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DATE: June 15, 2026

To: Licensed Assisted Living Facilities

FROM: Tara Ragland, Director

Division of Licensing Programs

SUBJECT: Periodic Review of 22VAC40-73, *Standards for Licensed Assisted Living Facilities*

The State Board of Social Services is conducting a periodic review of 22VAC40-73, *Standards for Licensed Assisted Living Facilities*. The purpose of this review is to determine whether this regulation should be terminated, amended, or retained in its current form. This regulation can be found in its entirety on LIS (Legislative Information Systems).

Pursuant to Executive Order 19 (2022) and § 2.2-4017 of the Code of Virginia, the review of this regulation will be guided by the principles in Executive Order 19. Public comment is sought on the review of any issue relating to this regulation, including whether the regulation (i) is necessary for the protection of public health, safety, and welfare or for the economic performance of important governmental functions; (ii) minimizes the economic impact on small businesses in a manner consistent with the stated objectives of applicable law; and (iii) is clearly written and easily understandable. The public comment period begins June 15, 2026, and ends on July 6, 2026.

If you wish to receive a response to your comment, your contact information (preferably an email address or, alternatively, a U.S. mailing address) must accompany your comment. Following the close of the public comment period, a report of the review will be posted on the Regulatory Town Hall website and a report of the small business impact review will be published in the Virginia Register of Regulations.

Comments for this periodic review may be submitted via Regulatory Town Hall; or by mail, fax or email to Dani Halbleib, Licensing Consultant, Virginia Department of Social Services, Division of Licensing Programs, 5600 Cox Rd. Glen Allen, Virginia 23060; fax (804) 726-7132; or at daniella.halbleib@dss.virginia.gov.

If you have any questions, please contact Dani Halbleib at daniella.halbleib@dss.virginia.gov.