly amend Guidance Document 85-11, Sanction Reference Points Manual. This document and its changes are subject to completion of data analysis and review by outside vendor regarding standard disciplinary actions for certain violations. If the data analysis and review is completed in FY2024, the Board will adopt the revised document.

Regulatory Stage (check one box)	□ NOIRA □ Proposed Rule □ Final Rule	□ Emergency Rule □ Fast-Track Rule
Additional Description	Expedited Rule Ensure Park	⊠ Guidance Document
Legal Authority	 Exempt Rule Action required by federal statute 	☑ Discretionary action
	\Box Action required by state statute	
Deregulatory		
Component		
Expected Date	FY2024	

Repeal of Guidance Document 85-7, Guidance Document on the Practice of Conversion Therapy.

Brief Overview

The Board will repeal Guidance Document 85-7. This Guidance Document was adopted in 2019. A 2020 law has superseded the information in the document and now controls. Therefore this Guidance Document is obsolete.

Regulatory Stage (check one box)	□ NOIRA □ Proposed Rule □ Final Rule	 Emergency Rule Fast-Track Rule
Additional	□ Expedited Rule	⊠ Guidance Document
Description	□ Exempt Rule	
Legal Authority	□ Action required by federal statute	☑ Discretionary action
	\Box Action required by state statute	
Deregulatory	Removal of a Guidance Document	
Component		
Expected Date	August 4, 2023	

Title of Proposed Regulatory Action or Guidance Document			
Review of Guidan	Review of Guidance Document 90-33, Authority of LNP's to write DNR orders.		
Brief Overview			
The Board, along	with the Board of Nursing, will review	Guidance Document 90-33 as part of	
the four-year revie	w for guidance documents.		
Regulatory	□ NOIRA	Emergency Rule	
Stage	Proposed Rule	□ Fast-Track Rule	
(check one box)	□ Final Rule		
Additional	□ Expedited Rule	Guidance Document	
Description	□ Exempt Rule		
Legal Authority	□ Action required by federal statute	☑ Discretionary action	
	\Box Action required by state statute		
Deregulatory			
Component			
Expected Date	Board of Nursing: July 18, 2023; Board of Medicine: August 4, 2023		

Title of Proposed Regulatory Action or Guidance Document			
Review of Guidan	Review of Guidance Document 90-33, Authority of LNP's to write DNR orders.		
Brief Overview			
The Board, along	with the Board of Medicine, will review	v Guidance Document 90-33 as part	
of the four-year re-	view for guidance documents.		
Regulatory	□ NOIRA	Emergency Rule	
Stage	Proposed Rule	□ Fast-Track Rule	
(check one box)	\Box Final Rule		
Additional	□ Expedited Rule	Guidance Document	
Description	Exempt Rule		
Legal Authority	□ Action required by federal statute	☑ Discretionary action	
	\Box Action required by state statute		
Deregulatory			
Component			
Expected Date	Board of Nursing: July 18, 2023; Boa	rd of Medicine: August 4, 2023	

Title of Proposed	Title of Pronocod Degulatory Action on Cuidance Degument		
Title of Proposed Regulatory Action or Guidance Document			
Updates to Guidan	Updates to Guidance Document 90-62, Medication Administration Programs		
Brief Overview			
This Guidance Do	cument must be listed for potential cha	nge at all meetings due to the	
frequency of third	parties changing program information	and the Board's rolling approval of	
changes. All poten	tial changes will be related to approval	of courses.	
0 1			
Regulatory	□ NOIRA	Emergency Rule	
Stage	Proposed Rule	□ Fast-Track Rule	
(check one box)	□ Final Rule		
Additional	Expedited Rule	⊠ Guidance Document	
Description	□ Exempt Rule		
Legal Authority	\Box Action required by federal statute	⊠ Discretionary action	
	1 2		
	□ Action required by state statute		
Deregulatory	Expansion of approved programs		
Component			
Expected Date	July 18, 2023; September 12, 2023; November 14, 2023; January 2024;		
-	March 2024; May 2024.		

Review of Guidance Document 90-1, Registered or licensed practical nurses as first assistant in surgery.

Brief Overview

Standard four-year review of Guidance Document 90-1. No major revisions likely, but grammatical and stylistic changes will be made.

Regulatory	□ NOIRA	□ Emergency Rule
Stage	Proposed Rule	□ Fast-Track Rule
(check one box)	□ Final Rule	
Additional	Expedited Rule	⊠ Guidance Document
Description	□ Exempt Rule	
Legal Authority	\Box Action required by federal statute	☑ Discretionary action
	□ Action required by state statute	
Deregulatory		
Component		
Expected Date	July 18, 2023	

Title of Proposed Regulatory Action or Guidance Document			
Review of Guidan	Review of Guidance Document 90-2, Transmittal of third-party orders.		
Brief Overview			
	r review of Guidance Document 90-2.	•	
will be made, inclu	uding deletion of copied and pasted stat	tutory text within document.	
Regulatory	□ NOIRA	□ Emergency Rule	
Stage	Proposed Rule	□ Fast-Track Rule	
(check one box)	□ Final Rule		
Additional	□ Expedited Rule	Guidance Document	
Description	□ Exempt Rule		
Legal Authority	□ Action required by federal statute	☑ Discretionary action	
	\Box Action required by state statute		
Deregulatory			
Component			
Expected Date	July 18 or September 12, 2023		

Title of Proposed Regulatory Action or Guidance Document Review of Guidance Document 90-9, Board guidelines for prescription drug administration training program for child day care.		
Brief Overview		
Standard four-year review of Guidance Document 90-9. Document will be revised for clarity and readability.		
Regulatory	□ NOIRA	Emergency Rule
Stage	□ Proposed Rule	□ Fast-Track Rule
(check one box)	□ Final Rule	
Additional	Expedited Rule	I Guidance Document
Description	□ Exempt Rule	
Legal Authority	□ Action required by federal statute	☑ Discretionary action
	□ Action required by state statute	
Deregulatory		
Component		
Expected Date	November 14, 2023	

Title of Proposed Regulatory Action or Guidance Document Review of Guidance Document 90-12, delegation of authority to Board of Nursing staff.		
Brief Overview Standard four-year review of Guidance Document 90-12.		
Regulatory Stage (check one box)	□ NOIRA □ Proposed Rule □ Final Rule	□ Emergency Rule □ Fast-Track Rule
Additional Description	□ Expedited Rule □ Exempt Rule	⊠ Guidance Document
Legal Authority	□ Action required by federal statute □ Action required by state statute	☑ Discretionary action
Deregulatory Component Expected Date	November 14, 2023 or 2024	

Review of Guidance Document 90-23, decision-making model for determining RN/LPN scope of practice

Brief Overview

Standard four-year review of Guidance Document 90-23. Revisions may be made for clarity and cohesiveness with other scope of practice documents.

□ NOIRA	□ Emergency Rule
Proposed Rule	□ Fast-Track Rule
□ Final Rule	
Expedited Rule	⊠ Guidance Document
□ Exempt Rule	
□ Action required by federal statute	☑ Discretionary action
\Box Action required by state statute	
November 14, 2023 or 2024	
	 Proposed Rule Final Rule Expedited Rule Exempt Rule Action required by federal statute Action required by state statute

Review of Guidance Document 90-1, Registered or licensed practical nurses as first assistant in surgery.

Brief Overview

Standard four-year review of Guidance Document 90-1. No major revisions likely, but grammatical and stylistic changes will be made.

Regulatory	□ NOIRA	□ Emergency Rule
Stage	Proposed Rule	□ Fast-Track Rule
(check one box)	□ Final Rule	
Additional	Expedited Rule	⊠ Guidance Document
Description	□ Exempt Rule	
Legal Authority	\Box Action required by federal statute	☑ Discretionary action
	□ Action required by state statute	
Deregulatory		
Component		
Expected Date	July 18, 2023	

Review of Guidance Document 90-33, authority of licensed nurse practitioners to write do not resuscitate orders (DNR orders)

Brief Overview

Standard four-year review of Guidance Document 90-33. No major revisions likely, but grammatical and stylistic changes will be made. Additionally the term "nurse practitioner" will be changed to "advanced practice registered nurse" to reflect legislative changes.

Regulatory	□ NOIRA	□ Emergency Rule
Stage	□ Proposed Rule	□ Fast-Track Rule
(check one box)	□ Final Rule	
Additional	Expedited Rule	I Guidance Document
Description	□ Exempt Rule	
Legal Authority	□ Action required by federal statute	☑ Discretionary action
	□ Action required by state statute	
Deregulatory		
Component		
Expected Date	November 14, 2023 or 2024	

Title of Proposed Regulatory Action or Guidance Document		
Review of Guidance Document 90-35, non-compliance with Board orders		
Brief Overview		
	r review of Guidance Document 90-35.	No major revisions likely, but
grammatical and s	tylistic changes will be made.	
Regulatory	□ NOIRA	□ Emergency Rule
Stage	Proposed Rule	□ Fast-Track Rule
(check one box)	□ Final Rule	
Additional	□ Expedited Rule	Guidance Document
Description	Exempt Rule	
Legal Authority	□ Action required by federal statute	☑ Discretionary action
	\Box Action required by state statute	
Deregulatory		
Component		
Expected Date	September 12, 2023	

Title of Proposed Regulatory Action or Guidance Document		
Review of Guidance Document 90-41, guidance on the meaning of patient abandonment		
Brief Overview		
	r review of Guidance Document 90-41.	No major revisions likely, but
grammatical and s	tylistic changes will be made.	
Regulatory	□ NOIRA	Emergency Rule
Stage	Proposed Rule	□ Fast-Track Rule
(check one box)	□ Final Rule	
Additional	□ Expedited Rule	Guidance Document
Description	Exempt Rule	
Legal Authority	\Box Action required by federal statute	☑ Discretionary action
	\Box Action required by state statute	
Deregulatory		
Component		
Expected Date	September 12, 2023	

Review of Guidance Document 90-46, administration of over-the-counter drugs by certified nurse aides

Brief Overview

Standard four-year review of Guidance Document 90-46. No major revisions likely, but grammatical and stylistic changes may be made.

Regulatory	□ NOIRA	□ Emergency Rule
Stage	Proposed Rule	□ Fast-Track Rule
(check one box)	□ Final Rule	
Additional	Expedited Rule	⊠ Guidance Document
Description	Exempt Rule	
Legal Authority	□ Action required by federal statute	☑ Discretionary action
	□ Action required by state statute	
Deregulatory		
Component		
Expected Date	2024	

Title of Proposed Regulatory Action or Guidance Document		
Review of Guidance Document 90-47, massage therapy practice and use of titles		
Brief Overview		
•	r review of Guidance Document 90-47.	5
0	tylistic changes will be made, including	g deletion of copied and pasted
statutory language		
Regulatory	□ NOIRA	Emergency Rule
Stage	Proposed Rule	□ Fast-Track Rule
(check one box)	□ Final Rule	
Additional	Expedited Rule	⊠ Guidance Document
Description	Exempt Rule	
Legal Authority	□ Action required by federal statute	☑ Discretionary action
	\Box Action required by state statute	
Deregulatory		
Component		
Expected Date	2024	

Title of Proposed Regulatory Action or Guidance Document			
Combination of sc	Combination of scope of practice guidance documents		
Brief Overview			
	in FY2023, the Board will combine m	ultiple scope of practice documents	
into one cohesive	document.		
Regulatory	□ NOIRA	□ Emergency Rule	
Stage	Proposed Rule	□ Fast-Track Rule	
(check one box)	□ Final Rule		
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Additional	□ Expedited Rule	Guidance Document	
Description	Exempt Rule		
Legal Authority	\Box Action required by federal statute	☑ Discretionary action	
	\Box Action required by state statute		
Deregulatory	Reduction or deletion of guidance documents		
Component			
Expected Date	FY2024		

Title of Proposed Regulatory Action or Guidance Document Review of Guidance Document 105-12, compliance with continuing education requirements and recommended sanctions **Brief Overview** Standard four-year review of Guidance Document 105-12. No major revisions likely, but grammatical and stylistic changes will be made, including deletion of copied and pasted statutory and regulatory language. Regulatory □ NOIRA □ Emergency Rule Stage □ Fast-Track Rule \Box Proposed Rule (check one box) □ Final Rule Additional \Box Expedited Rule ⊠ Guidance Document Description \Box Exempt Rule Legal Authority \Box Action required by federal statute \boxtimes Discretionary action \Box Action required by state statute Deregulatory Component **Expected Date** 2024

Title of Proposed Regulatory Action or Guidance Document		
Repeal of Guidance Document 105-26, delegation of informal fact-finding to agency		
subordinate		
Brief Overview		
The Board will rep	peal Guidance Document 105-26, which	h is redundant of an agency guidance
document on the s	ame topic.	
Regulatory	□ NOIRA	Emergency Rule
Stage	□ Proposed Rule	□ Fast-Track Rule
(check one box)	□ Final Rule	
Additional	□ Expedited Rule	Guidance Document
Description	□ Exempt Rule	
Legal Authority	□ Action required by federal statute	☑ Discretionary action
	\Box Action required by state statute	
Deregulatory	Repeal of guidance document	
Component		
Expected Date	July 14, 2023	

Review and amendment of Guidance Document 105-28, Sanction Reference Points Manual.

Brief Overview

The Board will review and possibly amend Guidance Document 105-28, Sanction Reference Points Manual. This document and its changes are subject to completion of data analysis and review by outside vendor regarding standard disciplinary actions for certain violations. If the data analysis and review is completed in FY2024, the Board will adopt the revised document.

Regulatory Stage (check one box)	□ NOIRA □ Proposed Rule □ Final Rule	□ Emergency Rule □ Fast-Track Rule
Additional Description	□ Expedited Rule	⊠ Guidance Document
-	Exempt Rule	
Legal Authority	\Box Action required by federal statute	☑ Discretionary action
	\Box Action required by state statute	
Deregulatory		
Component		
Expected Date	FY2024	

Title of Proposed Regulatory Action or Guidance Document Proposed new Guidance Document related to performing certain procedures in ophthalmologist offices.		
Brief Overview The Board will consider adopting a new guidance document addressing two specific		
	tometrists are able to do, but which sho cal capabilities for patient safety.	buid be done in ophthalmology
Regulatory Stage (check one box)	□ NOIRA □ Proposed Rule □ Final Rule	□ Emergency Rule □ Fast-Track Rule
Additional Description	□ Expedited Rule □ Exempt Rule	I Guidance Document
Legal Authority	☐ Action required by federal statute ☐ Action required by state statute	☑ Discretionary action
Deregulatory Component		
Expected Date	2024	

Title of Proposed Regulatory Action or Guidance Document		
Revision of Guidance Document 110-46.		
Brief Overview		
	nend Guidance Document 110-46 to cla	
•	ation another form of "delivery service"	' as used in Virginia Code § 54.1-
3420.2.		
Regulatory	□ NOIRA	□ Emergency Rule
Stage	Proposed Rule	□ Fast-Track Rule
(check one box)	□ Final Rule	
Additional	Expedited Rule	⊠ Guidance Document
Description	Exempt Rule	
Legal Authority	\Box Action required by federal statute	☑ Discretionary action
	□ Action required by state statute	
Deregulatory	Allows drone delivery services to operate in Virginia without using the	
Component	Board of Pharmacy's pilot program procedures, which are time-	
	consuming.	
Expected Date	July 1, 2023	

Title of Proposed Regulatory Action or Guidance Document Revision of Guidance Document 110-36.		
Brief Overview	nt 110.26 describes compliance requir	emente under Vel Code § 54 1 2410 2
and 18VAC110-20	ent 110-36 describes compliance require 0-170 and -321 with federal USP standa ederal regulation changes will require a	ards for compounding sterile and non-
-	fectiveness of the federal action.	related enange to this guidance
Regulatory Stage (check one box)	 □ NOIRA □ Proposed Rule □ Final Rule 	□ Emergency Rule □ Fast-Track Rule
Additional Description	□ Expedited Rule □ Exempt Rule	⊠ Guidance Document
Legal Authority	□ Action required by federal statute □ Action required by state statute	☑ Discretionary action
Deregulatory Component		
Expected Date	September 5, 2023 or December 6, 20 federal action.	023, depending on effective date of

Title of Proposed Regulatory Action or Guidance Document		
Revision of Guidance Document 110-18.		
Brief Overview		
Standard four-year	r review of Guidance Document 110-18	No major revisions likely, but
grammatical and s	tylistic changes will be made.	
Regulatory	□ NOIRA	Emergency Rule
Stage	□ Proposed Rule	□ Fast-Track Rule
(check one box)	\Box Final Rule	
Additional	□ Expedited Rule	Guidance Document
Description	Exempt Rule	
Legal Authority	\Box Action required by federal statute	☑ Discretionary action
	\Box Action required by state statute	
Deregulatory		
Component		
Expected Date	September 5, 2023	

Title of Proposed Regulatory Action or Guidance Document Revision of Guidance Document 110-44.		
Brief Overview Amend naloxone protocol contained in Guidance Document 110-44 to remove some training requirements and to allow naloxone administration by correctional healthcare staff. This action is pursuant to SB1415 and SB1424, Chapters 631 and 116 of the 2023 Acts of Assembly, respectively.		
Regulatory Stage (check one box)	□ NOIRA □ Proposed Rule □ Final Rule	□ Emergency Rule □ Fast-Track Rule
Additional Description	Expedited Rule Exempt Rule	⊠ Guidance Document
Legal Authority	☐ Action required by federal statute ☐ Action required by state statute	⊠ Discretionary action
Deregulatory Component Expected Date	September 5, 2023	

Review and amendment of Guidance Document 110-21, Sanction Reference Points Manual.

