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**DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC SAFETY**  
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DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC SAFETY  
**BUREAU OF EMERGENCY MEDICAL SERVICES (MAINE EMS)**  
2020-2021 Regulatory Agenda  
June 22, 2020

AGENCY UMBRELLA UNIT: **16-163**

AGENCY NAME: Department of Public Safety, **Bureau of Emergency Medical Services (Maine EMS)**

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**EMERGENCY RULES ADOPTED SINCE THE LAST REGULATORY AGENDA:** None

**EXPECTED 2020-2021 RULE-MAKING ACTIVITY:**

**CHAPTER 1:** Mission and Goals of the Maine EMS System

STATUTORY AUTHORITY: 32 MRS ch. 2-B §84.1

PURPOSE: To ensure that the mission and goals of Maine EMS and the Maine EMS System are consistent with applicable statutes and system philosophy.

SCHEDULE FOR ADOPTION: Prior to October 1, 2021

LISTING OF AFFECTED PARTIES: All current licensed EMS services (n=279), licensed EMD Centers (n=28), licensed EMS personnel (n=5101), licensed EMD providers (n=546) and licensed Instructor Coordinators (n=188).

CONSENSUS-BASED RULE DEVELOPMENT: not contemplated

**CHAPTER 2:** Definitions

STATUTORY AUTHORITY: 32 MRS ch. 2-B §84.1

PURPOSE: To ensure consistency with and provide clarification to all chapters of the Maine EMS rules.

SCHEDULE FOR ADOPTION: Prior to October 1, 2021

LISTING OF AFFECTED PARTIES: All current licensed EMS services (n=279), licensed EMD Centers (n=28), licensed EMS personnel (n=5101), licensed EMD providers (n=546) and licensed Instructor Coordinators (n=188).

CONSENSUS-BASED RULE DEVELOPMENT: not contemplated

**CHAPTER 3:** Ground Ambulance Service and Non-Transporting Service Licenses

STATUTORY AUTHORITY: 32 MRS ch. 2-B §84.1

PURPOSE: To amend the approval process for EMS service licenses; adopt rules regarding online licensing and administrative functions; adopt and/or amend requirements pertaining to Quality Assurance/Quality Improvement; adopt or amend rules pertaining to the operations of a licensed EMS service; adopt or amend rules pertaining to run reporting; amend or clarify rules regarding the process, terms and fees associated with the issuance of new and renewal EMS service licenses; adopt or amend rules regarding license levels and response; adopt or amend rules regarding prioritized response; and adopt or amend rules concerning Paramedic Inter-Facility Transfers (PIFT) and Inter-Facility Transfers (IFT).

SCHEDULE FOR ADOPTION: Prior to October 1, 2021

LISTING OF AFFECTED PARTIES: All current licensed EMS services (n=279), licensed EMD Centers (n=28), licensed EMS personnel (n=5101), licensed EMD providers (n=546) and licensed Instructor Coordinators (n=188).

CONSENSUS-BASED RULE DEVELOPMENT: not contemplated

**CHAPTER 3-A: Emergency Medical Dispatch (EMD) Center Licenses**

STATUTORY AUTHORITY: 32 MRS ch. 2-B §84.1

PURPOSE: To amend the approval process for EMD Center Licensing; adopt or amend rules regarding online licensing and administrative functions; adopt and/or amend requirements pertaining to Quality Assurance/Quality Improvement; adopt or amend rules pertaining to the operations of a licensed EMD Center; amend or clarify rules regarding the process, terms and fees associated with the issuance of new and renewal EMD Center Licenses; and adopt or amend rules concerning prioritized dispatch.

SCHEDULE FOR ADOPTION: Prior to October 1, 2021

LISTING OF AFFECTED PARTIES: All licensed EMD Centers (n=28) and licensed EMD personnel (n=546).

CONSENSUS-BASED RULE DEVELOPMENT: not contemplated

**CHAPTER 4: Air Ambulance Service Licenses**

STATUTORY AUTHORITY: 32 MRS ch. 2-B §84.1

PURPOSE: To amend rules pertaining to air ambulance services; adopt and/or amend requirements pertaining to Quality Assurance/Quality Improvement for air ambulance licensees; adopt rules regarding online licensing and administrative functions; adopt or amend rules pertaining to the operations of a licensed EMS air ambulance service; and amend or clarify rules regarding the process, terms and fees associated with the issuance of new and renewal air ambulance service licenses.

SCHEDULE FOR ADOPTION: Prior to October 1, 2021

LISTING OF AFFECTED PARTIES: All current licensed EMS services (n=279) and licensed EMS personnel (n=5101).

CONSENSUS-BASED RULE DEVELOPMENT: not contemplated

**CHAPTER 5: Personnel Licenses**

STATUTORY AUTHORITY: 32 MRS ch. 2-B §84.1

PURPOSE: To amend requirements for obtaining and maintaining an individual EMS license; amend rules regarding licensing for individuals with previous criminal or professional-license action records; adopt rules regarding online licensing and administrative functions; amend or adopt rules concerning continuing education requirements for licensure; change requirements regarding medical control of EMS licensees; adopt and/or amend requirements pertaining to Quality Assurance/Quality Improvement for EMS licensees; amend, adopt or clarify rules regarding the process, terms and fees associated with the issuance of new and renewal individual EMS licenses; adopt or amend rules pertaining to the scope of practice of a licensed EMS provider; adopt or amend rules regarding the practice of EMS patient care in nontraditional settings; and adopt or amend rules regarding Paramedic Inter-Facility Transfers (PIFT).

