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NOTICE OF HEARING

Pursuant to M.G.L. c. 142, §4, 13 and c. 30A, §2, the Board of State Examiners of Plumbers and Gas Fitters will hold a public hearing relative to proposed promulgation of amendments to the Board's regulations at 248 CMR 3.00 and 11.00, which govern the administrative and licensing provisions relative to Massachusetts' plumbing and gas codes. The proposed revisions are part of a recent initiative by the Governor to streamline business operations while balancing consumer protection measures. In particular, these amendments are designed to remove outdated and unnecessary requirements, provide new pathways to licensure, and otherwise clarify language making compliance easier and more cost effective. A small business impact statement has been filed with the Secretary of Commonwealth's Office.

The Board will hold this public hearing remotely on:

Wednesday, August 27, 2025 at 9:00 a.m., by videoconference:

<https://www.microsoft.com/en-us/microsoft-teams/join-a-meeting>

Meeting ID: 290 022 548 433 4

Passcode: sX79w9er

Or call in to:

(857) 327-9245, Phone Conference ID: 754 677 496

Interested Parties will be given an opportunity to present testimony orally or in writing at this hearing. The Board will also accept written comments regarding the regulations sent via email at plumbingboard@mass.gov or by mail at this address:

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Written comments must be received by 5:00 p.m. on **Monday, August 25, 2025**. A copy of the proposed regulations may be obtained at the Board's web site located at: <http://www.mass.gov/dpl/boards/pl/> or by contacting the Board office directly at the above address or by phone: (617) 701-8798.