Brief Overview

The Board will review and possibly amend Guidance Document 110-21, Sanction Reference Points Manual. This document and its changes are subject to completion of data analysis and review by outside vendor regarding standard disciplinary actions for certain violations. If the data analysis and review is completed in FY2024, the Board will adopt the revised document.

Regulatory Stage (check one box)	□ NOIRA □ Proposed Rule □ Final Rule	□ Emergency Rule □ Fast-Track Rule
Additional	□ Expedited Rule	⊠ Guidance Document
Description	Exempt Rule	
Legal Authority	\Box Action required by federal statute	☑ Discretionary action
	\Box Action required by state statute	
Deregulatory		
Component		
Expected Date	FY2024	

Title of Proposed Regulatory Action or Guidance Document			
Revision of Guida	Revision of Guidance Document 110-22.		
Brief Overview			
~	r review of Guidance Document 110-22		
	uding deletion of six pages of copied ar		
that is likely out of	f date and should not be repeated in a g	uidance document.	
Regulatory	□ NOIRA	□ Emergency Rule	
Stage	□ Proposed Rule	□ Fast-Track Rule	
(check one box)	□ Final Rule		
Additional	□ Expedited Rule	⊠ Guidance Document	
Description	Exempt Rule		
Legal Authority	\Box Action required by federal statute	☑ Discretionary action	
	\Box Action required by state statute		
Deregulatory			
Component			
Expected Date	March or June 2024		

Title of Proposed	Title of Proposed Regulatory Action or Guidance Document		
Revision of Guida	Revision of Guidance Document 110-23.		
Brief Overview			
•	r review of Guidance Document 110-23		
will be made, and	list of violations that may be included i	in a consent order may be updated.	
Regulatory	□ NOIRA	□ Emergency Rule	
Stage	Proposed Rule	□ Fast-Track Rule	
(check one box)	□ Final Rule		
Additional	Expedited Rule	⊠ Guidance Document	
Description	Exempt Rule		
Legal Authority	□ Action required by federal statute	☑ Discretionary action	
	\Box Action required by state statute		
Deregulatory			
Component			
Expected Date	March or June 2024		

Title of Proposed Regulatory Action or Guidance Document		
Revision of Guidance Document 110-46.		
Brief Overview		
•	r review of Guidance Document 110-46	
will be made, inclu	uding deletion of copied and pasted stat	tutory text.
Regulatory	□ NOIRA	Emergency Rule
Stage	Proposed Rule	□ Fast-Track Rule
(check one box)	□ Final Rule	
Additional	Expedited Rule	⊠ Guidance Document
Description	Exempt Rule	
Legal Authority	\Box Action required by federal statute	☑ Discretionary action
	\Box Action required by state statute	
Deregulatory		
Component		
Expected Date	December 6, 2023	

Title of Proposed Regulatory Action or Guidance Document			
Repeal of Guidance	Repeal of Guidance Document 110-48.		
Brief Overview			
Repeal of guidance	e document related to pharmaceutical p	processors.	
Regulatory	□ NOIRA	□ Emergency Rule	
Stage	□ Proposed Rule	□ Fast-Track Rule	
(check one box)	□ Final Rule		
Additional		⊠ Cuidan as De sum ant	
	□ Expedited Rule	Guidance Document	
Description	Exempt Rule		
Legal Authority	\Box Action required by federal statute	☑ Discretionary action	
	\Box Action required by state statute		
Deregulatory	Repeal of guidance document		
Component			
Expected Date	March 2024		

Title of Proposed Regulatory Action or Guidance Document		
Revision of Guidance Document 110-49.		
Brief Overview		
	r review of Guidance Document 110-49	, e
will be made, inclu	uding deletion of copied and pasted stat	tutory text.
Regulatory	□ NOIRA	Emergency Rule
Stage	Proposed Rule	□ Fast-Track Rule
(check one box)	□ Final Rule	
Additional	□ Expedited Rule	⊠ Guidance Document
Description	1	
-	Exempt Rule	
Legal Authority	\Box Action required by federal statute	☑ Discretionary action
	\Box Action required by state statute	
Deregulatory		
Component		
Expected Date	December 6, 2023	

Title of Proposed Regulatory Action or Guidance Document			
Revision of Guida	Revision of Guidance Document 110-9.		
D 1 4 0			
Brief Overview			
	ent 110-9 provides a listing of pharmacy	1	
1	proved for those deficiencies by the Bo	0	
.	deral legislation, federal regulatory cha		
FDA), and Virgini	a statutory changes. It is reviewed at al	most every Board meeting for	
necessary revision	<u>s.</u>		
Regulatory	□ NOIRA	□ Emergency Rule	
Stage	Proposed Rule	□ Fast-Track Rule	
(check one box)	\Box Final Rule		
Additional	□ Expedited Rule	Guidance Document	
Description	□ Exempt Rule		
Legal Authority	□ Action required by federal statute	☑ Discretionary action	
	\Box Action required by state statute		
Deregulatory			
Component			
Expected Date	September 5, 2023, December 6, 2023	3, March 2024, June 2024	

Title of Proposed	Title of Proposed Regulatory Action or Guidance Document		
Revision of Guidance Document 112-1.			
Brief Overview			
5	r review of Guidance Document 112-1.	3 6	
anticipated, gramn	natical and stylistic changes will be ma	de.	
	1		
Regulatory	□ NOIRA	□ Emergency Rule	
Stage	Proposed Rule	□ Fast-Track Rule	
(check one box)	□ Final Rule		
Additional	Expedited Rule	I Guidance Document	
Description	□ Exempt Rule		
Legal Authority	\Box Action required by federal statute	☑ Discretionary action	
	\Box Action required by state statute		
Deregulatory			
Component			
Expected Date	August 10 or November 9, 2023		

Review and amendment of Guidance Document 112-17, Sanction Reference Points Manual.

Brief Overview

The Board will review and possibly amend Guidance Document 112-7, Sanction Reference Points Manual. This document and its changes are subject to completion of data analysis and review by outside vendor regarding standard disciplinary actions for certain violations. If the data analysis and review is completed in FY2024, the Board will adopt the revised document.

Regulatory Stage (check one box)	□ NOIRA □ Proposed Rule □ Final Rule	□ Emergency Rule □ Fast-Track Rule
Additional	□ Expedited Rule	⊠ Guidance Document
Description	Exempt Rule	
Legal Authority	\Box Action required by federal statute	☑ Discretionary action
	\Box Action required by state statute	
Deregulatory		
Component		
Expected Date	FY2024	

Title of Proposed Regulatory Action or Guidance Document			
Revision of Guida	Revision of Guidance Document 112-23.		
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Brief Overview			
Standard four-year	r review of Guidance Document 112-23	3.	
Regulatory	□ NOIRA	□ Emergency Rule	
Stage	□ Proposed Rule	□ Fast-Track Rule	
(check one box)	□ Final Rule		
Additional	□ Expedited Rule	Guidance Document	
Description	Exempt Rule		
Legal Authority	\Box Action required by federal statute	☑ Discretionary action	
	\Box Action required by state statute		
Deregulatory			
Component			
Expected Date	2024		

Title of Proposed Regulatory Action or Guidance Document		
Revision of Guidance Document 112-3.		
Brief Overview		
	r review of Guidance Document 112-3.	
•	including removal of large blocks of qu	otations of statutory and regulatory
language.		
Regulatory	□ NOIRA	□ Emergency Rule
Stage	Proposed Rule	□ Fast-Track Rule
(check one box)	□ Final Rule	
Additional	□ Expedited Rule	⊠ Guidance Document
Description	Exempt Rule	
Legal Authority	□ Action required by federal statute	☑ Discretionary action
	\Box Action required by state statute	
Deregulatory		
Component		
Expected Date	2024	

Title of Proposed Regulatory Action or Guidance Document			
Repeal of Guidance	Repeal of Guidance Document 112-7.		
Brief Overview			
-	peal Guidance Document 112-7. Legisl	0	
have made the info	ormation contained in this guidance doe	cument obsolete.	
Regulatory	□ NOIRA	□ Emergency Rule	
Stage	□ Proposed Rule	□ Fast-Track Rule	
(check one box)	□ Final Rule		
Additional	□ Expedited Rule	⊠ Guidance Document	
Description	\Box Exempt Rule		
Legal Authority	\Box Action required by federal statute	⊠ Discretionary action	
	□ Action required by state statute	-	
Deregulatory	Repeal of guidance document		
Component			
Expected Date	August 10, 2023		

Review and amendment of Guidance Document 125-5.2, Sanction Reference Points Manual.

Brief Overview

The Board will review and possibly amend Guidance Document 125-5.2, Sanction Reference Points Manual. This document and its changes are subject to completion of data analysis and review by outside vendor regarding standard disciplinary actions for certain violations. If the data analysis and review is completed in FY2024, the Board will adopt the revised document.

Regulatory Stage (check one box)	□ NOIRA □ Proposed Rule □ Final Rule	□ Emergency Rule □ Fast-Track Rule
Additional	□ Expedited Rule	⊠ Guidance Document
Description	□ Exempt Rule	
Legal Authority	\Box Action required by federal statute	☑ Discretionary action
	\Box Action required by state statute	
Deregulatory		
Component		
Expected Date	FY2024	

Title of Proposed Regulatory Action or Guidance Document		
Review of Guidance Document 140-11		
Brief Overview		
-	r review of Guidance Document 140-11	. Guidance document will be revised
to aid readability.		
	1	
Regulatory	□ NOIRA	□ Emergency Rule
Stage	Proposed Rule	□ Fast-Track Rule
(check one box)	□ Final Rule	
Additional	□ Expedited Rule	Guidance Document
Description	Exempt Rule	
Legal Authority	\Box Action required by federal statute	☑ Discretionary action
	\Box Action required by state statute	
Deregulatory		
Component		
Expected Date	August 18, 2023	

Title of Proposed	Title of Proposed Regulatory Action or Guidance Document		
Review of Guidance Document 140-2			
Brief Overview			
•	r review of Guidance Document 140-2.	Guidance document will be revised	
to aid readability.			
Regulatory	□ NOIRA	□ Emergency Rule	
Stage	□ Proposed Rule	□ Fast-Track Rule	
(check one box)	□ Final Rule		
Additional	□ Expedited Rule	Guidance Document	
Description	Exempt Rule		
Legal Authority	\Box Action required by federal statute	☑ Discretionary action	
	\Box Action required by state statute		
Deregulatory			
Component			
Expected Date	August 18 or November 3, 2023		

Review and amendment of Guidance Document 140-8, Sanction Reference Points Manual.

Brief Overview

The Board will review and possibly amend Guidance Document 140-8, Sanction Reference Points Manual. This document and its changes are subject to completion of data analysis and review by outside vendor regarding standard disciplinary actions for certain violations. If the data analysis and review is completed in FY2024, the Board will adopt the revised document.

Regulatory Stage (check one box)	□ NOIRA □ Proposed Rule □ Final Rule	□ Emergency Rule □ Fast-Track Rule
Additional Description	Expedited Rule Ensure Park	⊠ Guidance Document
Legal Authority	 Exempt Rule Action required by federal statute 	☑ Discretionary action
	\Box Action required by state statute	
Deregulatory		
Component		
Expected Date	FY2024	

Creation of Guidance Document 150-6, listing applicable sections of Code to regulants of the Board

Brief Overview

The Board will adopt a guidance document providing applicable Code provisions for licensees of the Board of Veterinary Medicine, including Code provisions from other titles, such as those in 32.1.

Regulatory Stage (check one box)	□ NOIRA □ Proposed Rule □ Final Rule	□ Emergency Rule □ Fast-Track Rule
Additional	□ Expedited Rule	⊠ Guidance Document
Description	🗆 Exempt Rule	
Legal Authority	\Box Action required by federal statute	☑ Discretionary action
	\Box Action required by state statute	
Deregulatory		
Component		
Expected Date	FY2024	

Title of Proposed Regulatory Action or Guidance Document		
Review of Guidance Document 150-1		
Brief Overview		
Standard four-year	r review of Guidance Document 150-1.	Guidance document will be revised
to aid readability a	and remove copied and pasted statutory	text.
Regulatory	□ NOIRA	Emergency Rule
Stage	Proposed Rule	□ Fast-Track Rule
(check one box)	□ Final Rule	
Additional	□ Expedited Rule	Guidance Document
Description	Exempt Rule	
Legal Authority	\Box Action required by federal statute	☑ Discretionary action
	\Box Action required by state statute	
Deregulatory		
Component		
Expected Date	July 28, 2023	

Title of Proposed	Title of Proposed Regulatory Action or Guidance Document		
Review of Guidance Document 150-11			
Brief Overview			
•	r review of Guidance Document 150-11		
to aid readability a	and remove copied and pasted statutory	and regulatory text.	
Regulatory	□ NOIRA	□ Emergency Rule	
Stage	Proposed Rule	□ Fast-Track Rule	
(check one box)	□ Final Rule		
Additional	□ Expedited Rule	⊠ Guidance Document	
Description	□ Exempt Rule		
Legal Authority		Discretion and action	
Legal Authority	\Box Action required by federal statute	☑ Discretionary action	
	□ Action required by state statute		
Deregulatory			
Component			
Expected Date	July 28, 2023		

Title of Proposed Regulatory Action or Guidance Document		
Review of Guidance Document 150-2		
Brief Overview		
	r review of Guidance Document 150-2.	
to aid readability a	and remove copied and pasted statutory	and regulatory text.
Regulatory	□ NOIRA	□ Emergency Rule
Stage	Proposed Rule	□ Fast-Track Rule
(check one box)	□ Final Rule	
Additional	Expedited Rule	Guidance Document
Description	Exempt Rule	
Legal Authority	\Box Action required by federal statute	☑ Discretionary action
	\Box Action required by state statute	
Deregulatory		
Component		
Expected Date	July 28, 2023	

Title of Proposed	Title of Proposed Regulatory Action or Guidance Document		
Review of Guidan	Review of Guidance Document 150-5		
Brief Overview			
	r review of Guidance Document 150-5.		
to aid readability a	and remove copied and pasted statutory	and regulatory text.	
Regulatory	□ NOIRA	□ Emergency Rule	
Stage	Proposed Rule	□ Fast-Track Rule	
(check one box)	□ Final Rule		
Additional	Expedited Rule	Guidance Document	
Description	Exempt Rule		
Legal Authority	\Box Action required by federal statute	☑ Discretionary action	
	\Box Action required by state statute		
Deregulatory			
Component			
Expected Date	July 28, 2023		

Review and amendment of Guidance Document 150-17, Sanction Reference Points Manual.

Brief Overview

The Board will review and possibly amend Guidance Document 150-17, Sanction Reference Points Manual. This document and its changes are subject to completion of data analysis and review by outside vendor regarding standard disciplinary actions for certain violations. If the data analysis and review is completed in FY2024, the Board will adopt the revised document.