SCHEDULE FOR ADOPTION: Prior to October 1, 2021

LISTING OF AFFECTED PARTIES: All current licensed EMS services (n=279) and licensed EMS personnel (n=5101).

CONSENSUS-BASED RULE DEVELOPMENT: not contemplated

**CHAPTER 5-A: Emergency Medical Dispatcher Licenses**

STATUTORY AUTHORITY: 32 MRS ch. 2-B §84.1

PURPOSE: To amend requirements for obtaining and maintaining an individual Emergency Medical Dispatcher (EMD) license; amend rules regarding licensing for individuals with previous criminal or professional-license action records; adopt or amend rules regarding online licensing and administrative functions; change requirements regarding protocols and medical direction of EMD licensees; adopt and/or amend requirements pertaining to Quality Assurance/Quality Improvement for EMD licensees; amend, adopt or clarify rules regarding the process, terms and fees associated with the issuance of new and renewal individual EMD licenses; and adopt or amend rules pertaining to the scope of practice of a licensed EMD provider.

SCHEDULE FOR ADOPTION: Prior to October 1, 2018

LISTING OF AFFECTED PARTIES: All current licensed EMD Centers (n=34) and licensed EMD personnel (n=546).

CONSENSUS-BASED RULE DEVELOPMENT: not contemplated

**CHAPTER 6: Advanced Life Support Drugs and Medications**

STATUTORY AUTHORITY: 32 MRS ch. 2-B §84.1

PURPOSE: To amend rules regarding the acquisition, storage, use, disposal and accountability of medications used by EMS providers and licensed services.

SCHEDULE FOR ADOPTION: Prior to October 1, 2021

LISTING OF AFFECTED PARTIES: All current licensed EMS services (n=279) and licensed EMS personnel (n=5101).

CONSENSUS-BASED RULE DEVELOPMENT: not contemplated

**CHAPTER 7: State Licensure Examinations**

STATUTORY AUTHORITY: 32 MRS ch. 2-B §84.1

PURPOSE: To amend and clarify rules regarding EMS license examinations consistent with system needs and philosophy.

SCHEDULE FOR ADOPTION: Prior to October 1, 2021

LISTING OF AFFECTED PARTIES: All current licensed EMS services (n=279), licensed EMS personnel (n=5101) and licensed Training Centers (n=6).

CONSENSUS-BASED RULE DEVELOPMENT: not contemplated

**CHAPTER 8: Training Courses and Continuing Education Programs Used for Licensure**

STATUTORY AUTHORITY: 32 MRS ch. 2-B §84.1

PURPOSE: To adopt or amend rules regarding the delivery of EMS education, and to reorganize CEH categories and hours.

SCHEDULE FOR ADOPTION: Prior to October 1, 2021

LISTING OF AFFECTED PARTIES: All current licensed EMS services (n=279), licensed EMS personnel (n=5101), licensed Instructor Coordinators (n=188) and licensed Training Centers (n=6).

CONSENSUS-BASED RULE DEVELOPMENT: not contemplated

**CHAPTER 8-A: Training Centers**

STATUTORY AUTHORITY: 32 MRS ch. 2-B §84.1

PURPOSE: To adopt or amend rules regarding the approval, renewal and authorization procedures for Training Centers and to adopt or amend Rules regarding the requirements, standards, operation and procedures of Maine EMS authorized Training Centers.

SCHEDULE FOR ADOPTION: Prior to October 1, 2021  
LISTING OF AFFECTED PARTIES: All current licensed EMS services (n=279), licensed EMS personnel (n=5101), licensed Instructor Coordinators (n=188) and licensed Training Centers (n=6).  
CONSENSUS-BASED RULE DEVELOPMENT: not contemplated

**CHAPTER 9:** Instructor Coordinator Licenses  
STATUTORY AUTHORITY: 32 MRS ch. 2-B §84.1  
PURPOSE: To adopt or amend rules regarding EMS Instructor Coordinator licensing.  
SCHEDULE FOR ADOPTION: Prior to October 1, 2021  
LISTING OF AFFECTED PARTIES: All current licensed EMS services (n=279), licensed EMS personnel (n=5101), licensed Instructor Coordinators (n=188) and licensed Training centers (n=6).  
CONSENSUS-BASED RULE DEVELOPMENT: not contemplated

**CHAPTER 9-A:** Emergency Medical Dispatch Training, Instructors and Continuing Education Programs  
STATUTORY AUTHORITY: 32 MRS ch. 2-B §84.1  
PURPOSE: To adopt or amend rules regarding Emergency Medical Dispatcher Training, Instructors and continuing education programs.  
SCHEDULE FOR ADOPTION: Prior to October 1, 2021  
LISTING OF AFFECTED PARTIES: All licensed EMD Centers (n=28) and licensed EMD personnel (n=546).  
CONSENSUS-BASED RULE DEVELOPMENT: not contemplated

