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California Regulatory Law & the Public Interest
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Rulemaking

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Administrative Law

Branch of law governing the creation and operation of administrative agencies

Administrative law makes up a huge portion of “the law”

Regulations/rules: quasi-legislative

Hearings/adjudications: quasi-judicial
Office of Administrative Law (OAL)

- Makes sure other agencies follow Administrative Procedures Act (APA)
  - Cal. Gov’t Code § 11340 et seq. (LX; WL)
- OAL Website
- Emergency Regulations Currently Under Review
- Underground Regulation Determinations
  - List of determinations and contact info for obtaining
- Disapproval Decisions
  - List of decisions and contact info for obtaining if no PDF
- California Regulatory Notice Register Online (since 2018)
  - Weekly publication of notices of proposed action
  - 2002-2017 can be found through the Internet Archive, see a librarian for assistance finding earlier issues
Includes:

- Notice of a proposed regulation, detailed background information about the regulation and its anticipated impact, and contact information for submitting comments
  - Does not necessarily include the full text of the regulation but will explain where and how to obtain the full text (usually on the agency’s website)
- Rulemaking calendar
- Responses to public comments and public petitions for rulemaking
The Bulletin is a supplement to the Notice Register, published by Barclays, the private publisher that took over publication of California regulations in 1990. It primarily provides excerpts from the Notice Register.

1995 – present on Lexis
Once the rulemaking process is complete, the new or amended regulations will be incorporated into the California Code of Regulations (CCR).

The CCR is divided into titles by topic, then into divisions by agency.

Available on:
- Lexis
- Westlaw
- Bloomberg
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Statutory Authority

AUTHORITY:

Note: Authority cited: Section 6410, Labor Code. Reference: Sections 6409(a), 6409.3, and 6410,
Labor Code.

History

HISTORY:

1. New section filed 2-8-80; designated effective 5-1-80 (Register 80, No. 6).
2. Amendment of subsection (c) filed 1-13-83; effective thirtieth day thereafter (Register 83, No. 3).
3. Amendment filed 6-14-89; operative 7-14-89 (Register 89, No. 25).
4. Editorial correction of printing error in subsection (a) (Register 90, No. 6).
5. Amendment of subsections (a) and (c) filed 1-14-93; operative 2-16-93 (Register 93, No. 3).
6. Editorial correction of printing error in subsection (c) (Register 93, No. 44).
7. Amendment of subsection (c) filed 9-21-2015; operative 10-1-2015 pursuant to Government
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(b) If treatment is for pesticide poisoning or for a condition suspected to be pesticide poisoning, the physician shall also file a complete report directly with the Division within five days after initial treatment. In no case shall treatment administered for pesticide poisoning or suspected pesticide poisoning be deemed to be first aid treatment.

(c) The reports required by this Section shall be made on Form 5021, Rev. 5, Doctor’s First Report of Occupational Injury or Illness (sample forms may be secured from the Division), upon a form reproduced in accordance with Section 14007, or by use of computer input media prescribed by the Division and compatible with the Division’s computer equipment. However, reports may be submitted on Revision 4 of Form 5021 for dates of service prior to October 1, 2015. Although ICD-10 coding is required on or after October 1, 2015, for a twelve-month period ending October 1, 2016, no medical treatment or medical-legal bill shall be denied based solely on an error in the level of specificity of the ICD-10 diagnosis code(s) used. Providers may use either version of the form until December 31, 2015. As of January 1, 2016, providers must use the 2015 version of the form.

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8 CCR § 14003, 8 CA ADC § 14003

End of Document
Historical California Regulations

- **Westlaw: California Historical Regulations (2002-present)**
- **Lexis: archived code sections (varies, 2002 or later)**
- Older regulations are harder to find online, talk to a librarian about print and microform options
California Regulatory History Materials

• **Agency website**
  - [Internet Archive Wayback Machine](https://archive.org/)
  - [Archive of the California Government Domain, CA.gov](https://web.archive.org/)

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Saved 62 times between December 20, 2016 and August 13, 2021.
California Regulatory Notice Register Online

The California Regulatory Notice Register is published every Friday and includes a variety of notices by state agencies, including Notices of Proposed Actions for rulemakings, decisions not to proceed as well as other announcements or information. The California Regulatory Notice Register is available in hard copy and electronically.

The Official California Regulatory Notice Register is available in Adobe Acrobat (PDF) format. To view and print these documents, you must have the Adobe Acrobat Reader installed on your system. It is available from Adobe’s Web Site (it’s free!). Download Acrobat Reader.

2017 (PDF version)
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2016 (PDF version)
Jan | Feb | Mar | Apr | May | June | July | Aug | Sep | Oct | Nov | Dec |

2015 (PDF version)
California Regulatory History & Pending California Regulations

- **CA State Net Regulatory Text (2000-) (LX)**
  - Text of proposed and adopted California regulations and excerpts of notices from the Notice Register.

- **CA State Regulation Tracking (1990-) (LX)**
  - Lists of actions taken in the process of proposing or amending regulations.

- **California Proposed & Adopted Regulations - All (2006-) (WL)**
  - Text of proposed and adopted California regulations and excerpts of notices from the Notice Register.

- **California Regulation Tracking (2006-) (WL)**
  - Lists of actions taken in the process of proposing or amending regulations.

- **California Rulemaking (2010-) (Bloomberg)**
  - Text of proposed and adopted California regulations and excerpts of notices from the Notice Register.
Other Resources

• USD Guide: California Administrative Regulations Research
• UCLA Guide: California Administrative Law
• Witkin California Procedure on Administrative Proceedings (LX; WL)
• CalJur on Administrative Law (LX; WL)
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