Regulatory Stage (check one box)	□ NOIRA □ Proposed Rule □ Final Rule	□ Emergency Rule □ Fast-Track Rule
Additional Description	Expedited Rule Ensure Park	⊠ Guidance Document
Legal Authority	 Exempt Rule Action required by federal statute 	☑ Discretionary action
	\Box Action required by state statute	
Deregulatory		
Component		
Expected Date	FY2024	

Title of Proposed Regulatory Action or Guidance Document			
Creation of a new	Creation of a new Guidance Document regarding veterinarians-in-charge.		
Brief Overview			
	aft a new guidance document covering	1	
veterinarian-in-cha	arge of a registered veterinary establish	ment.	
Regulatory	□ NOIRA	□ Emergency Rule	
Stage	Proposed Rule	□ Fast-Track Rule	
(check one box)	□ Final Rule		
Additional	□ Expedited Rule	Guidance Document	
Description	Exempt Rule		
Legal Authority	\Box Action required by federal statute	☑ Discretionary action	
	\Box Action required by state statute		
Deregulatory			
Component			
Expected Date	FY2024		

Title of Proposed Regulatory Action or Guidance Document		
Review of Guidance Document 150-4, "Chip" clinics outside of approved facilities.		
Brief Overview		
	view and possibly revise Guidance Doc	ument 150-4 based on current laws
and regulations.		
Regulatory	□ NOIRA	Emergency Rule
Stage	Proposed Rule	□ Fast-Track Rule
(check one box)	□ Final Rule	
Additional	□ Expedited Rule	Guidance Document
Description	□ Exempt Rule	
Legal Authority	□ Action required by federal statute	☑ Discretionary action
	\Box Action required by state statute	
Deregulatory		
Component		
Expected Date	FY2024	

Title of Proposed Regulatory Action or Guidance Document Review of Guidance Document 150-8, disposition of cases involving practice on expired		
license or permit.		
Brief Overview		
The Board will rev	view and possibly revise Guidance Doc	ument 150-8 based on recent Board
actions for case ty	pes address in the guidance document.	
Regulatory	□ NOIRA	Emergency Rule
Stage	Proposed Rule	□ Fast-Track Rule
(check one box)	□ Final Rule	
Additional	□ Expedited Rule	⊠ Guidance Document
Description	Exempt Rule	
Legal Authority	\Box Action required by federal statute	☑ Discretionary action
	\Box Action required by state statute	
Deregulatory		
Component		
Expected Date	FY2024	

Title of Proposed Regulatory Action or Guidance Document Review of Guidance Document 150-9, content of a medical record.		
Brief Overview The Board will review and possibly revise Guidance Document 150-9 to include additional guidance based on recent Board disciplinary actions for case types address in the guidance document.		
Regulatory Stage (check one box)	□ NOIRA □ Proposed Rule □ Final Rule	□ Emergency Rule □ Fast-Track Rule
Additional Description	□ Expedited Rule □ Exempt Rule	I Guidance Document
Legal Authority	☐ Action required by federal statute ☐ Action required by state statute	☑ Discretionary action
Deregulatory Component Expected Date	FY2024	

Title of Proposed Regulatory Action or Guidance Document		
Review of Guidance Document 150-13, controlled substances in veterinary practices.		
Brief Overview		
	view and possibly revise Guidance Doc	ument 150-13 to include additional
guidance related to	b handling of controlled substances.	
Regulatory	□ NOIRA	□ Emergency Rule
Stage	Proposed Rule	□ Fast-Track Rule
(check one box)	□ Final Rule	
Additional	□ Expedited Rule	Guidance Document
Description	Exempt Rule	
Legal Authority	\Box Action required by federal statute	☑ Discretionary action
	\Box Action required by state statute	
Deregulatory		
Component		
Expected Date	FY2024	

Review of Guidance Document 150-15, disposition of routine inspection violations.

Brief Overview

The Board will review and possibly revise Guidance Document 150-15 to include additional guidance based on recent Board disciplinary actions for case types address in the guidance document.

Regulatory Stage (check one box)	□ NOIRA □ Proposed Rule □ Final Rule	□ Emergency Rule □ Fast-Track Rule
Additional	Expedited Rule	⊠ Guidance Document
Description	□ Exempt Rule	
Legal Authority	\Box Action required by federal statute	⊠ Discretionary action
	\Box Action required by state statute	
Deregulatory		
Component		
Expected Date	FY2024	

Title of Proposed Regulatory Action or Guidance Document		
Review of Guidance Document 150-21, FAQs related to the PMP.		
Brief Overview		
	view and possibly revise Guidance Doc	ument 150-21 to include additional
guidance related to	o questions received about the PMP.	
Regulatory	□ NOIRA	□ Emergency Rule
Stage	Proposed Rule	□ Fast-Track Rule
(check one box)	□ Final Rule	
Additional	Expedited Rule	I Guidance Document
Description	□ Exempt Rule	
Legal Authority	\Box Action required by federal statute	☑ Discretionary action
	\Box Action required by state statute	
Deregulatory		
Component		
Expected Date	FY2024	

Title of Proposed Regulatory Action or Guidance Document		
Review of Guidance Document 150-26, guidance on the regulations for veterinary		
establishments.		
Brief Overview		
The Board will rev	view and possibly revise Guidance Doc	ument 150-26 to include additional
guidance on the re	gulations related to veterinary establish	iments.
Regulatory	□ NOIRA	Emergency Rule
Stage	□ Proposed Rule	□ Fast-Track Rule
(check one box)	\Box Final Rule	
Additional	□ Expedited Rule	Guidance Document
Description	□ Exempt Rule	
Legal Authority	□ Action required by federal statute	☑ Discretionary action
	\Box Action required by state statute	
Deregulatory		
Component		
Expected Date	FY2024	

Review of Guidance Document 76-21.2:1, inspection report for veterinary establishments.

Brief Overview

The Board will review Guidance Document 76-21.2:1 to update the inspection report for veterinary establishments. The Board will consider updating this document to reflect the Board of Funeral inspection documents, which are forms rather than guidance documents.

Regulatory	□ NOIRA	□ Emergency Rule
Stage	□ Proposed Rule	□ Fast-Track Rule
(check one box)	□ Final Rule	
Additional	□ Expedited Rule	⊠ Guidance Document
Description	Exempt Rule	
Legal Authority	□ Action required by federal statute	☑ Discretionary action
	□ Action required by state statute	
Deregulatory		
Component		
Expected Date	FY2024	

Title of Proposed Regulatory Action or Guidance Document Possible revision of Guidance Document 150-12, Administration of Rabies Vaccinations. **Brief Overview** The Board will review and possibly revise Guidance Document 150-12 to include VDH interpretation of requirements for a veterinarian's "signature" on a rabies certification. This change would be at the request of VDH. Regulatory □ NOIRA □ Emergency Rule Stage \Box Proposed Rule □ Fast-Track Rule (check one box) □ Final Rule Additional \Box Expedited Rule ⊠ Guidance Document Description \Box Exempt Rule Legal Authority \Box Action required by federal statute \boxtimes Discretionary action \Box Action required by state statute Deregulatory Component **Expected Date** FY2024

Department of Historic Resources (DHR) / Total = 6

Title of Proposed Regulatory Action or Guidance Document		
6471 Historical African American Cemetery and Graves Fund Program Manual		
Brief Overview		
Guidance docume	nt to assist applicants for cemetery func	ling, revised to reflect recent
legislative revisior	18.	
Change: 2023 upd	lates.	
§10.1-2211.2		
Regulatory	□ NOIRA	□ Emergency Rule
Stage	□ Proposed Rule	□ Fast-Track Rule
(check one box)	□ Final Rule	
Additional	Expedited Rule	I Guidance Document
Description	Exempt Rule	
Legal Authority	□ Action required by federal statute	☑ Discretionary action
	□ Action required by state statute	
Deregulatory	N/A	
Component		
Expected Date	7/2023	

Title of Proposed Regulatory Action or Guidance Document		
7512 Historic Rehabilitation Tax Credit Guidance Documents		
Brief Overview		
Written guidance i	ntended for applicants pursuing rehabil	litation tax credits.
Change: minor ed	its for clarity of text. Addition of instru	uctions for electronic submission of
the Federal Progra	m's application materials.	
VAC30 Historic R	ehabilitation Tax Credit	
Regulatory	□ NOIRA	Emergency Rule
Stage	Proposed Rule	□ Fast-Track Rule
(check one box)	\Box Final Rule	
Additional	□ Expedited Rule	Guidance Document
Description	□ Exempt Rule	
Legal Authority	□ Action required by federal statute	☑ Discretionary action
	□ Action required by state statute	
Deregulatory	Streamlined information and updates for ease of use and clarity.	
Component		
Expected Date	12/2023	

Title of Proposed Regulatory Action or Guidance Document		
5684 Easement Program Information Packet		
Brief Overview		
Overview program	n information on historic preservation e	asements and DHR's program staff.
Change: minor ed	lits for clarification and audience comp	rehension.
VA Code §10.1-2204 and §§10.1-1700 et. seq.		
Regulatory	□ NOIRA	Emergency Rule
Stage	\Box Proposed Rule	□ Fast-Track Rule
(check one box)	□ Final Rule	
Additional	Expedited Rule	I Guidance Document
Description	Exempt Rule	
Legal Authority	\Box Action required by federal statute	☑ Discretionary action
	\Box Action required by state statute	
Deregulatory	Streamlined information	
Component		
Expected Date	3/2024	

Title of Proposed Regulatory Action or Guidance Document			
4630 Historic Pres	4630 Historic Preservation Easement Program Policies 1-12		
Brief Overview			
Document of all B	oard-approved policies that guide DHF	A's Easement Program.	
Change: updates t	to Easement Program Recordkeeping (#	#8) and Easement Requirements (#9)	
policies.			
VA Code §10.1-2	204 and §§10.1-1700 et. seq.		
Regulatory	□ NOIRA	□ Emergency Rule	
Stage	Proposed Rule	□ Fast-Track Rule	
(check one box)	□ Final Rule		
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Additional	□ Expedited Rule	Guidance Document	
Description	Exempt Rule		
Legal Authority	\Box Action required by federal statute	☑ Discretionary action	
	\Box Action required by state statute		
Deregulatory	Streamlined information		
Component			
Expected Date	06/2024		

Title of Proposed	Title of Proposed Regulatory Action or Guidance Document		
4642 Virginia Battlefield Preservation Fund Guidelines for Applications, Prioritization, and			
Award of Grants			
Brief Overview			
Document of guida	ance related to the grant application pro	cess for the Virginia Battlefield	
Fund.			
Change: Updates r	elated to program administration, appli	cation evaluation and funding	
timelines.			
VA Code §10.1-2	204		
Regulatory	□ NOIRA	□ Emergency Rule	
Stage	Proposed Rule	□ Fast-Track Rule	
(check one box)	□ Final Rule		
Additional	□ Expedited Rule	I Guidance Document	
Description	□ Exempt Rule		
Legal Authority	□ Action required by federal statute	☑ Discretionary action	
	\Box Action required by state statute	-	
Deregulatory	Streamlined information		
Component			
Expected Date	06/2024		

Title of Proposed	Title of Proposed Regulatory Action or Guidance Document		
7513 Historic Reh	abilitation Tax Credit Financial Report	Guidance and Templates	
Brief Overview			
Written financial g	guidance intended for applicants pursuin	ng rehabilitation tax credits.	
Change: Edits for	clarity of text and process. Addition o	f instructions for electronic	
submission of the	Federal Program's application material	s. Updating of financial	
	nplates for ease of use and clarity.		
VAC30 Historic R	ehabilitation Tax Credit		
Regulatory	□ NOIRA	□ Emergency Rule	
Stage	Proposed Rule	□ Fast-Track Rule	
(check one box)	□ Final Rule		
Additional	Expedited Rule	⊠ Guidance Document	
Description	□ Exempt Rule		
Legal Authority	\Box Action required by federal statute	⊠ Discretionary action	
	□ Action required by state statute		
Deregulatory	Streamlined information and updates for ease of use and clarity.		
Component			
Expected Date	12/2023		

Department of Housing and Community Development (DHCD) / Total = 8

Action/Stage or Guidance Document Forum ID (if available)		
-	Regulatory Action or Guidance Doc	
Commission on Lo	ocal Government Guidance Document	Updates
Brief Overview CLG staff will consider changes to streamline the commission's guidance documents (all documents).		
Regulatory	□ NOIRA	Emergency Rule
Stage	□ Proposed Rule	□ Fast-Track Rule
(check one box)	□ Final Rule	
Additional	Expedited Rule	I Guidance Document
Description	□ Exempt Rule	
Legal Authority	□ Action required by federal statute	☑ Discretionary action
	\Box Action required by state statute	
Deregulatory	Streamline guidance documents.	
Component		
Expected Date	August 2023	

Action/Stage or Guidance Document Forum ID (if available)		
Title of Proposed Regulatory Action or Guidance Document Virginia Telecommunication Initiative (VATI) Program Guidelines		
Brief Overview The budget language enabling the VATI program (Item 115 L 2, 2022 Special Session I Budget) requires DHCD to create program guidelines. Through a significant public engagement process, DHCD updates program guidelines on a regular basis to ensure efficient use of state resources and to ensure all new legislative objectives are being achieved.		
Regulatory Stage (check one box)	□ NOIRA □ Proposed Rule □ Final Rule	□ Emergency Rule □ Fast-Track Rule
Additional Description	□ Expedited Rule □ Exempt Rule	⊠ Guidance Document
Legal Authority	☐ Action required by federal statute ⊠ Action required by state statute	□ Discretionary action
Deregulatory Component Expected Date	Update to include stakeholder input a legislation. August 2023	nd comply with the most recent

Action/Stage or Guidance Document Forum ID (if available)		
Title of Proposed Regulatory Action or Guidance Document Affordable and Special Needs Housing Program Guidelines		
Brief Overview This document provides program guidelines for certain DHCD Housing programs, including the Virginia Housing Trust Fund.		
Regulatory Stage (check one box)	 □ NOIRA □ Proposed Rule □ Final Rule 	□ Emergency Rule □ Fast-Track Rule
Additional Description	 Expedited Rule Exempt Rule 	⊠ Guidance Document
Legal Authority	☐ Action required by federal statute ☐ Action required by state statute	⊠ Discretionary action
Deregulatory Component Expected Date	Update to improve program administration and an effort to decrease reapplication, as well as provide more appropriate funding amounts. August 2023	

Action/Stage or Guidance Document Forum ID (if available)		
Title of Proposed	Regulatory Action or Guidance Doc	ument
Virginia Broadban	nd Availability Map Internet Service Pr	ovider Service Territory Data
Submission Guide	lines	
Brief Overview		
Section P of Item	115 (2022) of the Budget Bill directs D	HCD to develop a statewide
	ility map indicating broadband coverag	
-	n service territories in Virginia. As dire	0
	shall be required to submit updated serv	
	tions to which they provide broadband	
1	service provider service territory data su	ubmission guidelines in order to
create the statewide availability map.		
Regulatory	□ NOIRA	□ Emergency Rule
Stage	□ Proposed Rule	□ Fast-Track Rule
(check one box)	□ Final Rule	
Additional	□ Expedited Rule	Guidance Document
Description	Exempt Rule	
Legal Authority	\Box Action required by federal statute	□ Discretionary action
	\boxtimes Action required by state statute	
Deregulatory	Update to include stakeholder input and comply with most recent	
Component	legislation.	
Expected Date	October 2023	

Title of Proposed Regulatory Action or Guidance Document Virginia Enterprise Zone Job Creation Grant Instruction Manual

Brief Overview - This manual provides instructions for qualifying for the Enterprise Zone (EZ) Job Creation Grant (JCG), which is part of the Enterprise Zone Grant Program (13VAC5-112). It has been compiled for the applicant (the business firm) and addresses the applicant's responsibilities in completing the application materials. BHCD adopts regulations regarding the EZ Grant Program.

Regulatory Stage (check one box)	□ NOIRA □ Proposed Rule □ Final Rule	□ Emergency Rule □ Fast-Track Rule
Additional Description	□ Expedited Rule □ Exempt Rule	⊠ Guidance Document
Legal Authority	 □ Action required by federal statute □ Action required by state statute 	☑ Discretionary action
Deregulatory Component	Yearly update to improve program administration.	
Expected Date	January 2024	

Title of Proposed Regulatory Action or Guidance Document Virginia Enterprise Zone Real Property Improvement Grant Instruction Manual

Brief Overview - This manual provides instructions for qualifying for the EZ Real Property Improvement Grant (JCG), which is part of the Enterprise Zone Grant Program (13VAC5-112). It has been compiled for the applicant (the business firm) and addresses the applicant's responsibilities in completing the application materials. BHCD adopts regulations regarding the EZ Grant Program.