**CHAPTER 10:** Reciprocity  
STATUTORY AUTHORITY: 32 MRS ch. 2-B §84.1  
PURPOSE: To adopt or amend rules regarding requirements for reciprocal licensing of EMS providers or services.  
SCHEDULE FOR ADOPTION: Prior to October 1, 2021  
LISTING OF AFFECTED PARTIES: All current licensed EMS services (n=279) and licensed EMS personnel (n=5101).  
CONSENSUS-BASED RULE DEVELOPMENT: not contemplated

**CHAPTER 11:** Standards and Procedures for Refusing to Issue or Renew a License and for Modifying, Suspending or Revoking a License  
STATUTORY AUTHORITY: 32 MRS ch. 2-B §84.1  
PURPOSE: To adopt, amend and clarify rules regarding the standards and procedures for refusing to issue, or renew, a license, and for modifying, suspending, or revoking a license or certification, or authorization  
SCHEDULE FOR ADOPTION: Prior to October 1, 2021  
LISTING OF AFFECTED PARTIES: All current licensed EMS services (n=279), licensed EMD Centers (n=28), licensed EMS personnel (n=5101), licensed EMD personnel (n=546), Instructor Coordinators (n=188) and licensed Training Centers (n=6).  
CONSENSUS-BASED RULE DEVELOPMENT: not contemplated

**CHAPTER 12:** Procedures for Licensing Actions and Board Actions  
STATUTORY AUTHORITY: 32 MRS ch. 2-B §84.1  
PURPOSE: To adopt or amend rules in accordance with Legislative changes made to Maine statute and to ensure consistency with applicable Maine statute.

SCHEDULE FOR ADOPTION: Prior to October 1, 2021  
LISTING OF AFFECTED PARTIES: All current licensed EMS services (n=279), licensed EMD Centers (n=28), licensed EMS personnel (n=5101) licensed EMD personnel (n=546), licensed Training centers (n=6) and licensed Instructor Coordinators (n=186).  
CONSENSUS-BASED RULE DEVELOPMENT: not contemplated

**CHAPTER 13: Waiver of Rules**

STATUTORY AUTHORITY: 32 MRS ch. 2-B §84.1  
PURPOSE: To adopt or amend rules regarding waiver by the Board of EMS of any rule.  
SCHEDULE FOR ADOPTION: Prior to October 1, 2021  
LISTING OF AFFECTED PARTIES: All current licensed EMS services (n=279), licensed EMD Centers (n=28), licensed EMS personnel (n=5101) licensed EMD personnel (n=546), licensed Training Centers (n=6) and licensed Instructor Coordinators (n=188).  
CONSENSUS-BASED RULE DEVELOPMENT: not contemplated

**CHAPTER 14: Sexual Misconduct**

STATUTORY AUTHORITY: 32 MRS ch. 2-B §84.1  
PURPOSE: To adopt or amend rules regarding sexual misconduct by EMS licensees and certificates.  
SCHEDULE FOR ADOPTION: Prior to October 1, 2021  
LISTING OF AFFECTED PARTIES: All current licensed EMS services (n=279), licensed EMD Centers (n=28), licensed EMS personnel (n=5101), licensed EMD providers (n=546) and licensed Instructor Coordinators (n=188).  
CONSENSUS-BASED RULE DEVELOPMENT: not contemplated

**CHAPTER 15: Maine EMS Regions and Regional Councils**

STATUTORY AUTHORITY: 32 MRS ch. 2-B §84.1  
PURPOSE: To adopt or amend rules regarding: the number of EMS regions and regional councils; the definition, structure, designation, area and responsibilities of EMS regions and regional councils; service affiliation with regions and regional councils; and Medical Control and regional medical direction and regional medical directors.  
SCHEDULE FOR ADOPTION: Prior to October 1, 2021  
LISTING OF AFFECTED PARTIES: All current licensed EMS services (n=279) and licensed EMS personnel (n=5101) and Regions (n=6).  
CONSENSUS-BASED RULE DEVELOPMENT: not contemplated

**CHAPTER 16: Death Benefits for Emergency Medical Services Persons Who Die in the Line of Duty**

STATUTORY AUTHORITY: 32 MRS ch. 2-B §84.1  
PURPOSE: To adopt or amend rules regarding death benefits for emergency medical services persons, pursuant to 25 MRS, ch. 195-A  
SCHEDULE FOR ADOPTION: Prior to October 1, 2021  
LISTING OF AFFECTED PARTIES: All current licensed EMS services (n=279), licensed EMS personnel (n=5101).  
CONSENSUS-BASED RULE DEVELOPMENT: not contemplated

**CHAPTER 17: Equipment Lists for Maine EMS Services and Regional EMS Radio Frequencies**

STATUTORY AUTHORITY: 32 MRS ch. 2-B §84.1

PURPOSE: To adopt or amend rules regarding minimum equipment requirements for EMS services and regional EMS radio frequencies.

SCHEDULE FOR ADOPTION: Prior to October 1, 2021

LISTING OF AFFECTED PARTIES: All current licensed EMS services (n=279) and licensed EMS personnel (n=5101).

