

# Virginia Administrative Code

## CHAPTER 10

### PUBLIC PARTICIPATION GUIDELINES

#### Part I. General Provisions.

##### 18VAC95-10-10. Purpose.

The purpose of this chapter is to provide guidelines for the involvement of the public in the development and promulgation of regulations of the Board of ~~Nursing Home~~ Long-Term Care Administrators. The guidelines do not apply to regulations exempted or excluded from the provisions of the Administrative Process Act. These rules seek to expand participation by providing for electronic exchange with the public and thereby increasing participation, reducing costs, and improving the speed of communication.

##### 18VAC95-10-20. Definitions.

The following words and terms when used in this chapter shall have the following meanings unless the context clearly indicates otherwise:

"Administrative Process Act" means Chapter 40 (§2.2-4000 et seq.) of Title 2.2 of the Code of Virginia.

"Board" means the Board of ~~Nursing Home~~ Long-Term Care Administrators.

"Notification lists" means lists used by the board to notify persons pursuant to these rules. Such lists may include electronic mailing lists maintained through a state website or regular mailing lists maintained by the board.

"Person" means an individual, a corporation, a partnership, an association, a governmental body, a municipal corporation, or any other legal entity.

## **Certification**

*I certify that this regulation is full, true, and correctly dated.*

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