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Exempt Action Final Regulation Agency Background Document

Agency name	Virginia Department of Agriculture and Consumer Services
Virginia Administrative Code (VAC) citation	2 VAC 5-340
Regulation title	Rules and Regulations for Enforcement of the Virginia Weights and Measures Law
Action title	Changing Title 3.1 references to Title 3.2 as a result of the recodification of Title 3.1
Final agency action date	December 4, 2008
Document preparation date	January 6, 2009

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Summary

Please provide a brief summary of all regulatory changes, including the rationale behind such changes. Alert the reader to all substantive matters or changes. If applicable, generally describe the existing regulation.

The recodification of Title 3.1, which became effective October 1, 2008, makes it necessary to update any Title 3.1 reference in the regulation with the new Title 3.2.

This regulatory action will make the following changes:

Section 140 - Delete the statement "(Section 3.1-952 Weights and Measures Law [repealed])."

Section 170 - Delete § 3.1-949 and replace it with § 3.2-5631

Section 180 – Delete §§ 3.1-926, 3.1-928 and 3.1-934 and replace it with §§ 3.2-5607, 3.2-5609, and 3.2-5613, respectively

Statement of final agency action

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Please provide a statement of the final action taken by the agency including (1) the date the action was taken, (2) the name of the agency taking the action, and (3) the title of the regulation.

On December 4, 2008, the Board of Agriculture and Consumer Services approved the change to 2 VAC5-340, Rules and Regulations for Enforcement of the Virginia Weights and Measures Law.

Family impact

Assess the impact of this regulatory action on the institution of the family and family stability.

This regulatory action will have no impact on the institution of the family and family stability.