CONSENSUS-BASED RULE DEVELOPMENT: not contemplated

**CHAPTER 18:** Quality Assurance / Quality Improvement

STATUTORY AUTHORITY: 32 MRS ch. 2-B §84.1

PURPOSE: To adopt or amend rules regarding the Maine EMS Quality Assurance / Quality Improvement System.

SCHEDULE FOR ADOPTION: Prior to October 1, 2021

LISTING OF AFFECTED PARTIES: All current licensed EMS services (n=279), licensed EMS personnel (n=5101), licensed EMD Centers (n=28), licensed EMD personnel, (n=546), licensed Training Centers, (n=6) licensed Instructor Coordinators (n=188) and all Regions (n=6).

CONSENSUS-BASED RULE DEVELOPMENT: not contemplated

**CHAPTER 19:** Community Paramedicine

STATUTORY AUTHORITY: 32 MRS chapter 2-B §84.1

PURPOSE: To promulgate rules regarding the community paramedicine programs of Maine EMS agencies.

SCHEDULE FOR ADOPTION: Prior to October 1, 2021

LISTING OF AFFECTED PARTIES: All current licensed EMS services (n=279), licensed EMS personnel (n=5101), licensed EMD Centers (n=28), licensed EMD personnel, (n=546), licensed Training Centers, (n=6) licensed Instructor Coordinators (n=188) and all Regions (n=6).

CONSENSUS-BASED RULE DEVELOPMENT: not contemplated

**CHAPTER 20:** Emergency Medical Services Data

STATUTORY AUTHORITY: 32 MRS chapter 2-B §84.1

PURPOSE: To promulgate rules regarding confidential information submitted to the Maine Emergency Medical Services by any entity.

SCHEDULE FOR ADOPTION: Prior to October 1, 2021

LISTING OF AFFECTED PARTIES: All current licensed EMS services (n=279), licensed EMS personnel (n=5101), licensed EMD Centers (n=26), licensed EMD personnel, (n=546), licensed Training Centers, (n=6) licensed Instructor Coordinators (n=188) and all Regions (n=6).

CONSENSUS-BASED RULE DEVELOPMENT: not contemplated

**CHAPTER 21:** Interfacility Transport

STATUTORY AUTHORITY: 32 MRS chapter 2-B §84.1

PURPOSE: To promulgate rules regarding interfacility transports in the State of Maine

SCHEDULE FOR ADOPTION: Prior to October 1, 2021

LISTING OF AFFECTED PARTIES: All current licensed EMS services (n=279), licensed EMS personnel (n=5101), licensed EMD Centers (n=26), licensed EMD personnel, (n=546), licensed Training Centers, (n=6) licensed Instructor Coordinators (n=188) and all Regions (n=6).

CONSENSUS-BASED RULE DEVELOPMENT: not contemplated

**CHAPTER 22: Emergency Planning**

STATUTORY AUTHORITY: 32 MRS chapter 2-B §84.1

PURPOSE: To promulgate rules regarding current and future situations that provides the Maine EMS Board and the Bureau director a plan for handling situations that affect, or could affect, the provision of Emergency Medical Services in the State of Maine

SCHEDULE FOR ADOPTION: Prior to October 1, 2021

LISTING OF AFFECTED PARTIES: All current licensed EMS services (n=279), licensed EMS personnel (n=5101), licensed EMD Centers (n=26), licensed EMD personnel, (n=546), licensed Training Centers, (n=6) licensed Instructor Coordinators (n=188) and all Regions (n=6).

CONSENSUS-BASED RULE DEVELOPMENT: not contemplated

**CHAPTER 23: Emergency Medical Services for Children**

STATUTORY AUTHORITY: 32 MRS chapter 2-B §84.1

PURPOSE: Purpose: To improve the emergency medical care of patients under the age of 18 years.

SCHEDULE FOR ADOPTION: Prior to October 1, 2021

LISTING OF AFFECTED PARTIES: All current licensed EMS services (n=279), licensed EMS personnel (n=5101), licensed EMD Centers (n=26), licensed EMD personnel, (n=546), licensed Training Centers, (n=6) licensed Instructor Coordinators (n=188) and all Regions (n=6).

CONSENSUS-BASED RULE DEVELOPMENT: not contemplated

**CHAPTER 24: Emergency Vehicle Crash Reporting**

STATUTORY AUTHORITY: 32 MRS chapter 2-B §84.1

PURPOSE: To better track and assess emergency vehicle accidents and related injuries.

SCHEDULE FOR ADOPTION: Prior to October 1, 2021

LISTING OF AFFECTED PARTIES: All current licensed EMS services (n=279), licensed EMS personnel (n=5101), licensed EMD Centers (n=26), licensed EMD personnel, (n=546), licensed Training Centers, (n=6) licensed Instructor Coordinators (n=188) and all Regions (n=6).

CONSENSUS-BASED RULE DEVELOPMENT: not contemplated

STATE OF MAINE  
DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC SAFETY

OFFICE OF THE COMMISSIONER 2020-2021 REGULATORY AGENDA

AGENCY UMBRELLA UNIT: 16-219

AGENCY NAME: Maine Department of Public Safety, Office of the  
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EMERGENCY RULES ADOPTED SINCE LAST REGULATORY AGENDA:

None.

