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IN PERSON AND VIRTUAL PUBLIC HEARING

In person location:
Patrick Henry Building
1111 E. Broad Street
East Reading Room
Richmond, VA 23219

VIRTUAL ACCESS:

******Refer to the Third, Fourth, and Fifth pages of Agenda for Instructions on Registering to Make Public Comment and Meeting Access Information if you plan to attend virtually******

August 5, 2021
9:30 AM

Notes on this Draft Public Hearing Agenda:

This **in person and virtual** public hearing is being held for the purpose of consideration of 16VAC25-220, Proposed Amendments to Permanent Standard for Infectious Disease Prevention of the SARS-CoV2 Virus That Causes COVID-19, as adopted by the Virginia Safety and Health Codes Board ("Board") on June 29, 2021, pursuant to Va. Code §40.1-22(6a).

Notice of this public hearing will be published in the Richmond Times Dispatch on July 29, 2021, 2021. Notice of this hearing was also published on the Virginia Regulatory Townhall's website here: <https://townhall.virginia.gov/L/ViewMeeting.cfm?MeetingID=32816>

A recording of this public hearing will be posted on the Virginia Regulatory Townhall website as well as the Department of Labor and Industry's website when it becomes available.

Written Public Comment Forum still open – If you wish to submit a written comment **prior** to the public hearing, you may use the Comment forum on the Virginia Regulatory Townhall website here: <https://townhall.virginia.gov/L/ViewNotice.cfm?gnid=1283> The Comment forum will remain open until 11:59pm on July 31, 2021.

Items on the Agenda

1. Call to Order
2. Opportunity for Public Comment on the Proposed Amendments to 16VAC25-220, Permanent Standard for Infectious Disease Prevention of the SARS-CoV2 Virus That Causes COVID-19
3. Adjournment

Public Participation information Follows on Page Three of Agenda

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PUBLIC PARTICIPATION

This meeting will be held both *in person and virtually*.

Agency staff will not be requesting proof of vaccination at the *in person* location. As such, if you plan to attend this hearing in person, please be aware that **face coverings** and **physical distancing** will be observed. The room will be subject to an occupancy limit of 50 people. Entrance will be on a first come, first served basis.

If you are attending in person, please be aware that to enter the Patrick Henry Building, members of the public will have to go through security. **You must have a valid state or federal I.D. to enter the building.** Please be prepared to go through a security scanner and/or be wanded by the Capitol Police. Once you have passed through security, you will be required to sign in with Agency staff and you will be escorted to the East Reading Room. Upon departure, you will be required to sign out with Agency Staff.

For more information on what to expect at Security, including which entrance of the Patrick Henry building you must enter, please see: <https://dgs.virginia.gov/facilities-management/dgs-facilities-information/expect-the-check/>.

Parking is limited. For information on parking garages in the area, please visit: <https://dgs.virginia.gov/parking--building-access/parking-services/visitor-parking-deck/>.

If you are attending *in person*, you will have the opportunity to sign up to offer your oral comment on the morning of the meeting, August 5, 2021.

If you plan to attend this meeting *virtually* and you wish to offer public comment, you must send an email to Princy.Doss@doli.virginia.gov no later than 12:00PM on August 4, 2021 indicating you wish to offer oral comment.

See the section entitled "Special Instructions for those Participants who Plan to Attend the Hearing Virtually And Wish to Offer Oral Comment" at the end of this agenda for more instructions on signing up for **virtual** oral comment.

Individuals who offer both in person and virtual comments during the Public Hearing on August 5, 2021 are encouraged to submit a written version of any comments by email to Princy.Doss@doli.virginia.gov no later than **5:00 PM on August 6, 2021**.

VIRTUAL ACCESS INFORMATION

Members of the public may listen/witness the meeting via the Cisco WebEx platform by using the weblink, access code, and password below, or audio conference only by using the telephone numbers and access code below.

Participation capacity is limited and is on a first come, first served basis due to the capacity of CISCO WebEx technology.

Event address for attendee:

<https://covaconf.webex.com/covaconf/onstage/g.php?MTID=e777f3b03177ade2f676e6d390793025b>

Event number (access code): 161 380 7488

Event password: DOLI2021

To join the audio conference only:

Call this number: 1-517-466-2023 **or US Toll Free** 1-866-692-4530

Enter this Access Code: 161 380 7488

Should any interruption of the broadcast of this meeting occur, please call 804-371-2318 or email Brian.Jaffe@doli.virginia.gov to notify the agency. Any interruption in the broadcast of the meeting shall result in the suspension of action at the meeting until repairs are made and public access is restored.

FOIA Council Electronic Meetings Public Comment form for submitting feedback on this electronic meeting may be accessed at:

<http://foiacouncil.dls.virginia.gov/sample%20letters/welcome.htm>

SPECIAL INSTRUCTIONS FOR THOSE PARTICIPANTS WHO PLAN TO ATTEND THE HEARING VIRTUALLY AND WISH TO OFFER ORAL COMMENT

If you plan to attend virtually and wish to make an oral public comment during the public hearing, you must follow the instructions below:

- Virtual Oral public comments will be received during the public hearing from those persons who have submitted an email to Princy.Doss@doli.virginia.gov no later than **12:00 PM** on **August 4, 2021** indicating that they wish to offer oral comment. Comments may be offered by these individuals when their name is announced by Ms. Doss. Oral comments will be restricted to 5 minutes each.
- When logging onto WebEx each person **must provide their full name** during the registration process upon entering the meeting. **Do not use the default username** as it is imperative that the meeting organizer be able to determine who is in attendance based on their registration name.
- Failure to follow these specific registration instructions will restrict your ability to participate with oral remarks.
- If you wish to make a virtual oral comment and will be utilizing the “audio conference only” option to witness the hearing, you must provide the phone number you will be calling in from in your email to Ms. Doss so that the administrator will know whom to unmute at the appropriate time.

- Other important information:
 - All parties will be muted until Ms. Doss announces the name of the person who is next to provide an oral comment.
 - All public participation connections will be muted following the public comment periods.
 - Please login from a location without background noise.

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