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Exempt Action Final Regulation Agency Background Document

Agency name	Department of Labor and Industry
Virginia Administrative Code (VAC) citation	16 VAC 15-30
Regulation title	Virginia Rules and Regulations Declaring Hazardous Occupations
Action title	This regulation is being amended to bring the language of the regulation into conformity with the requirements of the Code of Virginia.
Final agency action date	April 29, 2010
Document preparation date	February 22, 2010

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Summary

Please provide a brief summary of all regulatory changes, including the rationale behind such changes. Alert the reader to all substantive matters or changes. If applicable, generally describe the existing regulation.

Following a comprehensive review of the Child Labor Hazardous Occupations Regulations conducted in conjunction with former Attorney General McDonnell's Regulatory Review Task Force, language in 16VAC15-30-30 was identified that conflicts with the governing statute, *Virginia Code* §40.1-100. The amended language would eliminate the conflicts with the *Code of Virginia* and provide further clarification to the public.

Statement of final agency action

Please provide a statement of the final action taken by the agency including (1) the date the action was taken, (2) the name of the agency taking the action, and (3) the title of the regulation.

The Department of Labor and Industry is submitting this final exempt regulatory action for

publication in the March 29, 2010 issue of the Virginia Register, to become effective on April 29, 2010. The action was approved by the Commissioner on January 11, 2010. This action will amend the Virginia Administrative Code, at 16 VAC 15-30, Virginia Rules and Regulations Declaring Hazardous Occupations.

Family impact

Assess the impact of this regulatory action on the institution of the family and family stability.

This regulatory action should have a minimal impact on the institution of the family and on family stability.