ANTICIPATED 2020-2021 RULEMAKING ACTIVITY:

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CHAPTER 39: ADJUDICATORY AND LICENSING PROCEEDINGS

STATUTORY AUTHORITY: 5 M.R.S.A. § 8051.

PURPOSES: To ensure for the effective administration of applicable provisions of 5 M.R.S.A. Pt. 18, c. 375.

SCHEDULE FOR ADOPTION: Prior to October 1, 2021.

AFFECTED PARTIES: Persons participating in and/or affected by adjudicatory proceedings, licensing proceedings, and advisory rulings of the agency.

CONSENSUS-BASED RULE DEVELOPMENT: Not anticipated.

CHAPTER 51: POLYGRAPH EXAMINER LICENSING RULES

STATUTORY AUTHORITY: 32 M.R.S.A. § 7353(2).

PURPOSE: To ensure for the effective administration of 32 M.R.S.A. c. 86.

SCHEDULE FOR ADOPTION: Prior to October 1, 2021.

AFFECTED PARTIES: Persons holding or applying for a license to conduct polygraph examinations in the State of Maine.

CONSENSUS-BASED RULE DEVELOPMENT: Not anticipated.

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CHAPTER 60: TRANSPORTATION OF HAZARDOUS MATERIALS IN MAINE  
STATUTORY AUTHORITY: 25 M.R.S.A. § 2103-A.

PURPOSE: To adopt by reference federal regulations governing the safe transportation of hazardous materials.

SCHEDULE FOR ADOPTION: Prior to October 1, 2021.

AFFECTED PARTIES: All common, contract, and private motor carriers that transport hazardous materials.

CONSENSUS-BASED RULE DEVELOPMENT: Not anticipated.

CHAPTER NUMBER AND NAME TBD

STATUTORY AUTHORITY: 15 M.R.S.A. § 393.

PURPOSE: To ensure for the effective administration of 15 M.R.S.A. § 393.

SCHEDULE FOR ADOPTION: Prior to October 1, 2021.

AFFECTED PARTIES: Persons prohibited from owning or possessing a firearm pursuant to 15 M.R.S.A. § 393.

CONSENSUS-BASED RULE DEVELOPMENT: Not anticipated.

CHAPTER 70: REGULATION ESTABLISHING CRITICAL INCIDENT STRESS  
MANAGEMENT TRAINING STANDARDS

STATUTORY AUTHORITY: 25 M.R.S.A. § 4201(2).

PURPOSE: To ensure for the effective administration of 25 M.R.S.A. c. 501.

SCHEDULE FOR ADOPTION: Prior to October 1, 2021.

AFFECTED PARTIES: Law enforcement agencies that have or want to create a critical incident stress management team.

CONSENSUS-BASED RULE DEVELOPMENT: Not anticipated.

CHAPTER 71: UNIFORM STANDARDIZED FORENSIC EXAMINATION KIT  
FOR GROSS SEXUAL ASSAULT EVIDENCE COLLECTION

STATUTORY AUTHORITY: 25 M.R.S.A. § 2915.

PURPOSE: To ensure for the effective administration of 25 M.R.S.A. § 2915.

SCHEDULE FOR ADOPTION: Prior to October 1, 2021.

AFFECTED PARTIES: Examiners responsible for collecting evidence using uniform forensic examination kits pursuant to 25 M.R.S.A. § 2915.

CONSENSUS-BASED RULE DEVELOPMENT: Not anticipated.

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AGENCY UMBRELLA UNIT: **16-219**  
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**EMERGENCY RULES ADOPTED SINCE LAST REGULATORY AGENDA:** None.

**ANTICIPATED 2020-2021 RULEMAKING ACTIVITY:**

**CHAPTER 41:** Capitol Area Security Rules **RULE TYPE:** Routine Technical

STATUTORY AUTHORITY: 25 MRSA §2904

PURPOSE: To ensure for the security regarding use and occupancy of all parks, grounds, buildings and appurtenances maintained by the State at the Capitol Area or other state-controlled locations in Augusta.

SCHEDULE FOR ADOPTION: Prior to October 1, 2021

AFFECTED PARTIES: All Persons using or wishing to use the State properties in Augusta, ME

CONSENSUS-BASED RULE DEVELOPMENT: N/A

AGENCY UMBRELLA UNIT: **16-219**  
AGENCY NAME: **Bureau of Capitol Police**

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**EMERGENCY RULES ADOPTED SINCE LAST REGULATORY AGENDA:** None.

**ANTICIPATED 2020-2021 RULEMAKING ACTIVITY:**

**CHAPTER 42:** Rules Relating to Parking on State Property **RULE TYPE:** Routine Technical

STATUTORY AUTHORITY: 25 MRSA §2906

PURPOSE: To ensure for the proper use of public ways and parking areas maintained by the State at the Capitol Area or other state controlled locations in Augusta.