Regulatory Stage (check one box)	□ NOIRA □ Proposed Rule □ Final Rule	 Emergency Rule Fast-Track Rule
Additional Description	 Expedited Rule Exempt Rule 	⊠ Guidance Document
Legal Authority	☐ Action required by federal statute ☐ Action required by state statute	☑ Discretionary action
Deregulatory Component	Yearly update to improve program administration.	
Expected Date	January 2024	

Action/Stage or Guidance Document Forum ID (if available)		
Title of Proposed	Regulatory Action or Guidance Doc	ument
Virginia Enterprise	e Zone CPA Agreed Upon Procedures	Manual
	This document provides instructions for	
	d by DHCD. These procedures test and	1
1	nvestor as to their qualification to recei	
<u> </u>	SVAC5-112). The findings from these p	
-	. This report is a required application c	omponent for both the Job Creation
Grant and Real Pro	operty Investment Grant.	
Regulatory	□ NOIRA	Emergency Rule
Stage	Proposed Rule	□ Fast-Track Rule
(check one box)	\Box Final Rule	
Additional	□ Expedited Rule	Guidance Document
Description	□ Exempt Rule	
Legal Authority	□ Action required by federal statute	☑ Discretionary action
	\Box Action required by state statute	
Deregulatory	Yearly update to improve program administration.	
Component		
Expected Date	January 2024	

Title of Proposed Regulatory Action or Guidance Document Virginia Enterprise Zone Local Zone Administrators Manual

Brief Overview - While DHCD administers the statewide Enterprise Zone program, the dayto-day administration of a designated zone is the responsibility of the participating jurisdiction. Each locality is required to designate a local zone administrator who is responsible for administering, managing and marketing the locality's zone(s). This document is a program manual for local zone administrators

manual for focal Z	one administrators.	
Regulatory	□ NOIRA	□ Emergency Rule
Stage	Proposed Rule	□ Fast-Track Rule
(check one box)	□ Final Rule	
Additional	Expedited Rule	⊠ Guidance Document
Description	Exempt Rule	
Legal Authority	\Box Action required by federal statute	☑ Discretionary action
	\Box Action required by state statute	
Deregulatory	Yearly update to improve program administration.	
Component		
Expected Date	January 2024	

Department of Juvenile Justice/ Total = 5

Action/Stage or G	Action/Stage or Guidance Document Forum ID (if available)		
Guidance Docume	Guidance Document Forum ID 2231		
Title of Proposed	Regulatory Action or Guidance Doc	cument	
Revise the Virgini	a Community Crime Control Act Manu	ual Guidance Document	
Brief Overview			
DJJ proposes to update the VJCCCA Manual, which was last revised in 2014. The proposed revisions include language describing a 2019 legislative change that modified the VJCCCA statute to allow resources for youth who are not currently involved in the juvenile justice system but who have been screened for needing community diversion or community-based services using an approved assessment protocol. This change allows localities who elect to participate to use VJCCCA funding for prevention services. Additionally, the proposed revision updates language and formatting to make the document clearer, more concise, and more user friendly. Finally, the revised manual includes hyperlinks to provide easier access to			
Regulatory	f the Code of Virginia, regulations, and \Box NOIRA	Emergency or	
Stage		Emergency/NOIRA	
(check one box)	□ Final	\Box Revised Proposed	
		□ Fast-Track	
Additional	Expedited Review Requested	Guidance Document	
Description	□ Exempt Action		
Legal Authority	□ Action required by federal statute	☑ Discretionary action	
	\Box Action required by state statute		
Deregulatory	This revision will reduce the size of the guidance document by		
Component	approximately half by streamlining the information. The largest reductions		
	will come from eliminating restateme		
	instead to provide hyperlinks to the V		
		will have the added benefit of ensuring users have access to the most up-	
Ermonted Data	to-date regulatory language.		
Expected Date	September 1, 2023		

0	Action/Stage or Guidance Document Forum ID (if available)		
	Not Available		
_	Regulatory Action or Guidance Doc		
	Compliance Manual for the Regulation	Governing Juvenile Secure	
Detention Centers			
Brief Overview			
	o amend the Compliance Manual for th	•	
	Centers. The document governs all com		
	sed amendments will provide interpreti	ve guidance to staff in JDCs and the	
department's Certi	department's Certification Unit.		
Regulatory	□ NOIRA	\Box Emergency or	
Stage	□ Proposed	Emergency/NOIRA	
(check one box)	\Box Final	□ Revised Proposed	
		□ Fast-Track	
Additional	Expedited Review Requested	⊠ Guidance Document	
Description	□ Exempt Action		
Legal Authority	□ Action required by federal statute	☑ Discretionary action	
	\Box Action required by state statute		
Deregulatory	The proposed amendments will align with changes and reductions to		
Component	6VAC35-101. Additionally, proposed changes will shorten and simplify		
_	the document by removing extraneous purpose statements and unnecessary		
	rationales, as well as repetitive language.		
Expected Date	March 1, 2024 (contingent on proposed changes to 6VAC35-101		
	completing the Final Stage by this date)		

Action/Stage or Guidance Document Forum ID (if available)			
N/A	N/A		
Title of Proposed	Regulatory Action or Guidance Doc	rument	
Action to Amend	Compliance Manual for the Regulation	Governing Juvenile Group Homes	
and Halfway Hous	ses (6VAC35-41)		
Brief Overview			
	to amend the Compliance Manual for the		
-	Halfway Houses. The document gover	1 0	
•	ed, in part, by the Virginia Juvenile Co	•	
-	ents will provide interpretive guidance	to staff in such facilities and in the	
department's Certi	department's Certification Unit.		
Regulatory	□ NOIRA	\Box Emergency or	
Stage	□ Proposed	Emergency/NOIRA	
(check one box)	□ Final	□ Revised Proposed	
		□ Fast-Track	
Additional	Expedited Review Requested	⊠ Guidance Document	
Description	□ Exempt Action		
Legal Authority	\Box Action required by federal statute	⊠ Discretionary action	
	\Box Action required by state statute		
Deregulatory	The proposed amendments will align with changes and reductions to		
Component	6VAC35-41. Additionally, proposed changes will shorten and simplify the		
	document by removing extraneous purpose statements and unnecessary		
	rationales, as well as repetitive language.		
Expected Date	May 15, 2024 (contingent on proposed amendments to 6VAC35-41		
	nearing completion of the Final Stage	e by this date).	

Action/Stage or Guidance Document Forum ID (if available)			
Not available			
Title of Proposed	Title of Proposed Regulatory Action or Guidance Document		
Action to Amend	Compliance Manual for the Regulation	Governing Juvenile Correctional	
Centers			
Brief Overview			
This action seeks t	o amend the Compliance Manual for th	ne Regulation Governing Juvenile	
Correctional Cente	ers. The document governs all compliar	nce audits of state and locally	
operated juvenile of	operated juvenile correctional centers, and proposed amendments will provide interpretive		
guidance to staff in	n JCCs and the department's Certificati	on Unit.	
Regulatory	□ NOIRA	\Box Emergency or	
Stage	□ Proposed	Emergency/NOIRA	
(check one box)	\Box Final	□ Revised Proposed	
		□ Fast-Track	
Additional	□ Expedited Review Requested	⊠ Guidance Document	
Description	□ Exempt Action		
Legal Authority	□ Action required by federal statute	☑ Discretionary action	
	\Box Action required by state statute		
Deregulatory	The proposed amendments will align with changes and reductions to		
Component	6VAC35-71. Additionally, proposed changes will shorten and simplify the		
-	document by removing extraneous purpose statements and unnecessary		
	rationales, as well as repetitive language.		
Expected Date	May 15, 2024 (contingent on proposed amendments to 6VAC35-71		
	nearing completion of the Final Stage by this date).		

Action/Stage or C Not available	Action/Stage or Guidance Document Forum ID (if available)		
Title of Proposed Regulatory Action or Guidance Document			
	Guidance Document Interpreting 6VA		
Brief Overview	Suidance Document Interpreting 0 + 1		
This action is inter	nded to modify the guidance document	interpreting the Regulation	
	le Data Requests and Research Proposa	1 0 0	
proposed changes			
Regulatory	□ NOIRA	□ Emergency or	
Stage	□ Proposed	Emergency/NOIRA	
(check one box)	□ Final	□ Revised Proposed	
		□ Fast-Track	
Additional	Expedited Review Requested	I Guidance Document	
Description	□ Exempt Action		
Legal Authority	□ Action required by federal statute	⊠ Discretionary action	
	\Box Action required by state statute		
Deregulatory	Although the department has not com	pleted its review of the guidance	
Component	document or finalized a plan for reduction, the department hopes to align		
	the document with changes to 6VAC35-170, including removing		
	provisions that impose unnecessarily burdensome requirements on		
	researchers and individuals making requests for juvenile data. Additionally		
	the proposal will shorten and simplify the document by removing		
		and striking unnecessary details of the	
	process.		
Expected Date	May 15, 2024 (contingent on proposed changes to 6VAC35-170 nearing		
	completion of the Final Stage by this	date).	

Title of Proposed Regulatory Action or Guidance Document DMAS Provider Manuals and Medicaid Memos **Brief Overview** The Department will release updated provider manuals and Medicaid Memos as needed in SFY2023 to reflect changes in federal and state requirements. Regulatory □ NOIRA □ Emergency Rule Stage □ Fast-Track Rule \Box Proposed Rule (check one box) □ Final Rule Additional \Box Expedited Rule ⊠ Guidance Document Description □ Exempt Rule Legal Authority \boxtimes Action required by federal statute \boxtimes Discretionary action \boxtimes Action required by state statute Deregulatory These guidance documents will communicate important updates to Component providers. **Expected Date** As needed throughout SFY2024

Department of Medical Assistance Services (DMAS) / Total = 1

Department of Military Affairs (DMA) / Total = 1

Action/Stage or Guidance Document Forum ID (If Available)

7250

Title of Proposed Regulatory Action or Guidance Document

Command Policy 22-023; Virginia National Guard State Tuition Assistance Program (VANG-STAP), Potential amendment to this guidance document if requested legislation during the 2024 Session is passed, to reflect those process improvements and administrative process changes for Soldiers and Airmen who use VANGSTAP.

Brief Overview

Pursuant to legislative changes to Virginia Code §23.1-610 effective July 2022, the VNG state tuition assistance program (STAP) changed from a direct pay to colleges/universities to a reimbursement model to NG members. STAP participants are now reimbursed for tuition payments once certain requirements are met. This creates a burden not only on our National Guard members but requires a significant and cumbersome staffing requirement to administer this program.

Regulatory	□ NOIRA	Emergency Rule
Stage	□ Proposed Rule	□ Fast-Track Rule
(check one box)	□ Final Rule	
Additional	□ Expedited Rule	⊠ Guidance Document
Description	□ Exempt Rule	
Legal	\Box Action required by federal	□ Discretionary action
Authority	statute	-
	⊠ Action required by state statute	
Deregulatory	Proposed STAP program changes in 2024 (Tuition Waiver for NG	
Component	members at state schools) will reduce the staffing and administrative	
	footprint and time required to administer the program as it is in its current	
	configuration and will decrease the burden on our Guard members and	
	their families to pay tuition up front and then seek reimbursement of tuition	
	funds paid at the end of each semester.	
Expected Date	If successful, STAP changes will be effective 1 July 2024	

Department of Motor Vehicles (DMV) / Total = 13

Action/Stage or Guidance Document Forum ID (if available) 2213		
Title of Proposed Regulatory Action or Guidance Document DMV Visual Field Policy		
Brief Overview Add "(including but not limited to)" to the "High Risk Ophthalmic Conditions" header on page 1. This change will clarify that the list of High Risk Ophthalmic Conditions in the guidance document is not exhaustive.		
Regulatory Stage (check one box)	□ NOIRA □ Proposed □ Final	 Emergency or Emergency/NOIRA Revised Proposed Fast-Track
Additional Description	□ Expedited Review Requested □ Exempt Action	⊠ Guidance Document
Legal Authority	□ Action required by federal statute □ Action required by state statute	□ Discretionary action
Deregulatory Component	Luly 6, 2022	
Expected Date	July 6, 2023	

Action/Stage or Guidance Document Forum ID (if available) 2214		
Title of Proposed Regulatory Action or Guidance Document DMV Seizure/Blackout Policy		
Brief Overview Change "other" to "or" in the first paragraph under Seizures on page 1. This change will correct a minor typo in the guidance document.		
Regulatory Stage (check one box)	□ NOIRA □ Proposed □ Final	 Emergency or Emergency/NOIRA Revised Proposed Fast-Track
Additional Description	□ Expedited Review Requested □ Exempt Action	⊠ Guidance Document
Legal Authority	 Action required by federal statute Action required by state statute 	□ Discretionary action
Deregulatory Component	L.L. (2022	
Expected Date	July 6, 2023	

Action/Stage or Guidance Document Forum ID (if available) 2215		
Title of Proposed Regulatory Action or Guidance Document DMV Policy for Adaptive Equipment and Certified Driving Rehabilitation Specialist (CDRS) Referrals		
Brief Overview Amend guidance document section regarding minor vehicle modifications that assist individuals in fitting into their vehicle to clarify length of the pedal extender under this section.		
Regulatory Stage (check one box)	□ NOIRA □ Proposed □ Final	 Emergency or Emergency/NOIRA Revised Proposed Fast-Track
Additional Description	 Expedited Review Requested Exempt Action 	⊠ Guidance Document
Legal Authority	☐ Action required by federal statute ☐ Action required by state statute	□ Discretionary action
Deregulatory Component Expected Date	August 3, 2023	

Action/Stage or Guidance Document Forum ID (if available)	
2210	

Title of Proposed Regulatory Action or Guidance Document

Virginia Rider Training Program Training Site License Application

Brief Overview

The document will be revised to account for changes to the motorcycle training program caused by Chapter 361 of the 2023 Acts of Assembly. These changes include removing the sidecar and three-wheeled motorcycle course, adding a three-wheeled motorcycle course, changes to the helmet requirement for motorcycle training courses to allow any lawful motorcycle helmet, and removing the specific motorcycle training course requirements for student-to-instructor ratio, students per range at any one time, and the features of motorcycles used in training. Additionally, DMV has stopped using a contractor to administer certain portions of the motorcycle rider training program and will revise the document to reflect that change

change.		
Regulatory	□ NOIRA	\Box Emergency or Emergency/NOIRA
Stage	□ Proposed	□ Revised Proposed
(check one	□ Final	□ Fast-Track
box)		
Additional	□ Expedited Review Requested	⊠ Guidance Document
Description	Exempt Action	
Legal	\Box Action required by federal statute	□ Discretionary action
Authority	\boxtimes Action required by state statute	
Deregulatory		
Component		
Expected Date	August – September 2023	

Title of Proposed Regulatory Action or Guidance Document

Virginia Motorcycle Rider Training Program, Virginia Rider Training Program Policy and Procedures

Brief Overview

The document will be revised to account for changes to the motorcycle training program caused by Chapter 361 of the 2023 Acts of Assembly. These changes include removing the sidecar and three-wheeled motorcycle course, adding a three-wheeled motorcycle course, and changes to the helmet requirement for motorcycle training courses to allow any lawful motorcycle helmet. Additionally, the document will be revised to include approved and currently available motorcycle rider training curriculum. Finally, DMV has stopped using a contractor to administer certain portions of the motorcycle rider training program and will revise the document to reflect that change.

Regulatory Stage (check one box)	□ NOIRA □ Proposed □ Final	 Emergency or Emergency/NOIRA Revised Proposed Fast-Track
Additional Description	 Expedited Review Requested Exempt Action 	⊠ Guidance Document
Legal Authority	 □ Action required by federal statute ☑ Action required by state statute 	□ Discretionary action
Deregulatory Component	Accessed Constanting 2022	
Expected Date	August – September 2023	

Title of Proposed Regulatory Action or Guidance Document

Requirements for being added to the DMV driver rehabilitation specialists listing

Brief Overview

Establish guidance document detailing the requirements for being added to the DMV driver rehabilitation specialists listing.

Regulatory Stage (check one box)	□ NOIRA □ Proposed □ Final	 Emergency or Emergency/NOIRA Revised Proposed Fast-Track
Additional Description	 Expedited Review Requested Exempt Action 	⊠ Guidance Document
Legal Authority	☐ Action required by federal statute ☐ Action required by state statute	□ Discretionary action
Deregulatory Component		
Expected Date	August – October 2023	

Action/Stage or Guidance Document Forum ID (if available)	
2189	

Title of Proposed Regulatory Action or Guidance Document Personalized License Plate Guidelines and Restrictions

Brief Overview

Amend the portion of the Guidelines for Issuing a Personalized License Plate to provide clearer criteria regarding license plates that reference violence.

Regulatory Stage (check one box)	□ NOIRA □ Proposed □ Final	 Emergency or Emergency/NOIRA Revised Proposed Fast-Track
Additional Description	□ Expedited Review Requested □ Exempt Action	⊠ Guidance Document
Legal Authority	☐ Action required by federal statute ☐ Action required by state statute	□ Discretionary action
Deregulatory Component		
Expected Date	August – September 2023	

Action/Stage or Guidance Document Forum ID (if available)		
Title of Proposed Regulatory Action or Guidance Document Virginia Motor Carrier Manual		
Brief Overview The document will be revised to account for changes resulting from Chapter 242 of the 2023 Acts of Assembly, which cleared up inconsistencies in the financial responsibility requirements that apply to motor carriers transporting property in passenger cars and other smaller vehicles. Specifically, pages 18 and 19 of the guidance document will be updated to reflect the new statutory insurance requirements for property carriers and household goods carriers.		
Regulatory Stage (check one box)	□ NOIRA □ Proposed □ Final	 Emergency or Emergency/NOIRA Revised Proposed Fast-Track
Additional Description	 Expedited Review Requested Exempt Action 	⊠ Guidance Document
Legal Authority	 Action required by federal statute Action required by state statute 	□ Discretionary action
Deregulatory Component Expected Date	August – September 2023	

Title of Proposed Regulatory Action or Guidance Document DMV Cognitive Impairment Policy

Brief Overview

DMV anticipates making amendments to this guidance document based on the review and recommendation from the Medical Advisory Board. As the board has not issued its recommendations, DMV is unable to predict the substance of the changes, but anticipates that such changes will be minor in scope.

