



Periodic Review / Retain Regulation Agency Background Document

Agency name	Department of Corrections
Virginia Administrative Code (VAC) citation	6 VAC15-45
Regulation title	Regulations for Private Management and Operation of Prison Facilities
Document preparation date	September 8, 2011

This form is used when the agency has done a periodic review of a regulation and plans to retain the regulation without change. This information is required pursuant to Executive Orders 14 (2010) and 58 (1999).

Legal basis

This regulation is promulgated under the authority of COV §53.1-266

Alternatives

There are no alternatives available as the Code of Virginia requires the Board of Corrections to make, adopt, and promulgate regulations governing private management and operation of prison facilities

Public comment

Commenter	Comment	Agency response
Kringle, A Corporation Sole	I recommend you make your information systems intelligently USEFUL for the intended audience who paid for them.	None, not relevant to contents of regulation.
Garreth Blue / NOCOM	Giving the link to the relevant page/ info is important. Many people can be helped by this	None, not relevant to contents of regulation.

There was no informal advisory group formed for purposes of assisting in the periodic review.

Effectiveness

This regulation meets the criteria set out in Executive Order 14 (2010), e.g., it is necessary for the protection of public health, safety, and welfare, and is clearly written and easily understandable.

Result

The Department of Corrections is recommending that the regulation should stay in effect without change.

Small business impact

Pursuant to §2.2-4007.1 E and F, the Department of Corrections has considered the economic impact of regulation 6VAC15-45 on small business. The Department of Corrections has determined (1) there is continued need for the regulation based on legal mandate; (2) the complexity of the regulation is appropriate to the subject matter; (3) the regulation does not significantly overlap, duplicate, or conflict with federal or state law or regulation; and (4) there have been no significant changes in technology, economic conditions, or other factors in the area affected by the regulation. The Department of Corrections has determined that there is no need for the regulation to be amended or repealed, consistent with the stated objectives of applicable law, to minimize the economic impact of regulations on small businesses.

Family impact

This regulation covers relations between state agencies and corporate contractors and thereby has no impact on the institution of the family and family stability.