SCHEDULE FOR ADOPTION: Prior to October 1, 2021

AFFECTED PARTIES: All Persons driving on public ways or parking in parking areas on the State properties in Augusta, ME

CONSENSUS-BASED RULE DEVELOPMENT: N/A

STATE OF MAINE  
DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC SAFETY

MAINE STATE POLICE 2020-2021 REGULATORY AGENDA

AGENCY UMBRELLA UNIT: 16-222;

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EMERGENCY RULES ADOPTED SINCE LAST REGULATORY AGENDA:

None.

ANTICIPATED 2020-2021 RULEMAKING ACTIVITY

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CHAPTER 1: MOTOR VEHICLE INSPECTION RULE

STATUTORY AUTHORITY: 29-A M.R.S.A. § 1769.

PURPOSE: To ensure the effective administration and enforcement of 29-A M.R.S.A. c. 15, sub-c. 1.

SCHEDULE FOR ADOPTION: Prior to October 1, 2021.

AFFECTED PARTIES: All motor vehicle inspectors, motor vehicle inspection stations, and motor vehicle operators in Maine.

CONSENSUS-BASED RULE DEVELOPMENT: Not anticipated.

CHAPTER 4: MAINE MOTOR CARRIER SAFETY REGULATIONS

STATUTORY AUTHORITY: 29-A M.R.S.A. § 555.

PURPOSE: To adopt by reference, with possible State amendments, regulations governing the safe operation of motor carriers.

SCHEDULE FOR ADOPTION: Prior to October 1, 2021.

AFFECTED PARTIES: All common, contract, and private motor carriers that transport passengers or property.

CONSENSUS-BASED RULE DEVELOPMENT: Not anticipated.

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CHAPTER 12: RULES FOR AFTER-MARKET WINDOW TINTING

STATUTORY AUTHORITY: 29-A M.R.S.A. § 1916.

PURPOSE: To ensure the effective administration and enforcement of 29-A M.R.S.A. § 1916.

SCHEDULE FOR ADOPTION: Prior to October 1, 2021.

AFFECTED PARTIES: Persons installing after-market window tinting in motor vehicles.

CONSENSUS-BASED RULE DEVELOPMENT: Not anticipated.

CHAPTER 14: RULES RELATING TO THE SEX OFFENDER REGISTRATION AND NOTIFICATION ACT OF 1999 (SORNA)

STATUTORY AUTHORITY: 34-A M.R.S.A. § 11204.

PURPOSE: To ensure for the effective administration of 34-A M.R.S.A. c. 15.

SCHEDULE FOR ADOPTION: Prior to October 1, 2021.

AFFECTED PARTIES: Persons required to register pursuant to the Maine SORNA of 1999.

CONSENSUS-BASED RULE DEVELOPMENT: Not anticipated.

CHAPTER 15 AND RULES RELATING TO THE SEX OFFENDER REGISTRATION AND NOTIFICATION ACT OF 2013 (SORNA)

STATUTORY AUTHORITY: 34-A M.R.S.A. § 11274.

PURPOSE: To ensure for the effective administration of 34-A M.R.S.A. c. 17.

SCHEDULE FOR ADOPTION: Prior to October 1, 2021.

AFFECTED PARTIES: Persons required to register pursuant to the Maine SORNA of 2013.

CONSENSUS-BASED RULE DEVELOPMENT: Not anticipated.

CHAPTER 19: DIED WHILE IN THE LINE OF DUTY DEATH BENEFITS FOR LAW ENFORCEMENT OFFICERS

STATUTORY AUTHORITY: 25 M.R.S.A. § 1612.

PURPOSE: To ensure for the effective administration of 25 M.R.S.A. c. 195-A.

SCHEDULE FOR ADOPTION: Prior to October 1, 2021.

AFFECTED PARTIES: Surviving spouses, children, and parents of law enforcement officers who have died while in the line of duty.

CONSENSUS-BASED RULE DEVELOPMENT: Not anticipated.

AGENCY UMBRELLA UNIT: **16-633**

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**EMERGENCY RULES ADOPTED SINCE THE LAST REGULATORY AGENDA:** None

## **EXPECTED 2020-2021 RULE-MAKING ACTIVITY**

### **CHAPTER 1:** Introduction

STATUTORY AUTHORITY: 8 M.R.S. §1003

PURPOSE: To ensure that the rules conform to the requirements as set in the statute.

SCHEDULE FOR ADOPTION: Prior to October 1, 2021

LISTING OF AFFECTED PARTIES: All entities involved with casino gambling.

CONSENSUS-BASED RULE DEVELOPMENT: Not anticipated.

### **CHAPTER 2:** Licenses and Applications

STATUTORY AUTHORITY: 8 M.R.S. §1003

PURPOSE: To ensure that the rules conform to the requirements as set in the statute.

SCHEDULE FOR ADOPTION: Prior to October 1, 2021

LISTING OF AFFECTED PARTIES: All entities licensed by the Gambling Control Board.

CONSENSUS-BASED RULE DEVELOPMENT: Not anticipated.

### **CHAPTER 3:** Control of Licensees

STATUTORY AUTHORITY: 8 M.R.S. §1003

PURPOSE: To ensure that the rules conform to the requirements as set in the statute.