Regulatory Stage (check one box)	□ NOIRA □ Proposed □ Final	 Emergency or Emergency/NOIRA Revised Proposed Fast-Track
Additional Description	□ Expedited Review Requested □ Exempt Action	⊠ Guidance Document
Legal Authority	 Action required by federal statute Action required by state statute 	□ Discretionary action
Deregulatory Component Expected Date	Declining to make changes to the guidance document except as specifically required by the Medical Advisory Board. June 2024	

Action/Stage or Guidance Document Forum ID (if available)		
Title of Proposed	d Regulatory Action or Guidance Do	cument
DMV Policy for I	Drivers Experiencing a Crash Due to a	Pedal Application Error
Derief Orecordians		
Brief Overview	maling amonder anto to this avidance of	le average the second on the services and
1	making amendments to this guidance of from the Medical Advisory Board. As	
	b, DMV is unable to predict the substan	
	be minor in scope.	ee of the changes, but anticipates that
such changes will	t be minor in scope.	
Regulatory	□ NOIRA	Emergency or Emergency/NOIRA
Stage	□ Proposed	□ Revised Proposed
(check one	\Box Final	□ Fast-Track
box)		
Additional	Even a dita d Daviany Da sugata d	⊠ Cuidanas Desument
Description	Expedited Review Requested	I Guidance Document
	Exempt Action	
Legal	\Box Action required by federal statute	□ Discretionary action
Authority	\Box Action required by state statute	
Deregulatory	Declining to make changes to the guid	dance document except as specifically
Component	required by the Medical Advisory Board.	
Expected Date	June 2024	

Action/Stage or Guidance Document Forum ID (if available)		
Title of Proposed	l Regulatory Action or Guidance Do	cument
DMV Policy for I	Drivers with Heart-Assist Devices	
Brief Overview		
	making amendments to this guidance d	
recommendation	from the Medical Advisory Board. As t	the board has not issued its
recommendations	, DMV is unable to predict the substan	ce of the changes, but anticipates that
such changes will be minor in scope.		
Regulatory	□ NOIRA	□ Emergency or Emergency/NOIRA
Stage	□ Proposed	□ Revised Proposed
(check one	□ Final	□ Fast-Track
box)		
Additional	□ Expedited Review Requested	Guidance Document
Description	□ Exempt Action	
Legal	\Box Action required by federal statute	□ Discretionary action
Authority	\Box Action required by state statute	5
	- riedon required by state statute	
Deregulatory	Declining to make changes to the guid	dance document except as specifically
Component	required by the Medical Advisory Board.	
Expected Date	June 2024	

Title of Proposed Regulatory Action or Guidance Document

DMV Policy for Drivers with Respiratory Conditions Requiring Supplemental Oxygen and/or Sleep Disorders

Brief Overview

DMV anticipates making amendments to this guidance document based on the review and recommendation from the Medical Advisory Board. As the board has not issued its recommendations, DMV is unable to predict the substance of the changes, but anticipates that such changes will be minor in scope.

Regulatory Stage (check one box)	□ NOIRA □ Proposed □ Final	 Emergency or Emergency/NOIRA Revised Proposed Fast-Track
Additional Description	□ Expedited Review Requested □ Exempt Action	⊠ Guidance Document
Legal Authority	 Action required by federal statute Action required by state statute 	□ Discretionary action
Deregulatory Component Expected Date	Declining to make changes to the guidance document except as specifically required by the Medical Advisory Board. June 2024	

Action/Stage or Guidance Document Forum ID (if available)		
Title of Proposed Regulatory Action or Guidance Document Virginia Medical Waiver Guidance		
Brief Overview DMV anticipates making amendments to this guidance document based on the review and recommendation from the Medical Advisory Board. As the board has not issued its recommendations, DMV is unable to predict the substance of the changes, but anticipates that such changes will be minor in scope.		
Regulatory Stage (check one box)	□ NOIRA □ Proposed □ Final	 Emergency or Emergency/NOIRA Revised Proposed Fast-Track
Additional Description	□ Expedited Review Requested □ Exempt Action	I Guidance Document
Legal Authority	□ Action required by federal statute □ Action required by state statute	□ Discretionary action
Deregulatory Component Expected Date	Declining to make changes to the guidance document except as specifically required by the Medical Advisory Board. June 2024	

Department of Professional and Occupational Regulation (DPOR) / Total = 7

Action/Stage or Guidance Document Forum ID (if available)			
Not Available	Not Available		
Title of Proposed	Regulatory Action or Guidance Doc	ument	
Initial Auditing of	Out-of-State Asbestos Courses Alread	y Approved by MAP States	
Brief Overview			
The Virginia Boar	d for Asbestos, Lead, And Home Inspe	ctors is proposing a guidance	
document associat	ed with the Virginia Asbestos Licensin	g Regulations (18VAC15-20). The	
proposed guidance	e pertains to the auditing of asbestos co	urses that are conducted exclusively	
outside of Virginia	a. The proposed guidance provides that	onsite audits are not required for	
	sbestos courses with a primary location		
	, so long as the course is currently appr		
	Proof of MAP state approval must be s		
	rse has not received MAP state approv	al, an onsite audit will be conducted	
as part of the appro	oval process.		
Regulatory	□ NOIRA	□ Emergency Rule	
Stage	□ Proposed Rule	□ Fast-Track Rule	
(check one box)	\Box Final Rule		
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Additional	□ Expedited Rule	Guidance Document	
Description	□ Exempt Rule		
Legal Authority	\Box Action required by federal statute	☑ Discretionary action	
	\Box Action required by state statute		
Deregulatory	None.		
Component			
Expected Date	July 2023		

Action/Stage or Guidance Document Forum ID (if available	e)
Not Available	

Title of Proposed Regulatory Action or Guidance Document

Experience Verification when Applying under Universal License Recognition

Brief Overview

The Virginia Board for Asbestos, Lead, And Home Inspectors is proposing a guidance document associated with the Home Inspector Licensing Regulations (18VAC15-40). The proposed guidance pertains to the verification of experience for home inspectors seeking recognition of work experience from a state that does not require home inspector licensure as provided for under § 54.1-205(B) of the Code of Virginia (Universal License Recognition) (Effective July 1, 2023).

The proposed guidance provides that in addition to the requirements in subdivisions 2-4 of subsection B of § 54.1-205 of the Code of Virginia, the Board will recognize work experience with a similar scope of practice of a home inspector as defined in § 54.1-500 of the Code of Virginia, as applicable, if the applicant has at least three years of documented experience performing home inspections as defined in § 54.1-500 of the Code of Virginia and as verified by a licensed or certified home inspector, real estate licensee, supervisor, attorney, or financial institution representative.

Regulatory	□ NOIRA	Emergency Rule
Stage (check one box)	□ Proposed Rule □ Final Rule	□ Fast-Track Rule
Additional Description	□ Expedited Rule □ Exempt Rule	⊠ Guidance Document
Legal Authority	□ Action required by federal statute □ Action required by state statute	☑ Discretionary action
Deregulatory	None.	
Component		
Expected Date	July 2023	

Action/Stage or Guidance Document Forum ID (if available) Not Available

Title of Proposed Regulatory Action or Guidance Document

Insurance Requirements for Home Inspectors when Applying under Universal License Recognition

Brief Overview

The Virginia Board for Asbestos, Lead, And Home Inspectors is proposing a guidance document associated with the Home Inspector Licensing Regulations (18VAC15-40). The proposed guidance pertains to minimum insurance requirements for home inspectors seeking licensure under § 54.1-205 of the Code of Virginia (Universal License Recognition) (Effective July 1, 2023). The proposed guidance provides that the Board will require a home inspector that is licensed under Universal License Recognition to obtain and maintain general liability insurance with minimum limitations of \$250,000 per occurrence within 30 days of the license as a home inspector being issued by the Board. Such insurance is required of all other applicants for licensure.

A business liability insurance policy or a commercial general liability insurance policy with minimum limits of \$250,000 may be considered to meet such requirement, so long as the home inspector is listed as an additional insured. If for any reason the Board cannot reasonably ensure that the home inspector is sufficiently covered in accordance with this policy, the Board may require that requisite coverage be obtained in the name of the home inspector. Proof of such insurance policy must be submitted in order to be in compliance with the Board's regulations. The home inspector is subject to all other requirements for maintaining such insurance and submitting proof of such upon renewal of the home inspector license. A regulant that fails to comply with the Board's regulations may be subject to discipline by the Board

that fails to compl	y with the board's regulations may be	subject to discipline by the board.
Regulatory	□ NOIRA	□ Emergency Rule
Stage	Proposed Rule	□ Fast-Track Rule
(check one box)	□ Final Rule	
Additional	□ Expedited Rule	⊠ Guidance Document
Description	Exempt Rule	
Legal Authority	□ Action required by federal statute	☑ Discretionary action
	\Box Action required by state statute	
Deregulatory	None.	
Component		
Expected Date	July 2023	

Action/Stage or Guidance Document Forum ID (if available)			
Not Available.			
Title of Proposed Regulatory Action or Guidance Document			
Non-Traditional Classroom Instruction			
Brief Overview			
The Board for Barbers and Cosmetology is proposing an amendment to an existing guidance			
document associated with the Barbering and Cosmetology Regulations (18VAC41-20), the			
Tattooing Regulations (18VAC41-50), the Body-Piercing Regulations (18VAC41-60), and the			
Esthetics Regulations (18VAC41-70). The guidance document pertains to theory topics			
offered by non-traditional or online schools. The Board plans to amend the guidance document			
to provide guidance on which theory topics may be taught online and which topics are			
practical and must be completed in a "brick-and-mortar" classroom.			
Regulatory	□ NOIRA	□ Emergency Rule	
Stage	□ Proposed Rule	□ Fast-Track Rule	
(check one box)	□ Final Rule		
Additional	Expedited Rule	I Guidance Document	
Description	□ Exempt Rule		
Legal Authority	□ Action required by federal statute	⊠ Discretionary action	
	\Box Action required by state statute		
Deregulatory	None.		
Component			
Expected Date	September 2023		

0	Guidance Document Forum ID (if ava	ailable)		
Not Available				
Title of Proposed Regulatory Action or Guidance Document				
PSI Examination Equivalency				
Brief Overview				
The Board for Contractors proposes amending a current guidance document associated with				
the Board for Contractors Regulations (18VAC50-22) and Individual License and Certification				
Regulations (18VAC50-30). The guidance document pertains to licensure or certification				
examinations in other jurisdictions that the Board has determined are substantially equivalent				
to examinations required by the Board for licensure or certification. The Board will amend the				
guidance document to reflect licenses or certifications from other jurisdictions that the Board				
accepts as substantially equivalent to current Board requirements. The proposed amendment				
will add the Backflow Prevention Device Tester License previously issued by the City of Norfolk, Virginia as a substantially equivalent credential to the Backflow Prevention Device				
Worker certification issued by the Board.				
Regulatory	□ NOIRA	Emergency Rule		
Stage				
(check one box)	Proposed Rule	□ Fast-Track Rule		
	□ Final Rule			
Additional	Expedited Rule	I Guidance Document		
Description	□ Exempt Rule			
Legal Authority	□ Action required by federal statute	⊠ Discretionary action		
	□ Action required by state statute			
Deregulatory	None.			
Component				
Expected Date	August 2023			

Action/Stage or (Action/Stage or Guidance Document Forum ID (if available)		
Not Available			
Title of Proposed	Regulatory Action or Guidance Doc	rument	
18 VAC 80-30-20	- Approved Related Technical Instruc	tion	
Brief Overview			
The Board for Hea	aring Aid Specialists and Opticians is p	roposing an amendment to an	
existing guidance	document associated with the Optician	s Regulations (18VAC80-30). The	
guidance documer	nt pertains to optician technical instruct	ion curriculums that are approved by	
	ard plans to amend the guidance docum	nent by adding an additional program	
to those that have	previously been approved.		
Regulatory	□ NOIRA	□ Emergency Rule	
Stage	□ Proposed Rule	□ Fast-Track Rule	
(check one box)	\Box Final Rule		
Additional	□ Expedited Rule	⊠ Guidance Document	
Description	Exempt Rule		
Legal Authority	□ Action required by federal statute	⊠ Discretionary action	
	\Box Action required by state statute		
Deregulatory	None.		
Component			
Expected Date	July 2023		

Brief Overview

The Board for Waterworks and Wastewater Works Operators and Onsite Sewage System Professionals is proposing a guidance document associated with Onsite Sewage System Professionals Licensing Regulations (18VAC160-40). The guidance document pertains to the verification of experience for onsite sewage system professionals seeking recognition of work experience from a state that does not require licensure as provided for under § 54.1-205(B) of the Code of Virginia (Universal License Recognition) (effective July 1, 2023).

The proposed guidance provides that in addition to the requirements in subdivisions 2-4 of subsection B of § 54.1-205 of the Code of Virginia, the Board will recognize work experience with a similar scope of practice for a conventional or alternative onsite sewage system installer, conventional or alternative onsite sewage system operator, or conventional or alternative onsite soil evaluator in lieu of the qualifications for these professions established in the Onsite Sewage System Professionals Licensing Regulations, if the applicant has at least three years of documented experience as a conventional or alternative onsite sewage system installer, conventional or alternative onsite sewage system operator, or conventional or alternative onsite soil evaluator in another state that does not issue an occupational or professional license for such work and as verified by a master conventional or alternative onsite sewage system installer, master conventional or alternative onsite sewage system operator, professional engineer, health department employee, registered environmental health specialist, registered sanitarian, or an equivalent credential to these licenses.

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Regulatory	□ NOIRA	Emergency Rule
Stage	Proposed Rule	□ Fast-Track Rule
(check one box)	□ Final Rule	
Additional	□ Expedited Rule	⊠ Guidance Document
Description	Exempt Rule	
Legal Authority	\Box Action required by federal statute	⊠ Discretionary action
	\Box Action required by state statute	
Deregulatory	None.	
Component		
Expected Date	July 2023	

Department of Rail and Public Transportation (DRPT) / Total = 4

Action/Stage or C	Action/Stage or Guidance Document Forum ID (if available)		
N/A			
Title of Proposed	Regulatory Action or Guidance Doc	ument	
Grant Administrat	ion Guidance for Public Transportation	and Commuter Service	
Brief Overview			
	document to assist Virginia's transit ag		
the state and feder	al rules that agencies must follow wher	n receiving state and federal funds.	
Regulatory	□ NOIRA	Emergency Rule	
Stage	Proposed Rule	□ Fast-Track Rule	
(check one box)	□ Final Rule		
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Additional	□ Expedited Rule	Guidance Document	
Description	Exempt Rule		
Legal Authority	\boxtimes Action required by federal statute	□ Discretionary action	
	\boxtimes Action required by state statute		
Deregulatory	DRPT is reviewing the document to simplify it and reduce the number of		
Component	pages contained within the document. It should be noted that much of this		
	document simplified voluminous fede	eral regulations to assist Virginia's	
	transit agencies with federal complian	ce which DRPT is responsible for.	
Expected Date	August 2023		

Action/Stage or Guidance Document Forum ID (if available)		
7041		
Title of Proposed	Regulatory Action or Guidance Doc	ument
Incentive Program	Guidelines	
Brief Overview		
Created during the	2020 General Assembly, the Transit R	idership Incentive Program provides
funding to transit a	agencies for programs and projects that	support regional connectivity or
provide assistance	to low-income individuals. This docun	nent outlines the program guidelines
and sets forth the process to apply.		
Regulatory	□ NOIRA	Emergency Rule
Stage	Proposed Rule	□ Fast-Track Rule
(check one box)	\Box Final Rule	
Additional	□ Expedited Rule	⊠ Guidance Document
Description	□ Exempt Rule	
Legal Authority	\Box Action required by federal statute	□ Discretionary action
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	Action required by state statute	
Deregulatory	DRPT is reviewing the document to simplify it and reduce the number of	
Component	pages contained within the document. It should be noted that much of this	
	document simplified voluminous fede	
	transit agencies with federal complian	ce which DRPT is responsible for.
Expected Date	October 2023	

Action/Stage or (Action/Stage or Guidance Document Forum ID (if available)		
7065			
Title of Proposed	Regulatory Action or Guidance Doc	cument	
FREIGHT (Comm	nonwealth Rail Fund) Program Guideli	nes and Procedures	
Brief Overview			
Created during the	e 2020 General Assembly, DRPT main	tains seven percent of the	
Commonwealth R	ail Funds for projects not administered	by the Virginia Passenger Rail	
Authority. This do	ocument outlines the program guideline	es and set forth the process to apply.	
Regulatory	□ NOIRA	Emergency Rule	
Stage	□ Proposed Rule	□ Fast-Track Rule	
(check one box)	□ Final Rule		
Additional	□ Expedited Rule	⊠ Guidance Document	
Description	□ Exempt Rule		
Legal Authority	\Box Action required by federal statute	□ Discretionary action	
	Action required by state statute		
Deregulatory	DRPT is exploring opportunities with the Commonwealth Transportation		
Component	Board that will allow the agency more flexibility in using these funds.		
Expected Date	October 2023		

