The Department for Public Health has filed the following administrative regulations with the Legislative Research Commission (LRC). These administrative regulations will be available on the LRC website at [https://apps.legislature.ky.gov/law/kar/titles/902/](https://apps.legislature.ky.gov/law/kar/titles/902/) in the coming weeks.

**Medical Reserve Corps**

- **902 KAR 20:500. Medical reserve corps.** This new administrative regulation establishes a volunteer’s eligibility for worker’s compensation coverage during an emergency or declared emergency response.

**Radiation Health Branch**

- **902 KAR 100:019. Standards for protection against radiation.** This administrative regulation establishes standards for the protection of the user and general public against radiation exposure and establishes standards for protection against ionizing radiation resulting from activities conducted by persons issued registrations by the cabinet. This administrative regulation establishes standards to control the receipt, possession, use, transfer, and disposal of sources of radiation by a person or registrant so the total dose to an individual (including doses resulting from registered and unregistered radiation sources other than background radiation) shall not exceed the standards for protection against radiation established in this administrative regulation. The amendment to this administrative regulation clarifies that the requirements for registration and monitoring are applicable to sources of ionizing radiation and those who work with those machines, updates the dose limits to current industry standards, and makes other changes necessary for KRS Chapter 13A compliance.

- **902 KAR 100:040. General provisions for specific licenses.** This administrative regulation establishes the general licensing requirements for certain uses of radioactive material and specific devices containing radioactive material. The amendment to this administrative regulation adopts by reference the requirements of 10 C.F.R. Part 30.

- **902 KAR 100:050. General licenses.** This administrative regulation establishes the general licensing requirements for certain uses of radioactive material and specific devices containing radioactive material. The amendment to this administrative regulation adopts by reference the requirements of 10 C.F.R. Part 31.

- **902 KAR 100:058. Specific licenses to manufacture, assemble, repair, or distribute products.** This administrative regulation establishes requirements for issuing specific licenses to persons who manufacture, assemble, repair, or distribute commodities, products, or devices, that contain radioactive material. The amendment to this
administrative regulation adopts by reference the applicable requirements of 10 C.F.R. Part 32.

- **902 KAR 100:065. Reciprocal recognition.** This administrative regulation provides reciprocal recognition of radioactive material licenses issued by the United States Nuclear Regulatory Commission or another agreement state. The amendment to this administrative regulation adopts by reference the applicable requirements of 10 C.F.R. Part 150.

- **902 KAR 100:165. Notices, reports, and instructions to employees.** This administrative regulation establishes the notices, instructions, and reports for the protection of workers who may be exposed to radiation in their employment. The amendment to this administrative regulation updates the annual dosage exposure notification requirements, updates the citations to report potential labor violations, and makes other changes necessary for KRS Chapter 13A compliance.

- **902 KAR 100:185. Standards for protection against radiation from radioactive materials.** This new administrative regulation establishes the receipt, possession, use, transfer, and disposal of licensed material by any licensee in such a manner that the total dose to an individual, including doses resulting from licensed and unlicensed radioactive material and from radiation sources other than background radiation, does not exceed the standards for protection against radiation.

- **902 KAR 100:195. Licensing of special nuclear material.** This new administrative regulation establishes procedures and criteria for the issuance of licenses to receive title to, own, acquire, deliver, receive, possess, use, and transfer special nuclear material, and establishes and provides for the terms and conditions upon which the cabinet will issue such licenses.

- **902 KAR 100:200. Licenses and radiation safety requirements for irradiators.** This new administrative regulation establishes the requirements for the issuance of a license authorizing the use of sealed sources containing radioactive materials in irradiators used to irradiate objects or materials using gamma radiation. This part also contains radiation safety requirements for operating irradiators.

Details for the public hearing and comment period on these administrative regulations is as follows:

A public hearing on these administrative regulations shall, if requested, be held on August 21, 2023, at 9:00 a.m. using the CHFS Office of Legislative and Regulatory Affairs Zoom meeting room. The Zoom invitation will be emailed to each requestor the week prior to the scheduled hearing. Individuals interested in attending this virtual hearing shall notify this agency in writing by August 14, 2023, five (5) workdays prior to the hearing, of their intent to attend. If no notification of intent to attend the hearing is received by that date, the hearing may be canceled. This hearing is open to the public. Any person who attends virtually will be given an opportunity to comment on these proposed administrative regulations. A transcript of the public hearing will not be made unless a written request for a transcript is made. If you do not wish to be heard at the public hearing, you may submit written comments on these proposed administrative regulations until August 31, 2023. Send written notification of intent to attend
the public hearing or written comments on the proposed administrative regulations to the contact person. Pursuant to KRS 13A.280(8), copies of the statement of consideration and, if applicable, the amended after comments version of the administrative regulations shall be made available upon request.

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