SCHEDULE FOR ADOPTION: Prior to October 1, 2021

LISTING OF AFFECTED PARTIES: All entities licensed by the Gambling Control Board.

CONSENSUS-BASED RULE DEVELOPMENT: Not anticipated.

### **CHAPTER 4:** Licensee Records

STATUTORY AUTHORITY: 8 M.R.S. §1003

PURPOSE: To ensure that the rules conform to the requirements as set in the statute.

SCHEDULE FOR ADOPTION: Prior to October 1, 2021

LISTING OF AFFECTED PARTIES: All entities licensed by the Gambling Control Board.

CONSENSUS-BASED RULE DEVELOPMENT: Not anticipated.

### **CHAPTER 5:** Internal Controls

STATUTORY AUTHORITY: 8 M.R.S. §1003

PURPOSE: To ensure that the rules conform to the requirements as set in the statute.

SCHEDULE FOR ADOPTION: Prior to October 1, 2021

LISTING OF AFFECTED PARTIES: All casinos licensed by the Gambling Control Board.

CONSENSUS-BASED RULE DEVELOPMENT: Not anticipated.

### **CHAPTER 6:** Ticket Redemption and Forfeited Winnings

STATUTORY AUTHORITY: 8 M.R.S. §1003

PURPOSE: To ensure that the rules conform to the requirements as set in the statute.

SCHEDULE FOR ADOPTION: Prior to October 1, 2021

LISTING OF AFFECTED PARTIES: All casinos licensed by the Gambling Control Board.  
CONSENSUS-BASED RULE DEVELOPMENT: Not anticipated.

**CHAPTER 7: Collection of Payments**

STATUTORY AUTHORITY: 8 M.R.S. §1003

PURPOSE: To ensure that the rules conform to the requirements as set in the statute.

SCHEDULE FOR ADOPTION: Prior to October 1, 2021

LISTING OF AFFECTED PARTIES: All casinos licensed by the Gambling Control Board.

CONSENSUS-BASED RULE DEVELOPMENT: Not anticipated.

**CHAPTER 8: Slot Machines and Table Games: Location and Hours of Operation**

STATUTORY AUTHORITY: 8 M.R.S. §1003

PURPOSE: To ensure that the rules conform to the requirements as set in the statute.

SCHEDULE FOR ADOPTION: Prior to October 1, 2021

LISTING OF AFFECTED PARTIES: All casinos licensed by the Gambling Control Board and all patrons participating in gambling activities.

CONSENSUS-BASED RULE DEVELOPMENT: Not anticipated.

**CHAPTER 9: Uniform Location Agreement; Contract Disclosures**

STATUTORY AUTHORITY: 8 M.R.S. §1003

PURPOSE: To ensure that the rules conform to the requirements as set in the statute.

SCHEDULE FOR ADOPTION: Prior to October 1, 2021

LISTING OF AFFECTED PARTIES: All casinos and distributors licensed by the Gambling Control Board.

CONSENSUS-BASED RULE DEVELOPMENT: Not anticipated.

**CHAPTER 10: Slot Machine Maintenance**

STATUTORY AUTHORITY: 8 M.R.S. §1003

PURPOSE: To ensure that the rules conform to the requirements as set in the statute.

SCHEDULE FOR ADOPTION: Prior to October 1, 2021

LISTING OF AFFECTED PARTIES: All casinos licensed by the Gambling Control Board.

CONSENSUS-BASED RULE DEVELOPMENT: Not anticipated.

**CHAPTER 11: Transportation of Slot Machines**

STATUTORY AUTHORITY: 8 M.R.S. §1003

PURPOSE: To ensure that the rules conform to the requirements as set in the statute.

SCHEDULE FOR ADOPTION: Prior to October 1, 2021

LISTING OF AFFECTED PARTIES: All casinos and distributors licensed by the Gambling Control Board.

CONSENSUS-BASED RULE DEVELOPMENT: Not anticipated.

**CHAPTER 12: Fingerprinting Procedure**

STATUTORY AUTHORITY: 8 M.R.S. §1003

PURPOSE: To ensure that the rules conform to the requirements as set in the statute.

SCHEDULE FOR ADOPTION: Prior to October 1, 2021

LISTING OF AFFECTED PARTIES: All entities licensed by the Gambling Control Board.

CONSENSUS-BASED RULE DEVELOPMENT: Not anticipated.

**CHAPTER 13: Exclusion**

STATUTORY AUTHORITY: 8 M.R.S. §1003

PURPOSE: To ensure that the rules conform to the requirements as set in the statute.

SCHEDULE FOR ADOPTION: Prior to October 1, 2021

LISTING OF AFFECTED PARTIES: All casinos licensed by the Gambling Control Board and affected patrons at the casino.

CONSENSUS-BASED RULE DEVELOPMENT: Not anticipated.

**CHAPTER 14: Advertising**

STATUTORY AUTHORITY: 8 M.R.S. §1003

PURPOSE: To ensure that the rules conform to the requirements as set in the statute.

SCHEDULE FOR ADOPTION: Prior to October 1, 2021

LISTING OF AFFECTED PARTIES: All casinos licensed by the Gambling Control Board.

