

118 CMR: DISABLED PERSONS PROTECTION COMMISSION

118 CMR 10.00: ANNUAL REPORT

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118 CMR 10.00 identifies the manner in which the Commission shall make annual reports of its activities to the Governor and the General Court.

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The Commission shall report annually to the Governor and the General Court regarding its activities during the previous fiscal year. Said report shall be filed on or about September 15th, and the original shall be presented to the Governor, with copies presented to the President of the Senate and the Speaker of the House of Representatives. Copies shall be filed with the State Library and made available to the public.

10.03: Contents of Report

The annual report may contain:

- (1) statistics of the cases of suspected abuse of persons with disabilities reported to the Commission, including, but not limited to, information regarding reporters, referrals made by the Commission, results of and/or actions taken as a result of investigations, and information regarding the delivery of protective services;
- (2) recommendations of the Commission for proposed legislation regarding the protection of persons with disabilities;
- (3) review and analysis of the activities of the Commission's Special Investigation Unit staffed by State Troopers including, but not limited to, the number of criminal cases reported to the Commission, the number of such cases investigated and the type of crimes being committed against persons with disabilities and being reported to the Commission;
- (4) recommendations regarding resource development and unmet needs of persons with disabilities; and
- (5) any other information that the Commission deems relevant to the protection of persons with disabilities.

REGULATORY AUTHORITY

118 CMR 10.00: M.G.L. c. 19C, § 3(b).