

THE COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS OFFICE OF THE ATTORNEY GENERAL ONE ASHBURTON PLACE BOSTON, MASSACHUSETTS 02108

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Notice of Public Hearing and Comment Period

Notice is hereby given pursuant to M.G.L. c. 30A, § 2-3, that the Massachusetts Office of the Attorney General will hold a hybrid public hearing on Friday, September 22nd, 2023 at 1:00p.m. and accept public comment through Friday, September 22nd at 5:00p.m concerning the following regulatory action:

940 C.M.R. 37.00 (Promulgated Pursuant to St. 2022, c. 81, § 7: Act Relative to Work and Family Mobility)

The proposed regulation will make allowances and place limitations on information the Registry of Motor Vehicles (RMV) can share with third parties. The regulation will clarify the types of information and records that the RMV may disclose, the entities to which information can be disclosed, and the purposes for which information can be disclosed. It will also require that the RMV obtain certification from third parties with which it shares information or records that the information will not be used for impermissible purposes or shared with impermissible parties.

The in-person hearing will be held on the date and time specified above at the **Conference Room** on the 21st Floor of One Ashburton Place, Boston, MA 02108. To join the hearing virtually, please register at:

https://us06web.zoom.us/j/85985011582?pwd=MGdMdHg5eX1FNDdMdDdPZHpjU0lrUT09

Individuals who provide notice of their intent to testify during the hearing will be afforded an earlier opportunity to speak. Speakers are strongly encouraged to provide notice of their intention to testify at the hearing by emailing the address below with the subject line: "*Regulation Hearing Comment – 940 CMR 37.00*." Written comments will be accepted starting September 1^{st} , 2023 until 5:00 p.m. on September 22^{nd} , 2023.

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A copy of the above-listed regulations may be obtained by contacting Robert Fernandez at the above address or email address.



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| Small Business Impact Statement | | | | | | | | |
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| (As required by M.G.L. c. 30A §§ 2, 3 & 5) 940 CMR 37.00 | | | | | | | | |
| | | | | | Estimate of the Number of Small Businesses Impacted by the Regulation: Indeterminate at this time. | | | |
| | | | | | Select Yes or No and Briefly Explain | | | |
| Yes | No | Will small businesses have to create, file, or issue additional reports? | | | | | | |
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| | | We do not anticipate that small businesses will have additional reporting | | | | | | |
| Var | No | requirements. | | | | | | |
| Yes | No ⊠ | Will small businesses have to implement additional recordkeeping procedures? | | | | | | |
| | | We do not anticipate that small businesses will have to implement additional | | | | | | |
| | | recordkeeping procedures. | | | | | | |
| Yes | No | Will small businesses have to provide additional administrative oversight? | | | | | | |
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| | | We do not anticipate that small businesses will have to provide additional | | | | | | |
| | | administrative oversight. | | | | | | |
| Yes | No | Will small businesses have to hire additional employees in order to comply with | | | | | | |
| | \boxtimes | the proposed regulation? | | | | | | |
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| | | We do not anticipate that small businesses will have to hire additional staff to comply with the proposed regulation. | | | | | | |
| Yes | No | Does compliance with the regulation require small businesses to hire other | | | | | | |
| | | professionals (e.g. a lawyer, accountant, engineer, etc.)? | | | | | | |
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| | | We do not anticipate that small businesses will have to hire additional professionals | | | | | | |
| | | to comply with the proposed regulation. | | | | | | |
| Yes | No | Does the regulation require small businesses to purchase a product or make any | | | | | | |
| | \boxtimes | other capital investments in order to comply with the regulation? | | | | | | |
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| | | The regulations do not require small businesses to purchase a produce or make any | | | | | | |
| Vog | No | other capital investments to comply with the proposed regulation. | | | | | | |
| Yes | No ⊠ | Are performance standards more appropriate than design or operational standards to accomplish the regulatory objective? (Performance standards | | | | | | |
| | | express requirements in terms of outcomes, giving the regulated party flexibility | | | | | | |
| | | to achieve regulatory objectives and design/operational standards specify exactly | | | | | | |
| | | what actions regulated parties must take.) | | | | | | |
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| Yes | No ⊠ | Do any other regulations duplicate or conflict with the proposed regulation? |
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| | | No other regulations duplicate or conflict with the proposed regulation. |
| Yes | No Ø | Does the regulation require small businesses to cooperate with audits, inspections, or other regulatory enforcement activities? |
| | | The proposed regulation will require certain third parties to certify that some types of information obtained from the Registry of Motor Vehicles (RMV) cannot be used for impermissible purposes or shared with impermissible parties. |
| Yes | No Ø | Does the regulation require small businesses to provide educational services to keep up to date with regulatory requirements? |
| | | We do not anticipate that the proposed regulation will require small businesses to provide educational services. |
| Yes | No ⊠ | Is the regulation likely to <i>deter</i> the formation of small businesses in Massachusetts? |
| Yes | No Ø | Is the regulation likely to <i>encourage</i> the formation of small businesses in Massachusetts? |
| Yes | No Ø | Does the regulation provide for less stringent compliance or reporting requirements for small businesses? |
| | | We do not anticipate that the proposed regulation will affect compliance or reporting requirements for small businesses. |
| Yes | No ⊠ | Did the agency consolidate or simplify compliance or reporting requirements for small businesses? |
| | | We do not anticipate that the proposed regulations will affect compliance or reporting requirements for small businesses. |
| Yes | No ⊠ | Can performance standards for small businesses replace design or operational standards without hindering delivery of the regulatory objective? |
| Yes | No Ø | Are there alternative regulatory methods that would minimize the adverse impact on small businesses? |