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REGULATIONS

AGENCY WITH RULEMAKING AUTHORITY Veterinary Medical Board, Department of Consumer Affairs	AGENCY FILE NUMBER (If any)
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A. PUBLICATION OF NOTICE (Complete for publication in Notice Register)

1. SUBJECT OF NOTICE	TITLE(S)	FIRST SECTION AFFECTED	2. REQUESTED PUBLICATION DATE
3. NOTICE TYPE <input type="checkbox"/> Notice re Proposed Regulatory Action <input type="checkbox"/> Other	4. AGENCY CONTACT PERSON	TELEPHONE NUMBER	FAX NUMBER (Optional)
OAL USE ONLY <input type="checkbox"/> Approved as Submitted <input type="checkbox"/> Approved as Modified <input type="checkbox"/> Disapproved/Withdrawn	ACTION ON PROPOSED NOTICE	NOTICE REGISTER NUMBER 2023 36-2	PUBLICATION DATE 9/8/23

B. SUBMISSION OF REGULATIONS (Complete when submitting regulations)

1a. SUBJECT OF REGULATION(S) RVT Equivalent Experience and Education	1b. ALL PREVIOUS RELATED OAL REGULATORY ACTION NUMBER(S)
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2. SPECIFY CALIFORNIA CODE OF REGULATIONS TITLE(S) AND SECTION(S) (Including title 26, if toxics related)	ADOPT
SECTION(S) AFFECTED (List all section number(s) individually. Attach additional sheet if needed.)	AMEND 2068.5
TITLE(S) 16	REPEAL

3. TYPE OF FILING	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Regular Rulemaking (Gov. Code §11346)	<input type="checkbox"/> Certificate of Compliance: The agency officer named below certifies that this agency complied with the provisions of Gov. Code §§11346.2-11347.3 either before the emergency regulation was adopted or within the time period required by statute.	<input type="checkbox"/> Emergency Readopt (Gov. Code, §11346.1(h))	<input type="checkbox"/> Changes Without Regulatory Effect (Cal. Code Regs., title 1, §100)
	<input type="checkbox"/> Resubmittal of disapproved or withdrawn nonemergency filing (Gov. Code §§11349.3, 11349.4)	<input type="checkbox"/> Resubmittal of disapproved or withdrawn emergency filing (Gov. Code, §11346.1)	<input type="checkbox"/> File & Print	<input type="checkbox"/> Print Only
	<input type="checkbox"/> Emergency (Gov. Code, §11346.1(b))	<input type="checkbox"/> Other (Specify)		

4. ALL BEGINNING AND ENDING DATES OF AVAILABILITY OF MODIFIED REGULATIONS AND/OR MATERIAL ADDED TO THE RULEMAKING FILE (Cal. Code Regs. title 1, §44 and Gov. Code §11347.1)

5. EFFECTIVE DATE OF CHANGES (Gov. Code, §§ 11343.4, 11346.1(d); Cal. Code Regs., title 1, §100)	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Effective January 1, April 1, July 1, or October 1 (Gov. Code §11343.4(a))	<input type="checkbox"/> Effective on filing with Secretary of State	<input type="checkbox"/> \$100 Changes Without Regulatory Effect	<input type="checkbox"/> Effective other (Specify)
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6. CHECK IF THESE REGULATIONS REQUIRE NOTICE TO, OR REVIEW, CONSULTATION, APPROVAL OR CONCURRENCE BY, ANOTHER AGENCY OR ENTITY	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Department of Finance (Form STD. 399) (SAM §6660)	<input type="checkbox"/> Fair Political Practices Commission	<input type="checkbox"/> State Fire Marshal
	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Other (Specify) Kimberly Kirchmeyer, Director, Department of Consumer Affairs		

7. CONTACT PERSON Jeffrey Olguin	TELEPHONE NUMBER (916) 282-6893	FAX NUMBER (Optional) (916) 928-6849	E-MAIL ADDRESS (Optional) jeffrey.olguin@dca.ca.gov
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8. I certify that the attached copy of the regulation(s) is a true and correct copy of the regulation(s) identified on this form, that the information specified on this form is true and correct, and that I am the head of the agency taking this action, or a designee of the head of the agency, and am authorized to make this certification.

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SIGNATURE OF AGENCY HEAD OR DESIGNEE	DATE
<i>Jessica Sieferman</i>	11/27/2023

TYPED NAME AND TITLE OF SIGNATORY  
Jessica Sieferman, Executive Officer, Veterinary Medical Board

DEPARTMENT OF CONSUMER AFFAIRS  
TITLE 16. PROFESSIONAL AND VOCATIONAL REGULATIONS  
**DIVISION 20. VETERINARY MEDICAL BOARD**

**FINAL STATEMENT OF REASONS**

**SUBJECT MATTER OF PROPOSED REGULATIONS:** RVT Equivalent Experience and Education

**SECTION(S) AFFECTED:** Section 2068.5 of article 6 of division 20, title 16 of the California Code of Regulations (CCR)

**UPDATED INFORMATION**

The Informative Digest and the Initial Statement of Reasons (ISOR) are included in the rulemaking file and incorporated as though set forth herein. The ISOR is updated as follows:

The 45-day public comment period ran from August 29, 2023 to October 23, 2023. The Veterinary Medical Board's (Board) Notice indicated the Board did not intend to hold a hearing on the matter, unless requested. The Board did not receive a request to hold a hearing on this rulemaking. The Board received two positive public comments.

**LOCAL MANDATE**

A local mandate is not imposed on local agencies or school districts.

**FISCAL IMPACT**

The proposed regulations do not result in a fiscal impact to the state in the form of federal funding or any cost or savings to any state agency.

**SMALL BUSINESS IMPACT**

The Board has determined that this rulemaking proposal will not have a significant adverse economic impact on small businesses.

**CONSIDERATION OF ALTERNATIVES**

No reasonable alternatives were proposed that would be more effective in carrying out the purpose for which the regulation was proposed or would be as effective and less burdensome to affected private persons than the proposed regulation or would be more cost effective to affected private persons and equally effective in achieving the purposes of the regulation in a manner that ensures full compliance with the law being implemented or made specific.