Action/Stage or Guidance Document Forum ID (if available)		
7088		
Title of Proposed	Regulatory Action or Guidance Doc	ument
Rail Industries Ac	cess Program Guidelines and Procedure	es
Brief Overview		
The Rail Industria	l Access Program was created in the 19	80s and is used to spur economic
development throu	ighout the Commonwealth by connecting	ng business to rail line to transport
goods. This docun	nent outlines the program guidelines an	d set forth the process to apply.
Regulatory	□ NOIRA	Emergency Rule
Stage	□ Proposed Rule	□ Fast-Track Rule
(check one box)	\Box Final Rule	
Additional	□ Expedited Rule	Guidance Document
Description	□ Exempt Rule	
Legal Authority	□ Action required by federal statute	□ Discretionary action
	Action required by state statute	
Deregulatory	DRPT is currently conducting a review of the program to better use the	
Component	funds to spur economic development	in the Commonwealth
Expected Date	October 2023	

Department of Social Services (DSS) / Total = 7

Action/Stage or (Action/Stage or Guidance Document Forum ID (if available)		
Not available.	Not available.		
Title of Proposed	Regulatory Action or Guidance Doc	ument	
Child & Family Se	ervices Manual-CPS Manual		
Brief Overview			
This manual provides guidance to local departments of social services on CPS. It is expected that the manual will need updating in October 2023 to reflect legislative changes that went into effect in July 2023.			
Regulatory	□ NOIRA	Emergency Rule	
Stage	Proposed Rule	□ Fast-Track Rule	
(check one box)	□ Final Rule		
Additional	Expedited Rule	⊠ Guidance Document	
Description	Exempt Rule		
Legal Authority	\Box Action required by federal statute	□ Discretionary action	
	Action required by state statute		
Deregulatory	None		
Component			
Expected Date	October 2023		

Action/Stage or G	Action/Stage or Guidance Document Forum ID (if available)		
Not available.			
Title of Proposed	Regulatory Action or Guidance Doc	rument	
Child & Family Se	ervices Manual- TANF Manual		
Brief Overview			
	des guidance to local departments of so		
	ill need updating in October 2023 to ref		
	and the standard deduction figures based on federal directives. In the event of any other new		
federal directives,	the manual may require further updates	S.	
Regulatory	□ NOIRA	□ Emergency Rule	
Stage	□ Proposed Rule	□ Fast-Track Rule	
(check one box)	\Box Final Rule		
Additional	□ Expedited Rule	Guidance Document	
Description	Exempt Rule		
Legal Authority	Action required by federal statute	□ Discretionary action	
	\Box Action required by state statute		
Deregulatory	N/A		
Component			
Expected Date	October 2023		

Action/Stage or Guidance Document Forum ID (if available)		
Not available.		
Title of Proposed	Regulatory Action or Guidance Doc	ument
Child & Family Se	ervices Manual- SNAP Manual	
Brief Overview		
This manual provi	des guidance to local departments of so	ocial services on SNAP. It is expected
that the manual wi	ill need updating in October 2023 to ref	flect changes in the gross and net
income limits, star	ndard deductions, and SNAP benefit all	otments based on the annual update
provided by the US	SDA. In the event of any other new fed	eral directives, the manual may
require further upd	lates.	
Regulatory	□ NOIRA	Emergency Rule
Stage	Proposed Rule	□ Fast-Track Rule
(check one box)	\Box Final Rule	
Additional	□ Expedited Rule	⊠ Guidance Document
Description	Exempt Rule	
Legal Authority	Action required by federal statute	□ Discretionary action
	\Box Action required by state statute	
Deregulatory	None	
Component		
Expected Date	October 2023	
Action/Stage or Guidance Document Forum ID (if available)		
Not available.		

Title of Proposed	Title of Proposed Regulatory Action or Guidance Document		
Child & Family Se	ervices Manual, Foster Care Manual		
Brief Overview			
This manual provi	des guidance to local departments of so	ocial services on CPS. It is expected	
that the manual wi	Il need updating in October 2023 to ref	flect legislative changes that went into	
effect in May 2023	3 and July 2023.		
Regulatory	□ NOIRA	Emergency Rule	
Stage	□ Proposed Rule	□ Fast-Track Rule	
(check one box)	□ Final Rule		
Additional	□ Expedited Rule	⊠ Guidance Document	
Description	Exempt Rule		
Legal Authority	□ Action required by federal statute	□ Discretionary action	
	☑ Action required by state statute		
Deregulatory	None		
Component			
Expected Date	October 2023		

Action/Stage or Guidance Document Forum ID (if available)		
Not available.		
Title of Proposed	Regulatory Action or Guidance Doc	ument
Child & Family Se	ervices Manual- Resource Family Manu	ıal
Brief Overview		
This manual provides guidance to local departments of social services on resource families. It is expected that the manual will need updating in December 2023 to reflect legislative changes that go into effect in January 2024.		
Regulatory		Emergency Rule
Stage	Proposed Rule	□ Fast-Track Rule
(check one box)	□ Final Rule	
Additional	Expedited Rule	I Guidance Document
Description	Exempt Rule	
Legal Authority	□ Action required by federal statute	□ Discretionary action
	Action required by state statute	
Deregulatory	None	
Component		
Expected Date	December 2023	

Action/Stage or Guidance Document Forum ID (if available)			
Not available	Not available		
Title of Proposed	Regulatory Action or Guidance Doc	ument	
Child Support Stat	e Plan Update		
Brief Overview			
The Division of C	hild Support Enforcement maintains a S	State Plan as a condition of federal	
funding. The State	Plan communicates policy elections and	nd routine organizational information	
to the federal Offic	ce of Child Support Enforcement. A po	ossible legislative update in the 2024	
General Assembly	session will be necessary to comply w	ith federal regulations. If relevant	
legislation passes,	updates to the State Plan will likely oc	cur in March of 2024.	
Regulatory	□ NOIRA	Emergency Rule	
Stage	Proposed Rule	□ Fast-Track Rule	
(check one box)	\Box Final Rule		
Additional	□ Expedited Rule	I Guidance Document	
Description	□ Exempt Rule		
Legal Authority	Action required by federal statute	□ Discretionary action	
	\Box Action required by state statute		
Deregulatory	NA		
Component			
Expected Date	April 2024		

Action/Stage or G	Guidance Document Forum ID (if ava	ailable)
Not available		
Title of Proposed	Regulatory Action or Guidance Doc	cument
Administrative Hu	man Resources Manual for Local Depa	artments of Social Services
Brief Overview		
	orth policies and procedures for local department of Social Services personnel	±
of the manual will	require updating, as amendments to 22	2VAC40-675 become final.
Regulatory	□ NOIRA	Emergency or
Stage	□ Proposed	Emergency/NOIRA
(check one box)	□ Final	□ Revised Proposed
		□ Fast-Track
Additional	Expedited Review Requested	⊠ Guidance Document
Description	□ Exempt Action	
Legal Authority	□ Action required by federal statute	□ Discretionary action
	\Box Action required by state statute	
Deregulatory	N/A	
Component		
Expected Date	April 2024	

Department of Taxation (TAX) / Total = 7

Title of Proposed Regulatory Action or Guidance Document

Market-Based Sourcing Guidelines for Qualifying Property Information and Analytics Firms Brief Overview

During the 2022 Session, the Virginia General Assembly enacted House Bill 453 (2022 Acts of Assembly, Chapter 256) and Senate Bill 346 (2022 Acts of Assembly, Chapter 257), which allow property information and analytics firms that have a signed memorandum of understanding with the Virginia Economic Development Partnership Authority ("the Authority"), and meet certain job creation and investment criteria to use a hybrid sales factor when filing Virginia corporate income tax returns. For sales of other than sales of tangible personal property, the hybrid sales factor uses a market-based sourcing rule for sales of services and the standard cost of performance rule for all other non-service sales. Under this legislation, market-based sourcing is based upon where the benefit of the service is received.

This legislation requires the Department to promulgate guidelines regarding the use of marketbased sourcing for certain property information and analytics firms. Preliminary guidelines shall be promulgated and made publicly available no later than December 31, 2022, and final guidelines shall be promulgated and made publicly available no later than December 31, 2023.

Regulatory Stage (check one box)	□ NOIRA □ Proposed Rule □ Final Rule	□ Emergency Rule □ Fast-Track Rule
Additional	□ Expedited Rule	⊠ Guidance Document
Description	Exempt Rule	
Legal Authority	\Box Action required by federal statute	□ Discretionary action
	\boxtimes Action required by state statute	
Deregulatory	Although this action will not reduce the	he number of guidance documents
Component	maintained by the Department, by providing guidance regarding the	
	legislation, the action will remove a p	otential source of confusion to
	taxpayers and tax practitioners.	
Expected Date	December 2022 for the preliminary guidelines and December 2023 for the	
	final guidelines	

Elective Pass-Through Entity Tax Guidelines

Brief Overview

During the 2022 Session, the Virginia General Assembly enacted House Bill 1121 (2022 Acts of Assembly, Chapter 690) and Senate Bill 692 (2022 Acts of Assembly, Chapter 689), which permit a qualifying pass-through entity ("PTE") to make an annual election to pay an elective income tax at a rate of 5.75 percent at the entity level. The legislation also allows a corresponding refundable income tax credit to certain PTE owners for any amount of income tax paid by a PTE having Virginia taxable income if such PTE makes the election and pays the elective income tax imposed at the entity level.

The legislation allows an individual to claim a credit for taxes paid to other states under laws that are substantially similar to the pass-through entity income tax. This overrules Public Document 21-156 (December 29, 2021), which generally denied a credit for a tax paid to Maryland under that state's elective pass-through entity income tax. This provision only applies to taxes paid by a pass-through entity under the law of another state that is substantially similar to Va. Code § 58.1-390. Therefore, it does not apply to any other entity-level taxes, such as any franchise, privilege, business, license, or occupation taxes described in Va. Code § 58.1-332.2.

The legislation requires the Department to promulgate guidelines regarding the elective passthrough income tax. These guidelines will provide general guidance on the elective passthrough entity income tax, the corresponding income tax credit available to certain PTE owners, and the changes made to the credit for taxes paid to other states.

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Regulatory	□ NOIRA	□ Emergency Rule
Stage	Proposed Rule	□ Fast-Track Rule
(check one box)	□ Final Rule	
Additional	□ Expedited Rule	⊠ Guidance Document
Description	Exempt Rule	
Legal Authority	\Box Action required by federal statute	□ Discretionary action
	\boxtimes Action required by state statute	
Deregulatory	Although this action will not reduce t	he number of guidance documents
Component	maintained by the Department, by pro	oviding guidance regarding the
	legislation, the action will remove a p	otential source of confusion to
	taxpayers and tax practitioners.	
Expected Date	December 2022 for the preliminary g	uidelines and December 2023 for the
	final guidelines	

Title of Proposed	Title of Proposed Regulatory Action or Guidance Document		
Beneficial Hardwo	ood Management Practices Tax Credit	Guidelines	
Brief Overview	-		
During the 2022 Session, the Virginia General Assembly enacted House Bill 1319 (2022 Acts of Assembly, Special Session I, Chapter 18), which provides a nonrefundable individual income tax credit for expenses incurred by a taxpayer for the implementation of beneficial hardwood management practices. The credit is equal to the taxpayer's eligible expenditures up to \$1,000. The credit Is subject to an annual credit cap of \$1 million. The legislation requires the Department, in			
	the Department of Forestry, to develop		
Regulatory	□ NOIRA	□ Emergency Rule	
Stage	□ Proposed Rule	□ Fast-Track Rule	
(check one box)	□ Final Rule		
Additional	Expedited Rule	⊠ Guidance Document	
Description	Exempt Rule		
Legal Authority	\Box Action required by federal statute	□ Discretionary action	
	\boxtimes Action required by state statute	-	
Deregulatory	Although this action will not reduce the number of guidance documents		
Component	maintained by the Department, by pro-	maintained by the Department, by providing guidance regarding the	
	legislation, the action will remove a p	potential source of confusion to	
	taxpayers and tax practitioners.		
Expected Date	December 2023		

Updated Worker Misclassification Guidelines

Brief Overview

During the 2023 Session, the Virginia General Assembly enacted House Bill 1684 (Chapter 518, 2023 Acts of Assembly) and Senate Bill 1354 (Chapter 519, 2023 Acts of Assembly), which clarify the procedures under which an employer may be debarred from public contracts for misclassification of workers. Under prior law, it was unclear whether the employer had a right to appeal a determination that the employer failed to properly classify an employee and what procedures the employer must follow to make such an appeal. These Acts clarify that, upon being notified by the Department of Taxation that a worker has been misclassified, an employer has a right to file an administrative or judicial appeal. In addition, these Acts clarify that no employer can be debarred due to

worker misclassification unless such employer has exhausted all rights of administrative and judicial appeals or the time period for bringing such appeals has expired.

Prior legislation required the Department to publish guidelines, which it has done. However, such guidelines will have to be updated to reflect the clarifications made by these Acts.

Regulatory Stage (check one box)	□ NOIRA □ Proposed Rule □ Final Rule	□ Emergency Rule □ Fast-Track Rule
Additional Description	Expedited Rule Exempt Rule	⊠ Guidance Document
Legal Authority	☐ Action required by federal statute ⊠ Action required by state statute	□ Discretionary action
Deregulatory Component	Although this action will not reduce the maintained by the Department, by pro- legislation, the action will remove a p taxpayers and tax practitioners.	oviding guidance regarding the
Expected Date	September 2023	

Updated Food Donation Tax Credit Guidelines

Brief Overview

During the 2023 Session, the Virginia General Assembly enacted House Bill 2445 (Chapter 165, 2023 Acts of Assembly) and Senate Bill 1525 (Chapter 166, 2023 Acts of Assembly), which extend the sunset date for the Food Crop Donation Tax Credit by five years and rename it as to be called the Food Donation Tax Credit.

In addition, these Acts increase the amount of the tax credit from 30 percent to 50 percent of the fair market value of qualifying donations, and increase the maximum annual amount of tax credits that a taxpayer could earn from \$5,000 to \$10,000.

These Acts also expand the credit to include wholesome food donations. Previously, only donations of food crops qualified for the credit. "Wholesome food" is defined as food that meets all quality and labeling standards imposed by federal, state, and local laws or regulations, including food that may not be readily marketable due to appearance, age, freshness, grade, surplus, or other condition

Prior legislation required the Department to publish guidelines, which it has done. However, such guidelines will have to be updated to reflect the enhancements made by these Acts.

Regulatory	□ NOIRA	Emergency Rule
Stage	□ Proposed Rule	□ Fast-Track Rule
(check one box)	□ Final Rule	
Additional	□ Expedited Rule	Guidance Document
Description	□ Exempt Rule	
Legal Authority	\Box Action required by federal statute	□ Discretionary action
	\boxtimes Action required by state statute	
Deregulatory	Although this action will not reduce the	he number of guidance documents
Component	maintained by the Department, by pro-	00 0 0
	legislation, the action will remove a p	otential source of confusion to
	taxpayers and tax practitioners.	
Expected Date	September 2023	

Firearm Safety Device Tax Credit Guidelines

Brief Overview

Brief Overview

During the 2023 Session, the General Assembly enacted House Bill 2387 (Chapter 220, 2023 Acts of Assembly), which establishes an individual income tax credit for the purchase of one or more firearm safety devices in an eligible transaction. "Eligible transaction" means a transaction in which a taxpayer purchases one or more firearm safety devices from a dealer that is federally licensed. An individual who properly applies may be allowed a credit in an amount of up to \$300 for the cost incurred in the purchase. A taxpayer is allowed only one credit per taxable year.

The total amount of credits permitted under this legislation cannot exceed \$5 million per taxable year. Credits will be allocated on a first-come, first served basis. The amount of credit claimed in a single year cannot exceed the individual's tax liability for that year. If the amount is exceeded, then it can be carried over for credit in the next five years or until the total amount is depleted, whichever happens sooner.

This Act requires the Department to promulgate guidelines regarding the firearm safety device tax credit.

Regulatory	□ NOIRA	Emergency Rule
Stage	□ Proposed Rule	□ Fast-Track Rule
(check one box)	□ Final Rule	
Additional	□ Expedited Rule	⊠ Guidance Document
Description	□ Exempt Rule	
Legal Authority	\Box Action required by federal statute	□ Discretionary action
	\boxtimes Action required by state statute	
Deregulatory	Although this action will not reduce the	he number of guidance documents
Component	maintained by the Department, by pro-	oviding guidance regarding the
	legislation, the action will remove a p	otential source of confusion to
	taxpayers and tax practitioners.	
Expected Date	December 2023	

Title of Proposed Regulatory Action or Guidance Document Market-Based Sourcing Guidelines for Internet Root Infrastructure Provider

Brief Overview

During the 2023 Session, the Virginia General Assembly enacted House Bill 1481 (Chapter 405, 2023 Acts of Assembly) and Senate Bill 1349 (Chapter 406, 2023 Acts of Assembly), which allow an internet root infrastructure provider ("Provider") that meets certain criteria and chooses to enter into a memorandum of understanding ("MOU") with the Virginia Economic Development Partnership Authority ("the Authority") to use a hybrid sales factor when filing Virginia corporate income tax returns. To qualify for this hybrid sales factor, a Provider must operate one of the internet root servers of the Internet Assigned Names Authority and enter into an MOU with the Authority that, among other criteria, have at least 550 employees in Planning District 8 with an average annual

salary of \$175,000. An internet service provider, cable service provider, or similar company is not considered a Provider for purposes of these Acts.

