

ITEM 10
ADOPTION OF PROPOSED REGULATORY ACTION
GENERAL CLEANUP PROVISIONS

PROPOSED AMENDMENTS TO
CALIFORNIA CODE OF REGULATIONS, TITLE 2, DIVISION 2, CHAPTER 2.5
REPEAL AND REPLACE ARTICLES 1, 2, 3, 4.5, 5, 6, 6.5, 7, 8, 8.5, AND 10

EXECUTIVE SUMMARY

The purpose of this rulemaking is to: (1) clarify and streamline Commission regulations; (2) eliminate duplicative language; and (3) improve the overall navigation and readability of the Commission's regulations by reorganizing and renumbering articles and sections.

Staff conducted an informal workshop on September 26, 2013, at which it solicited input from state and local agencies and members of the public on Commission staff's draft proposed regulations. Suggestions from that workshop are included in the proposed regulations to the extent that they are consistent with the constitutional and statutory duties of the Commission, the Commission's Mission Statement, and the stated purpose of this rulemaking.

At its regular meeting on December 6, 2013, the Commission adopted Order No. 13-01 to institute rulemaking proceedings in accordance with Government Code sections 11346.2, 11346.4, 11346.8, and 11346.9.

The proposed text was made available to the public for 45 days from December 20, 2013 through February 3, 2014, but no comments were received.

Pursuant to Government Code section 11346.9(a)(4), staff finds that no alternative would be more effective in carrying out the purpose for which the regulations are proposed or would be as effective as and less burdensome to affected private persons than the proposed regulations.

Staff Recommendation

Therefore, staff recommends that the Commission:

- Find that no alternative would be more effective in carrying out the purpose for which the regulations are proposed or would be as effective as and less burdensome to affected private persons than the proposed regulations.
- Adopt the proposed amendments to California Code of Regulations, Title 2, Division 2, Chapter 2.5, to repeal and replace Articles 1, 2, 3, 4.5, 5, 6, 6.5, 7, 8, 8.5, and 10, effective July 1, 2014.
- Authorize staff to make any non-substantive, technical corrections requested by the Office of Administrative Law or Barclays Official California Code of Regulations prior to publication.