

# Section 6

Notice of Intent

## DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC HEALTH

### NOTICE OF INTENT TO ADOPT REGULATIONS

Pursuant to § 4-168(a) of the Connecticut General Statutes, the Department of Public Health ("DPH") hereby gives notice of its intent to amend the Public Drinking Water Quality Standards, § 19-13-B102 of the Regulations of Connecticut State Agencies, under the authority of §§ 19a-36 and 25-32 of the Connecticut General Statutes.

**Statement of Purpose:** (A) The purpose of this amendment to section 19-13-B102 of the Regulations of Connecticut State Agencies is to ensure that every community water system is supported by an emergency generator or a department-approved alternative source of backup power. The amendment will also ensure that community water systems have emergency contingency and response plans to guide community water systems prior to, during and after power outages. Both the requirements for generators or department-approved sources of back-up power and the plans will help community water systems to prevent loss of water pressure or water outages, thereby protecting the system from exposure to bacterial contamination and associated waterborne diseases. (B) The amendment to section 19-13-B102 of the Regulations of Connecticut State Agencies requires community water systems to have emergency generators or department-approved sources of backup power and emergency contingency and response plans. (C) Amendments were made to section 19-13-B102 of the Regulations of Connecticut State Agencies.

Persons wishing to present their views and arguments regarding this proposed amendment are invited to do so in writing within thirty (30) days of the electronic publication of this notice on the Secretary of State's webpage to: Commissioner of Public Health, Department of Public Health, 410 Capital Avenue, MS #13COM, P.O. Box 340308, Harford, Connecticut 06134-0308; telephone number (860) 509-7101. A public hearing will be scheduled if requested by fifteen (15) or more persons, a governmental subdivision or agency, or an association having not less than fifteen (15) members, provided that notice of such request is made within thirty (30) days of the electronic publication of this notice on the Secretary of State's webpage.

In addition, copies of the proposed amendment may be obtained online on the DPH's webpage at <http://www.ct.gov/dph/cwp/view.asp?a=3118&q=537618>, by writing to Michael Hage, Public Drinking Water Section, Department of Public Health, 410 Capital Avenue, MS #51WAT, P.O. Box 340308, Harford, Connecticut 06134-0308, or by calling (860) 509-7333. The DPH has prepared a small business impact analysis required pursuant to section 4-168a that is available for review upon request.

STATE OF CONNECTICUT  
DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC HEALTH

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**NOTICE OF HEARING**

On April 4, 2014, pursuant to § 4-168(a) of the Connecticut General Statutes ("*Conn. Gen. Stat.*"), the Department of Public Health ("the DPH") gave notice of its intent to amend the Public Drinking Water Quality Standards, § 19-13-B102 of the Regulations of Connecticut State Agencies ("Proposed Regulations"), by having the Secretary of the State post a notice of its intended action online. On April 16, 2014, the DPH received from The Connecticut Water Works Association, Inc., an association of public water supply utilities with more than fifteen members, a request for a public hearing on the Proposed Regulations.

Accordingly, the DPH will hold a public hearing on May 20, 2014, at 1:00 p.m. at the Department of Public Health Complex, 410 Capitol Avenue, Hartford, Connecticut in Conference Room 470-C.

Pursuant to *Conn. Gen. Stat.* §19a-2a, the hearing shall be conducted by Kathryn Keenan, Esq., who is hereby appointed as Hearing Officer.

**If you require aid/accommodation to participate fully and fairly, please contact the DPH Public Health Hearing Office at (860) 509-7566.**

5/1/14

Date

Handwritten signature of Jewel Mullen in black ink.

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**From:** Kentfield, Jill  
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**Cc:** Ward, DeVaughn; Keenan, Kathryn  
**Subject:** Regulations regarding Public Drinking Water Quality Standards  
**Attachments:** Generator Regulations--Proposed Regulation for Formal AG Review--3-2015.pdf; Generator Regulations--Notice of Decision to Take Action--3-2015.pdf; Generator Regulations--Section 4-168(e) Statement-Hearing Report--3-2015.pdf

Attached please find the Department's notice of decision to take action on regulations section 19-13-B102 new (w) regarding Public Drinking Water Quality Standards.

Also attached is the final proposed version of the regulation and the summary of comments. All of these documents can also be found on the Department's website at: <http://www.ct.gov/dph/cwp/view.asp?a=3118&q=537618>

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**From:** Kentfield, Jill  
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**Cc:** Ward, DeVaughn  
**Subject:** FW: Generator Regulation--Ready for Formal AG Review  
**Attachments:** Generator Regulations--Proposed Regulation for Formal AG Review--3-2015.pdf; Generator Regulations--Fiscal Note--3-2015.pdf; Generator Regulations--Small Business Impact Statement--3-2015.pdf; Generator Regulations--Notice of Intent to Adopt Regulations--4-4-2014.pdf; Generator Regulations--Notice of Decision to Take Action--3-2015.pdf; Generator Regulations--Notice of Hearing--5-1-2014.pdf; Generator Regulations--Section 4-168(d) Statement-Hearing Report--3-2015.pdf

Good afternoon:

Attached you will find the Department's notification of its intent to create regulations regarding Standards for Public Drinking Water Quality Standards which mandates water systems to have an emergency generator available in the event the of loss of power.

Also attached is the regulation, small business impact statement, notice of hearing which was held on 5/1/2014, and the hearing report.

The Department is sending the regulations to the Attorney General's office for formal review today.

Please let me know if you have any questions.

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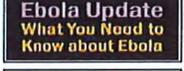
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### Notice of decision to take action on regulations

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*Department of Public Health Notices of Decision to Take Action on Regulations*

Pursuant to section 4-168 (d), this page includes the Department of Public Health's notice of decisions to adopt regulations as of July 1, 2013. Each notice will include (1) The final wording of the proposed regulation; (2) a statement of the principal reasons in support of its intended action; and (3) a statement of the principal considerations in opposition to its intended action as urged in written or oral comments on the proposed regulation and its reasons for rejecting such considerations.

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