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#### NOTICE OF HEARING

Pursuant to M.G.L. c. 146, §53, 53A, and c. 30A, §2, the Division of Occupational Licensure will be holding a public hearing relative to hoisting machinery, 520 CMR 6.00.

The purpose of these amendments is to remove outdated references in these regulations as well as to make changes designed to ease pathways to obtaining and retaining licensure and removal of unnecessary requirements to assist in business operations. This includes clarifying definitions, expanding the ability to utilize temporary permits, reducing continuing education requirements, and recognizing national certifications as an alternative pathway to licensure. A small business impact statement has been filed with the Secretary of the Commonwealth's Office. The Division will hold the public hearing in person and encourages live attendance, a remote option is also being provided, the details are as follows:

Wednesday, August 20, 2025, at 10:00 a.m.:

Division of Occupational Licensure – Room 6008 1 Federal Street, 6<sup>th</sup> Floor Boston, MA 02110

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Interested Parties will be given an opportunity to present testimony orally or in writing at this hearing. The Division will also accept written comments regarding the regulations sent via email at Email Office of Public Safety and Inspections, Division of Occupational Licensure at OPSI-info@mass.gov or by mail at this address:

Division of Occupational Licensure Office of Public Safety and Inspections – ATTN Hoisting Program 1 Federal Street, 6th Floor Boston, MA 02210



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Written comments must be received by 5:00 p.m. on **Monday, August 18, 2025**. A copy of the proposed regulations may be obtained at the Division's web site located at: https://www.mass.gov/orgs/office-of-public-safety-and-inspections or by contacting the Division office directly at the above address or by phone: (617) 727-3200.