This legislation requires the Department to promulgate guidelines regarding the use of marketbased sourcing for certain property information and analytics firms. Preliminary guidelines shall be promulgated and made publicly available no later than December 31, 2023, and final guidelines shall be promulgated and made publicly available no later than December 31, 2024.

Regulatory Stage (check one box)	□ NOIRA □ Proposed Rule □ Final Rule	 Emergency Rule Fast-Track Rule
Additional	□ Expedited Rule	Guidance Document
Description	Exempt Rule	
Legal Authority	\Box Action required by federal statute	□ Discretionary action
	Action required by state statute	
Deregulatory	Although this action will not reduce the	he number of guidance documents
Component	maintained by the Department, by pro	66 6
	legislation, the action will remove a p	otential source of confusion to
	taxpayers and tax practitioners.	
Expected Date	December 2023 for the preliminary guidelines and December 2024 for the	
	final guidelines	

Department of Transportation (VDOT) / Total = 10

Action/Stage or (Action/Stage or Guidance Document Forum ID (if available)		
Not available.			
Title of Proposed	Regulatory Action or Guidance Doc	ument	
Administrative Se	rvices Division Procurement Procedure	s Manual removal by VDOT	
Brief Overview			
Upon detailed rev	iew of this document, and discussion w	ith the Office of the Attorney General,	
	nined that this document is erroneously		
	t meet the definition of a guidance docu	ament. VDOT will remove the	
	uidance document list.		
Regulatory	□ NOIRA	□ Emergency or Emergency/NOIRA	
Stage (check	□ Proposed	□ Revised Proposed	
one box)	\Box Final	□ Fast-Track	
Additional	Expedited Review Requested	Guidance Document	
Description	□ Exempt Action		
Legal Authority	□ Action required by federal statute	☑ Discretionary action	
	□ Action required by state statute	,	
Deregulatory	The ASD Procurement Procedures Max	nual includes only internal agency	
Component	procedures and imposes no requirement	ts on any regulants. Removing the	
	document from the agency's guidance	document list will not affect the	
	number of the agency's discretionary r	egulatory requirements imposed on	
	the public. It will reduce the agency's	guidance document aggregate word	
	count by approximately 62,000 words.		
Expected Date	July 2023		

Action/Stage or Guidance Document Forum ID (if available)			
Not available.	Not available.		
Title of Proposed	Regulatory Action or Guidance Doc	cument	
Manual for the Pro	ocurement and Management of Profess	ional Services updates by VDOT	
Brief Overview			
	be updated to reflect current procureme	nt practices consistent with best	
	tes will streamline the guidance docum	1	
1 1	updates and clarifications to the solicita	1 1	
1	professional services, and updated responsibilities associated with the successful administration of professional services contracts.		
Regulatory		□ Emergency or Emergency/NOIRA	
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Stage (check	□ Proposed	□ Revised Proposed	
one box)	\Box Final	□ Fast-Track	
Additional	□ Expedited Review Requested	Guidance Document	
Description	Exempt Action		
Legal Authority	□ Action required by federal statute	☑ Discretionary action	
	\Box Action required by state statute		
Deregulatory	The amendments are expected to reduce the length of the guidance		
Component	document.		
Expected Date	July-September 2023		

Action/Stage or C	Action/Stage or Guidance Document Forum ID (if available)		
Not available.			
Title of Proposed	Regulatory Action or Guidance Doc	ument	
Revenue Sharing I	Program Guidelines updates by the CTI	3	
Brief Overview			
•	expected to be updated in connection v	with expected revisions to the CTB	
Policy on Revenue	e Sharing.		
Regulatory	□ NOIRA	□ Emergency or Emergency/NOIRA	
Stage (check	□ Proposed	□ Revised Proposed	
one box)	□ Final	□ Fast-Track	
Additional	Expedited Review Requested	⊠ Guidance Document	
Description	□ Exempt Action		
Legal Authority	□ Action required by federal statute	☑ Discretionary action	
	□ Action required by state statute	5	
Deregulatory	Specific reductions cannot be identified	l at this time.	
Component	-		
Expected Date	August-October 2023		

Action/Stage or Guidance Document Forum ID (if available)		
Not available.		
Title of Proposed	Regulatory Action or Guidance D	ocument
Transportation Alt	ternatives Program Guide updates by	the CTB
Brief Overview		
The guide is expected to be updated to address: changes to the local government allocation process; changes associated with federal law; content to reflect current federal guidance; and incorporation of any new policies set by the CTB.		
Regulatory	□ NOIRA	□ Emergency or Emergency/NOIRA
Stage (check	□ Proposed	□ Revised Proposed
one box)	🗆 Final	□ Fast-Track
Additional	□ Expedited Review Requested	Guidance Document
Description	□ Exempt Action	
Legal Authority	Action required by federal	Discretionary action
	statute	-
	□ Action required by state statute	
Deregulatory	Specific reductions cannot be identif	ied at this time, however, the document
Component	is expected to be streamlined to remo	ove duplicated information.
Expected Date	August-October 2023	

Action/Stage or C	Guidance Document Forum ID (if ava	ilable)	
Not available.			
Title of Proposed	Regulatory Action or Guidance Doc	ument	
	System Changes updates by VDOT		
Brief Overview			
	uide is expected to be conducted and ta	rgeted revisions are expected to be	
made due to chang	made due to changes in practice.		
	Ι		
Regulatory	□ NOIRA	□ Emergency or Emergency/NOIRA	
Stage (check	□ Proposed	□ Revised Proposed	
one box)	\Box Final	□ Fast-Track	
Additional	Expedited Review Requested	☑ Guidance Document	
Description	□ Exempt Action		
Legal Authority	□ Action required by federal statute	☑ Discretionary action	
	□ Action required by state statute	2	
Deregulatory	Specific reductions cannot be identified	d at this time.	
Component	-		
Expected Date	September-November 2023		

Action/Stage or C	Action/Stage or Guidance Document Forum ID (if available)		
Not available.			
Title of Proposed	Title of Proposed Regulatory Action or Guidance Document		
Locally Administe	ered Projects Manual updates by VDOT	-	
Brief Overview			
0 1	the Manual are made twice per year an	nd ar	e based on issues identified in
practice.			
Regulatory	□ NOIRA	Πŀ	Emergency or Emergency/NOIRA
Stage (check	□ Proposed	Πŀ	Revised Proposed
one box)	□ Final	\Box I	Fast-Track
Additional	□ Expedited Review Requested	\times	Guidance Document
Description	Exempt Action		
Legal Authority	\Box Action required by federal statute	\times	Discretionary action
	\Box Action required by state statute		-
	Specific reductions cannot be identified	d at t	his time.
Component			
Expected Date	October 2023		

Action/Stage or C	Guidance Document Forum ID (if ava	nilabl	(e)
Not available.			
Title of Proposed	Title of Proposed Regulatory Action or Guidance Document		
Locally Administe	ered Projects Manual updates by VDOT	- -	
Brief Overview			
U 1	the Manual are made twice per year an	nd are	e based on issues identified in
practice.			
Regulatory	□ NOIRA	ΠE	Emergency or Emergency/NOIRA
Stage (check	□ Proposed	$\Box F$	Revised Proposed
one box)	□ Final	\Box F	Fast-Track
Additional	□ Expedited Review Requested	\times	Guidance Document
Description	Exempt Action		
Legal Authority	\Box Action required by federal statute	\times	Discretionary action
	\Box Action required by state statute		-
	Specific reductions cannot be identified	d at tl	his time.
Component			
Expected Date	March 2024		

Action/Stage or C	Guidance Document Forum ID (if ava	ailable)		
Not available.	Not available.			
Title of Proposed	Regulatory Action or Guidance Doc	ument		
Manual for the Pro	ocurement and Management of Professi	ional Services updates by VDOT		
Brief Overview				
	be updated with clarifications regarding	process changes resulting from		
ongoing business j	process improvement efforts.			
Regulatory	□ NOIRA	□ Emergency or Emergency/NOIRA		
Stage (check	□ Proposed	□ Revised Proposed		
one box)	□ Final	□ Fast-Track		
Additional	Expedited Review Requested	I Guidance Document		
Description	□ Exempt Action			
Legal Authority	□ Action required by federal statute	☑ Discretionary action		
	□ Action required by state statute	-		
Deregulatory	Specific reductions cannot be identified	d at this time.		
Component	-			
Expected Date	March-May 2024			

Action/Stage or C	Guidance Document Forum ID (if ava	ailable)		
Not available.	Not available.			
Title of Proposed	Regulatory Action or Guidance Doc	ument		
Traffic Impact An	alysis Regulation Administrative Guide	elines updates by VDOT		
Brief Overview				
	uidelines is expected to be conducted a	nd targeted revisions are expected to		
be made due to ch	be made due to changes in practice.			
Regulatory	□ NOIRA	□ Emergency or Emergency/NOIRA		
Stage (check	□ Proposed	□ Revised Proposed		
one box)	□ Final	□ Fast-Track		
Additional	Expedited Review Requested	Guidance Document		
Description	□ Exempt Action			
Legal Authority	□ Action required by federal statute	Discretionary action		
	□ Action required by state statute	2		
Deregulatory	Specific reductions cannot be identified	d at this time.		
Component				
Expected Date	March-May 2024			

Action/Stage or C	Guidance Document Forum ID (if av	ailable)	
Not available.	Not available.		
Title of Proposed	Regulatory Action or Guidance Doc	cument	
Economic Develo	Economic Development Access Program Guide updates by VDOT		
Brief Overview			
Update expected to	o improve the Guide's readability by re	eorganizing the document to mirror the	
steps needed to red	ceive EDA program funding. The upda	te will consolidate information listed	
in several differen	t sections within the document, and rer	nove language associated with Locally	
and VDOT Admir	nistered projects already listed in VDO	T's Locally Administered Projects	
Manual.			
Regulatory	□ NOIRA	□ Emergency or Emergency/NOIRA	
Stage (check	□ Proposed	□ Revised Proposed	
one box)	□ Final	□ Fast-Track	
Additional	Expedited Review Requested	Guidance Document	
Description	Exempt Action		
Legal Authority	□ Action required by federal statute	☑ Discretionary action	
	□ Action required by state statute	5	
Deregulatory	Specific reductions cannot be identified at this time.		
Component	•		
Expected Date	May 2024		

Department of Veterans Services (DVS) / Total = 1

Action/Stage or	Guidance Document Forum	ID (if available)
7176		-

Title of Proposed Regulatory Action or Guidance Document

Policy and Guidelines for Commissioners of the Revenue and other Assessing Officials

Brief Overview

This document implements the Code of Virginia §§ 58.1-3219.5 through 58.1-3219.16, and provides guidance to Commonwealth veterans, surviving spouses of qualified veterans, and to Commissioners of Revenue and assessing officials on the administration of the various real estate tax exemptions applicable to them. It also provides guidance on real estate tax exemptions available to the qualified surviving spouses of members of the Armed Forces of the United States killed in action or who died in the line of duty. It incorporates the official advisory opinions of the Attorney General. These regulations are designed to promote uniformity in the application and qualification process for those citizens who qualify for the real property tax exemption as provided for in Article X, Section 6-A of the Constitution of Virginia, and Title 58.1 of the Code of Virginia. Finally, this document also provides guidance on the personal property tax exemption for veterans rated 100% permanent and totally disabled by the United States Department of Veterans Affairs.

Regulatory	□ NOIRA	□ Emergency or Emergency/NOIRA
Stage (check		□ Revised Proposed
one box)	⊠ Final	□ Fast-Track
Additional	Expedited Review Requested	I Guidance Document
Description	□ Exempt Action	
Legal Authority	\Box Action required by federal statute	\Box Discretionary action
	\boxtimes Action required by state statute	
Deregulatory	Updates and streamlines existing guidance document. Reorganized the way	
Component	information is presented to facilitate ease of access	
Expected Date	Updated in May 2023. Next review May 2024	

Department of Wildlife Resources (DWR) / Total = 1

Action/Stage or G	Action/Stage or Guidance Document Forum ID: TBD		
-	Title of Proposed Regulatory Action or Guidance Document		
Guidance Docume	ent Review		
Brief Overview			
-	2023 Acts of Assembly (House Bill 2		
• 1	tment in making comments or providin	0 1	
-	ality or the Virginia Marine Resources		
· ·	dministration of the Virginia Threatene) be filed for publication with the Regis	0 1	
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1	available for public comment by November 1, 2023. The Department will review its documents and make any necessary submissions accordingly.		
Regulatory	□ NOIRA	Emergency Rule	
Stage	\Box Proposed Rule	□ Fast-Track Rule	
(check one box)	1		
	□ Final Rule		
Additional	Expedited Rule	I Guidance Document	
Description	□ Exempt Rule		
Legal Authority	□ Action required by federal statute	☑ Discretionary action	
	\boxtimes Action required by state statute		
Deregulatory	In the course of its review, the Depart	tment will consider the necessity and	
Component	length of each affected document and any other matters relevant.		
Expected Date	November 1, 2023		

George Mason University (GMU) / Total = 1

Title of Proposed Regulatory Action or Guidance Document

University Policy and Handbook Revisions

Brief Overview

George Mason University has no plans for regulatory action in FY23 associated with 8 VAC 35 *et seq*. Revisions of guidance documents contained in University Policy and Handbooks will be made as needed to comply with state and federal law and to improve the effectiveness of University processes.

Regulatory	□ NOIRA	Emergency Rule
Stage	Proposed Rule	□ Fast-Track Rule
(check one box)	□ Final Rule	
Additional	□ Expedited Rule	⊠ Guidance Document
Description	□ Exempt Rule	
Legal Authority	Action required by federal statute	⊠ Discretionary action
	Action required by state statute	
Deregulatory	Through Policy and Handbook revision	ons, the University anticipates that
Component	new guidance will comply with federal and state statutes, and will	
	endeavor to further streamline and clarify University procedures by	
	eliminating outdated guidance.	
Expected Date		

Office of Children's Services (OCS) / Total = 3

Action/Stage or Guidance Document Forum ID (if available)			
Title of Proposed Regulatory Action or Guidance Document Special Education and the Children's Services Act (CSA): Guidance for Community Policy and Management Teams (CPMT), Family Assessment and Planning Teams (FAPT), CSA Coordinators, and Local School Divisions			
Brief Overview Special Education and the Children's Services Act (CSA) provides guidance related to the interface of special education services and the Children's Services Act. Revisions are necessary to reflect changes to §2.2-5211 which extended eligibility for CSA funding to include services necessary to transition students from private day schools back to the public school setting.			
Regulatory Stage (check one box)	□ NOIRA □ Proposed □ Final	 Emergency or Emergency/NOIRA Revised Proposed Fast-Track 	
Additional Description	□ Expedited Review Requested □ Exempt Action	⊠ Guidance Document	
Legal Authority	☐ Action required by federal statute ☐ Action required by state statute	⊠ Discretionary action	
Deregulatory Component	This guidance document is not a deregulatory effort.		
Expected Date	July 2023		

Action/Stage or Guidance Document Forum ID (if available)

Title of Proposed Regulatory Action or Guidance Document User Guide for the Children's Services Act (CSA)

Brief Overview

The User Guide for the Children's Services Act (CSA) provides guidance on the major areas of CSA implementation and administration at the local level. Revisions are necessary to reflect changes in policy adopted by the State Executive Council for Children's Services and update links and program resources.

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Regulatory	□ NOIRA	\Box Emergency or
Stage	□ Proposed	Emergency/NOIRA
(check one box)	□ Final	□ Revised Proposed
		□ Fast-Track
Additional	□ Expedited Review Requested	⊠ Guidance Document
Description	□ Exempt Action	
Legal Authority	□ Action required by federal statute	☑ Discretionary action
	\Box Action required by state statute	
Deregulatory	This guidance document is not a deregulatory effort.	
Component		
Expected Date	January 2024	

Action/Stage or Guidance Document Forum ID (if available)

Title of Proposed Regulatory Action or Guidance Document Policy Manual for the Children's Services Act (CSA)

Brief Overview

The Policy Manual for the Children's Services Act (CSA) provides a single reference to the policies adopted by the State Executive Council for Children's Services in accordance with its statutory responsibility to establish interagency programmatic and fiscal policies which support the purposes of the Act. Revisions are necessary to remove repealed, reflect changes in policy, and update links to State Statutes.

