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NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

Notice is hereby given that, pursuant to M.G.L. c. 30A, §2, the Department of Correction and the Executive Office of Public Safety and Security will hold a public hearing on establishing two new regulations:

103 CMR 179: Restrictive Housing Oversight Committee 501 CMR 17: Medical Parole

The hearing date is Monday, July 8, 2019 at 10:00 a.m at the Ashburton Café Function Room in the McCormack Building, One Ashburton Place, Boston, MA 02108. Speakers are requested to provide a written copy of their planned testimony and all interested parties are encouraged to submit written comments electronically. Comments relating to 103 CMR 179 should be submitted to <u>kathleen.richard@state.ma.us</u> or Kathleen Richard, Paralegal Specialist, Department of Correction, 70 Franklin Street, Suite 600, Boston, MA 02110, and comments relating to 501 CMR 17 should be submitted to john.melander@mass.gov or John Melander, Deputy General Counsel, Executive Office of Public Safety and Security (EOPSS), One Ashburton Place, Boston, MA 02108. All written or oral comments submitted to the Department or EOPSS may be posted on the Department's or EOPSS's website respectively, and released in response to a request for public records. <u>All written testimony and comments must be submitted by</u> 5:00 p.m. on July 8, 2019 in order to be taken under advisement.

Copies of the proposed regulations may be viewed on the Department's website, <u>www.mass.gov/DOC</u> (103 CMR 179) or <u>www.mass.gov/eopss</u> (501 CMR 17) or obtained from the Department's Regulations Paralegal at 617-727-3300, ext. 1141.