



Exempt Action Final Regulation Agency Background Document

Agency name	Virginia Racing Commission
Virginia Administrative Code (VAC) citation	11VAC10-60-20, 11VAC10-60-130
Regulation title	Participants
Action title	To Amend Regulations Pertaining to Practicing Veterinarian and Jockey Agent
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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.

The amendments to this chapter are being made in an effort to better clarify and define the duties and responsibilities of practicing veterinarians and jockey agents.

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 February 16, 2012, the Virginia Racing Commission adopted the final amendments to 11VAC10-60-20 (Practicing Veterinarian) and 11VAC10-60-130 (Jockey agent) at its regular monthly meeting.

Family impact

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

These amendments will not have an impact on the institution of the family or family stability.