Regulatory	□ NOIRA	\Box Emergency or
Stage	□ Proposed	Emergency/NOIRA
(check one box)	□ Final	□ Revised Proposed
		□ Fast-Track
Additional	□ Expedited Review Requested	⊠ Guidance Document
Description	□ Exempt Action	
Legal Authority	\Box Action required by federal statute	⊠ Discretionary action
	\Box Action required by state statute	
Deregulatory	This proposal seeks to remove policies that are redundant, as they simply	
Component	restate information contained in the Code of Virginia. Additionally,	
	existing policies will be reviewed and revised for clarity and consistency.	
Expected Date	June 2024	

Virginia Housing Development Authority (VHDA) / Total = 2

Title of Proposed Regulatory Action or Guidance Document			
Virginia Housing	Homeownership Originations Guide (C	Suidance Document)	
Brief Overview			
The Guide describ	es Virginia Housing's homeownership	programs and eligibility requirements.	
It is utilized prima	rily by the lenders which originate Virg	ginia Housing mortgage loans.	
Regulatory	□ NOIRA	Emergency Rule	
Stage	□ Proposed Rule	□ Fast-Track Rule	
(check one box)	\Box Final Rule		
Additional	□ Expedited Rule	⊠ Guidance Document	
Description	□ Exempt Rule		
Legal Authority	\boxtimes Action required by federal statute	☑ Discretionary action	
	\Box Action required by state statute		
Deregulatory	Not known at this time.		
Component			
Expected Date	The Originations Guide is expected to	The Originations Guide is expected to be updated late 2023.	

Title of Proposed Regulatory Action or Guidance Document

Virginia Housing Low Income Housing Tax Credit Manual (Guidance Document)

Brief Overview

The Internal Revenue Code requires that Virginia Housing, as administrator of the federal lowincome housing tax credit program (LIHTC) in Virginia, adopt a "qualified allocation plan" or "QAP" (in the form of regulations) governing the award and compliance monitoring of the LIHTC program. The QAP begins in 13 VAC 180. To provide additional clarity, guidance and forms related to the QAP to developers applying for an award of LIHTC, Virginia Housing annually updates its LIHTC manual as a Guidance Document.

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Regulatory	□ NOIRA	□ Emergency Rule
Stage	Proposed Rule	□ Fast-Track Rule
(check one box)	1	
	□ Final Rule	
Additional	Expedited Rule	⊠ Guidance Document
Description	Exempt Rule	
Legal Authority	Action required by federal statute	☑ Discretionary action
	\Box Action required by state statute	
Deregulatory	Not known at this time.	
Component		
Expected Date	The LIHTC Manual is expected to be updated in January of 2024.	

Virginia Information Technologies Agency (VITA) / Total = 15

Title of Proposed Regulatory Action or Guidance Document		
Project Management Guideline (CPM-110-04)		
Brief Overview		
The primary objective of the Commonwealth Project Management Guideline is to provide guidance on the application of the COV Project Management Standard and the use of common industry best practices in the management of IT projects within Virginia Executive Branch Commonwealth agencies.		
Regulatory Stage	□ NOIRA	Emergency Rule
(check one box)	□ Proposed Rule	□ Fast-Track Rule
	□ Final Rule	
Additional	Expedited Rule	⊠Guidance Document
Description	Exempt Rule	
Legal Authority	□ Action required by federal statute	□ Discretionary action
	\boxtimes Action required by state statute	
Deregulatory	Recent and emerging project management methodologies are being	
Component	employed in the Commonwealth. The update will include additional	
	information on these emerging methodologies.	
Expected Date	December 2023	

-	Regulatory Action or Guidance Docu	iment
U	ent Standard (CPM 112-04.2)	
Brief Overview		
	ies to Commonwealth-level IT projects	
• •	cedures and required documentation for	or governance and oversight over the
lifecycle of these I	T projects and investments.	
Regulatory Stage	□ NOIRA	Emergency Rule
(check one box)	□ Proposed Rule	□ Fast-Track Rule
	\Box Final Rule	
Additional	Expedited Rule	⊠Guidance Document
Description	□ Exempt Rule	
Legal Authority	□ Action required by federal statute	□ Discretionary action
	\boxtimes Action required by state statute	,
Deregulatory	Procurement and approval processes	are being streamlined. The update will
Component	include such improvements.	-
Expected Date	December 2023	

Title of Proposed Regulatory Action or Guidance Document

Technology Management Policy (GOV-105-05)

Brief Overview

The Chief Information Officer of the Commonwealth (CIO) and VITA have a broad range of statutory technology management responsibilities. These assignments cover specific tasks related to technology security, reporting, budgets, sourcing and projects, and overarching responsibilities for technology policy, IT strategic planning, value creation, and leadership. The Commonwealth Technology Management Policy is intended to provide overarching guiding principles for use by executive branch agencies and institutes of higher education for the management of IT. Standards are issued to implement this policy and provide specific direction and requirements on particular topics. Guidelines are issued to assist agencies with the execution of standards or this policy.

Regulatory Stage	□ NOIRA	□ Emergency Rule
(check one box)	□ Proposed Rule	□ Fast-Track Rule
	□ Final Rule	
Additional	Expedited Rule	⊠Guidance Document
Description	□ Exempt Rule	
Legal Authority	 □ Action required by federal statute ☑ Action required by state statute 	□ Discretionary action
Deregulatory Component	This policy has not been reviewed sin policies, standards, and guidelines per intent is to review and update it to en- necessary.	6
Expected Date	June 2024	

Title of Proposed Regulatory Action or Guidance Document Information Technology Investment Management (ITIM) Standard (CPM 516-03)

Brief Overview

The intent of the Information Technology Investment Management (ITIM) Standard is to establish a methodology for the identification, selection, management, and evaluation of IT investments in order to maximize the business value of those investments. The ITIM methodology uses a lifecycle approach and portfolio management process to minimize risks and maximize the return on IT investments while supporting executive branch agency decisions to maintain, migrate, improve, retire, or initiate IT investments. The standard will define the ITIM methodology, describe the phases of the ITIM lifecycle, establish the basis for measuring the value of an IT investment, identify the required actions associated with each phase, position those actions within a portfolio management process, and assign roles and responsibilities for those actions. Since the Commonwealth and agency IT strategic planning process embodies the ITIM methodology, the standard also defines and describes related portions of that process.

TTIM methodolog.	y, the standard also defines and deserie	es related portions of that process.
Regulatory Stage	□ NOIRA	□ Emergency Rule
(check one box)	□ Proposed Rule	□ Fast-Track Rule
	□ Final Rule	
Additional	Expedited Rule	⊠Guidance Document
Description	🗆 Exempt Rule	
Legal Authority	 □ Action required by federal statute ☑ Action required by state statute 	□ Discretionary action
Deregulatory	The intent is to incorporate an IT Planning Standard into the ITIM Standard.	
Component		
Expected Date	June 2024	

Title of Proposed F	Title of Proposed Regulatory Action or Guidance Document		
IT Procurement: Telecommunications Waiver Policy			
Brief Overview			
This document provides guidance on the waiver process component of telecommunications procurement – namely, the granting of waivers to agencies to allow them to use non-VITA contracts for the procurement of telecommunications goods and services.			
Regulatory Stage	□ NOIRA	Emergency Rule	
(check one box)	□ Proposed Rule	□ Fast-Track Rule	
	□ Final Rule		
Additional	Expedited Rule	⊠Guidance Document	
Description	🗆 Exempt Rule		
Legal Authority	□ Action required by federal	□ Discretionary action	
	statute		
	Action required by state statute		
Deregulatory	Updates will be made as necessary, in compliance with statutory and		
Component	executive policy changes.		
Expected Date	June 2024		

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Title of Proposed Regulatory Action or Guidance Document		
IT Procurement: Small Purchase Policy		
Brief Overview		
This document pro	ovides the details of VITA's small purc	hase card policy, defines small
purchases up to \$2	200,000, specifies the delegation of sma	all purchases up to \$250,000, and
1 1	sides that apply to small purchase up to	1 1 7 7
Regulatory Stage	□ NOIRA	Emergency Rule
(check one box)	□ Proposed Rule	□ Fast-Track Rule
	□ Final Rule	
Additional	Expedited Rule	⊠Guidance Document
Description	Exempt Rule	
Legal Authority	□ Action required by federal statute	□ Discretionary action
	\boxtimes Action required by state statute	
Deregulatory	Updates will be made as necessary, in	compliance with statutory and
Component	executive policy changes.	
Expected Date	June 2024	

Title of Proposed Regulatory Action or Guidance Document		
IT Procurement: Sole Source Policy		
Brief Overview		
This document del	lineates the criteria for when executive	branch state agencies can use a sole
-	nt method for IT goods and services; an	nd provides the process for agencies to
obtain sole source	approval.	
Regulatory Stage	□ NOIRA	□ Emergency Rule
(check one box)	□ Proposed Rule	□ Fast-Track Rule
	□ Final Rule	
Additional	Expedited Rule	⊠Guidance Document
Description	□ Exempt Rule	
Legal Authority	□ Action required by federal statute	□ Discretionary action
	\boxtimes Action required by state statute	
Deregulatory	Updates will be made as necessary, in	compliance with statutory and
Component	executive policy changes.	
Expected Date	August/September 2023	

Title of Proposed	Regulatory Action or Guidance Docu	iment	
IT Procurement: E	IT Procurement: Emergency Procurement Policy		
Brief Overview			
This document pro	ovides the criteria and guidance to exec	utive branch agencies for their use of	
the emergency pro	ocurement of IT goods and services pur	suant to Virginia Code § 2.2- 4303(F).	
It also provides the	e process for obtaining emergency proc	curement approval.	
Regulatory Stage	□ NOIRA	Emergency Rule	
(check one box)	Proposed Rule	□ Fast-Track Rule	
	□ Final Rule		
Additional	Expedited Rule	⊠Guidance Document	
Description	🗆 Exempt Rule		
Legal Authority	□ Action required by federal statute	□ Discretionary action	
	\boxtimes Action required by state statute		
Deregulatory	Updates will be made as necessary, in	a compliance with statutory and	
Component	executive policy changes.		
Expected Date	June 2024		

Title of Proposed Regulatory Action or Guidance Document IT Procurement Policy for Enhancing and Expanding Contracting Opportunities for Small, Women- and Minority-owned Businesses Brief Overview This document provides procurement guidelines to executive branch agencies, and is designed to enhance and expand contracting opportunities for small businesses, including micro businesses, women-owned, minority owned, and service-disabled veterans (SWaM) owned IT and telecommunications small businesses, to participate in the Commonwealth's procurement process. This document interprets EO 35 for agencies purchasing IT; includes definitions for what is a SWaM business; and informs agencies of set asides under certain procurement amounts and required processes. **Regulatory Stage** □ NOIRA □ Emergency Rule (check one box) □ Fast-Track Rule \Box Proposed Rule □ Final Rule Additional ⊠Guidance Document \Box Expedited Rule Description □ Exempt Rule Legal Authority □ Action required by federal statute \Box Discretionary action \boxtimes Action required by state statute Updates will be made as necessary, in compliance with statutory and Deregulatory executive policy changes. Component June 2024 **Expected Date**

Title of Proposed	Regulatory Action or Guidance Docu	ıment
ITCL Policy for Pa	rocuring and Managing Contingent Lal	bor Resources
Brief Overview		
This document provides policies for the procurement and management of contingent labor resources; specifically, it provides guidance on the procurement of IT contingent workers through Staff Augmentation or a Statement of Work (SOW) through the managed service provider (MSP) program for all executive branch agencies and institutions of higher learning.		
Regulatory Stage	□ NOIRA	Emergency Rule
(check one box)	□ Proposed Rule	□ Fast-Track Rule
	□ Final Rule	
Additional	Expedited Rule	⊠Guidance Document
Description	Exempt Rule	
Legal Authority	□ Action required by federal statute ⊠ Action required by state statute	□ Discretionary action
Deregulatory	The intended update reduces the burden by eliminating the requirement for	
Component	agencies to provide to VITA justification for named exceptions.	
Expected Date	June 2024	

Title of Proposed Regulatory Action or Guidance Document IT Procurement Manual (Buy IT) **Brief Overview** This manual contains guidance and best practices for executive branch agencies procuring IT goods and services within their delegated authority limits. **Regulatory Stage** □ NOIRA □ Emergency Rule (check one box) □ Fast-Track Rule \Box Proposed Rule □ Final Rule ⊠Guidance Document Additional □ Expedited Rule Description □ Exempt Rule □ Action required by federal statute □ Discretionary action Legal Authority \boxtimes Action required by state statute In addition to reflecting statutory and executive policy changes, the Deregulatory intended update will eliminate situations where this manual was perceived Component as imposing requirements that reduced flexibility for agencies. VITA also intends to look to shorten the manual where that can be done without losing valuable information. August 2023 & June 2024 **Expected Date**

Title of Proposed	Regulatory Action or Guidance Do	cument
Policy, Standard,	and Guideline Formulation Standard	(GOV101-03)
Brief Overview		
This standard establishes a comprehensive and uniform process for developing, adopting, maintaining, and retiring, Commonwealth of Virginia Information Technology policies, standards, and guidelines (PSGs).		
Regulatory	□ NOIRA	□ Emergency Rule
Stage	□ Proposed Rule	□ Fast-Track Rule
(check one	□ Final Rule	
box)		
Additional	□ Expedited Rule	⊠Guidance Document
Description	□ Exempt Rule	
Legal	□ Action required by federal	□ Discretionary action
Authority	statute	
	Action required by state statute	
Deregulatory	Updates will be made as necessary, in compliance with statutory and	
Component	executive policy changes.	
Expected Date	June 2024	

Title of Proposed Regulatory Action or Guidance Document				
Enterprise Architecture Policy (EA200-03.1)				
Brief Overview				
Establishes the Commonwealth's Enterprise Architecture as the primary source for providing IT direction and technical requirements that govern the acquisition, use, and management of IT resources by executive branch agencies. This document contains policy statements related to applications systems development and open source software and the process used to govern agency requests for changes and exceptions to EA requirements and to ensure that all recommendations and requests for changes or exceptions are logged, reviewed, and responded to in a timely manner				
Regulatory	□ NOIRA	Emergency Rule		
Stage	□ Proposed Rule	□ Fast-Track Rule		
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box)				
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Description	□ Exempt Rule			
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Deregulatory	Updates will be made as necessary, in compliance with statutory and			
Component	executive policy changes.			
Expected Date	June 2024			

Title of Proposed Regulatory Action or Guidance Document				
Commonwealth Security and Cloud Requirements				
Brief Overview				
This document provides clarification and guidance to executive branch agency procurement				
personnel on Commonwealth Security and Risk Management requirements for Enterprise				
Cloud Oversight Service.				
Regulatory	□ NOIRA	Emergency Rule		
Stage	□ Proposed Rule	□ Fast-Track Rule		
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Additional	□ Expedited Rule	⊠Guidance Document		
Description	□ Exempt Rule			
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	Action required by state statute			
Deregulatory	Updates will be made as necessary, in compliance with statutory and			
Component	executive policy changes.			
Expected Date	June 2024			

Title of Proposed Regulatory Action or Guidance Document				
Information Technology Resource Management Policy (GOV 102-02)				
Brief Overview				
This policy establishes a framework for the development and governance of Commonwealth of Virginia Information Technology Resource Management (ITRM) Policies, Standards, and Guidelines. The management of information technology (IT) resources requires the establishment and control of a set of documents that convey purpose, direction, and required activities. The documents that accomplish this are ITRM policies, standards, and guidelines (PSGs).				
Regulatory	□ NOIRA	□ Emergency Rule		
Stage	□ Proposed Rule	□ Fast-Track Rule		
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box)				
Additional	□ Expedited Rule	⊠Guidance Document		
Description	□ Exempt Rule			
Legal	□ Action required by federal	□ Discretionary action		
Authority	statute	-		
	Action required by state statute			
Deregulatory	Updates will be made as necessary, in compliance with statutory and			
Component	executive policy changes.			
Expected Date	June 2024			

Virginia Innovation Partnership Corporation (VIPC) / Total = 1

Title of Proposed Regulatory Action or Guidance Document				
Extend the Regional Innovation Fund Match Requirement Reduction to Entrepreneurial				
Support Organizations Found to be in Fiscal Distress or for an Exceptional Economic				
Opportunity in a Region				
Brief Overview				
The 2020 Session formed 2.2-2357.D, the Regional Innovation Fund. A 1:1 match is required				
for participation. This action extends the match requirement reduction to 2:1 for				
entrepreneurial support organizations found to be in fiscal distress or for an exceptional				
economic opportunity in a region. This provides the opportunity for greater participation by				
entrepreneurial support organizations in underserved regions, serving underserved founders.				
Regulatory	□ NOIRA	□ Emergency Rule		
Stage	□ Proposed Rule	□ Fast-Track Rule		
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Deregulatory	This action reduces the match participation burden by up to 50% or up to an estimated \$1M.			
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Expected Date	July 2023			