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Exempt Action Final Regulation Agency Background Document

Agency name	Department of Taxation ("TAX")
Virginia Administrative Code (VAC) citation	23 VAC 10-20-155
Regulation title	Retail Sales and Use Tax and General Provisions
Action title	Movement of the Administrative Rulings regulation section, 23VAC10-210-20, from the Sales and Use Tax Regulation to the General Provisions applicable to all tax regulations.
Document preparation date	August 7, 2008

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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.

This regulatory action will change the regulation title and section number of 23VAC10-210-20 to 23VAC10-20-155. These changes will not impact or change TAX's current policy on administrative rulings. It will just clarify that they apply to all taxes administered by TAX. As this action is only a change in form and style, it qualifies for exemption from the Administrative Process Act and the Virginia Register Act under *Code of Va.* § 2.2-4006 A (3).

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.

The Tax Commissioner approved the movement of the Administrative Rulings regulation section, 23VAC10-210-20, from the Sales and Use Tax Regulation to the General Provisions on October 14, 2005.

Family impact

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

This regulatory action is not expected to have an impact on family formation, stability and autonomy.