



Exempt Action Final Regulation Agency Background Document

Agency name	Virginia Department of Agriculture and Consumer Services
Virginia Administrative Code (VAC) citation	11 VAC 15-22
Regulation title	Charitable Gaming Rules and Regulations
Action title	Amendments to reflect merger and change in permit exemption threshold
Final agency action date	June 30, 2009
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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.

This action implements the provisions of Chapters 387 and 689 of the 2008 Acts of Assembly that abolished the Department of Charitable Gaming and placed regulation of charitable gaming under the Department of Agriculture and Consumer Services.

This action also implements the provisions of Chapter 121 of the 2009 Acts of Assembly by raising the permit exemption threshold from \$25,000 to \$40,000 for all organizations authorized to conduct charitable gaming.

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.

On June 30, 2009, the Charitable Gaming Board took action to adopt as final 11 VAC 15-22, Charitable Gaming Rules and Regulations.

Family impact

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

The regulation will have no adverse impact on the institution of the family and family stability.