

Open Comment Period until September 21

The following state board recently introduced proposed rulemakings:

State Registration Board for Professional Engineers, Land Surveyors and Geologists

Regulation #16A-4712: Digital Signature and Seal

IRRC – <http://www.irrc.state.pa.us/regulations/RegSrchRsIts.cfm?ID=3275>

Pennsylvania Bulletin–

<http://www.pacodeandbulletin.gov/Display/pabull?file=/secure/pabulletin/data/vol50/50-34/1142.html>

These proposals were delivered to the Independent Regulatory Review Commission (IRRC), the Senate Consumer Protection and Professional Licensure Committee and the House Professional Licensure Committee for review on August 11, 2020. Copies of the proposals, as delivered to these parties, can be found on IRRC's website. This copy of the proposal includes the required Regulatory Analysis Form and copies of any forms referenced in the rulemaking. If IRRC has comments on any of the proposals, those comments must be delivered to the appropriate state board by October 21, 2020; comments will be posted on IRRC's website.

These proposals were published in the August 22, 2020, edition of the *Pennsylvania Bulletin* and opened for public comment. Each proposal has a 30-day comment period that closes on September 21, 2020. The proposal includes instructions for submitting comments to the Board. Please base any comments on the published version of the proposal. Any comments submitted to a state board will be shared with IRRC and the legislative committees. In addition, the comments will be posted to IRRC's website.

Public Comment

Interested persons are invited to submit written comments, suggestions or objections regarding this proposed rulemaking to the Regulatory Counsel, State Registration Board for Professional Engineers, Land Surveyors and Geologists, by mail at P.O. Box 69523, Harrisburg, PA 17106-5923 or by e-mail at **RA-STRegulatoryCounsel@pa.gov** within 30 days following publication of this proposed rulemaking in the *Pennsylvania Bulletin*. **Reference No. 16A-4712 (Digital Signature and Seal), when submitting comments.**