CONSENSUS-BASED RULE DEVELOPMENT: Not anticipated.

**CHAPTER 15: Alcoholic Beverages and Tobacco Products**

STATUTORY AUTHORITY: 8 M.R.S. §1003

PURPOSE: To ensure that the rules conform to the requirements as set in the statute.

SCHEDULE FOR ADOPTION: Prior to October 1, 2021

LISTING OF AFFECTED PARTIES: All entities licensed by the Gambling Control Board.

CONSENSUS-BASED RULE DEVELOPMENT: Not anticipated.

**CHAPTER 16: Weapons**

STATUTORY AUTHORITY: 8 M.R.S. §1003

PURPOSE: To ensure that the rules conform to the requirements as set in the statute.

SCHEDULE FOR ADOPTION: Prior to October 1, 2021

LISTING OF AFFECTED PARTIES: All casinos licensed by the Gambling Control Board.

CONSENSUS-BASED RULE DEVELOPMENT: Not anticipated.

**CHAPTER 17: On Premise Office Space**

STATUTORY AUTHORITY: 8 M.R.S. §1003

PURPOSE: To ensure that the rules conform to the requirements as set in the statute.

SCHEDULE FOR ADOPTION: Prior to October 1, 2021

LISTING OF AFFECTED PARTIES: All casinos licensed by the Gambling Control Board.

CONSENSUS-BASED RULE DEVELOPMENT: Not anticipated.

**CHAPTER 18: Responsible Gaming Programs**

STATUTORY AUTHORITY: 8 M.R.S. §1003

PURPOSE: To ensure that the rules conform to the requirements as set in the statute.

SCHEDULE FOR ADOPTION: Prior to October 1, 2021

LISTING OF AFFECTED PARTIES: All casinos licensed by the Gambling Control Board.

CONSENSUS-BASED RULE DEVELOPMENT: Not anticipated.

**CHAPTER 19: Slot Machine Testing and Certification**

STATUTORY AUTHORITY: 8 M.R.S. §1003

PURPOSE: To ensure that the rules conform to the requirements as set in the statute.

SCHEDULE FOR ADOPTION: Prior to October 1, 2021

LISTING OF AFFECTED PARTIES: All casinos and slot machine distributors licensed by the Gambling Control Board.

CONSENSUS-BASED RULE DEVELOPMENT: Not anticipated.

**CHAPTER 20: Slot Machine Standards**

STATUTORY AUTHORITY: 8 M.R.S. §1003

PURPOSE: To ensure that the rules conform to the requirements as set in the statute.

SCHEDULE FOR ADOPTION: Prior to October 1, 2021

LISTING OF AFFECTED PARTIES: All casinos and slot machine distributors licensed by the Gambling Control Board.

CONSENSUS-BASED RULE DEVELOPMENT: Not anticipated.

**CHAPTER 21: Prohibition of Credit**

STATUTORY AUTHORITY: 8 M.R.S. §1003

PURPOSE: To ensure that the rules conform to the requirements as set in the statute.

SCHEDULE FOR ADOPTION: Prior to October 1, 2021

LISTING OF AFFECTED PARTIES: All casinos licensed by the Gambling Control Board and affected patrons at the casino.

CONSENSUS-BASED RULE DEVELOPMENT: Not anticipated.

**CHAPTER 22: Patron Disputes**

STATUTORY AUTHORITY: 8 M.R.S. §1003

PURPOSE: To ensure that the rules conform to the requirements as set in the statute.

SCHEDULE FOR ADOPTION: Prior to October 1, 2021

LISTING OF AFFECTED PARTIES: All casinos licensed by the Gambling Control Board and patrons of the casinos.

CONSENSUS-BASED RULE DEVELOPMENT: Not anticipated.

**CHAPTER 24: The Use of Front Money Deposits**

STATUTORY AUTHORITY: 8 M.R.S. §1003

PURPOSE: To ensure that the rules conform to the requirements as set in the statute.

SCHEDULE FOR ADOPTION: Prior to October 1, 2021

LISTING OF AFFECTED PARTIES: All casinos licensed by the Gambling Control Board and patrons of the casinos.

CONSENSUS-BASED RULE DEVELOPMENT: Not anticipated.

**CHAPTER 25: Approval of Table Games Rules of Play**

STATUTORY AUTHORITY: 8 M.R.S. §1003

PURPOSE: To ensure that the rules conform to the requirements as set in the statute.

SCHEDULE FOR ADOPTION: Prior to October 1, 2021

LISTING OF AFFECTED PARTIES: All casinos licensed by the Gambling Control Board and patrons of the casinos.

CONSENSUS-BASED RULE DEVELOPMENT: Not anticipated.

**CHAPTER 26: Posting of Rules**

STATUTORY AUTHORITY: 8 M.R.S. §1003

PURPOSE: To ensure that the rules conform to the requirements as set in the statute.

SCHEDULE FOR ADOPTION: Prior to October 1, 2021

LISTING OF AFFECTED PARTIES: All casinos licensed by the Gambling Control Board.

CONSENSUS-BASED RULE DEVELOPMENT: Not anticipated.

**CHAPTER 27:** Rules of Practice and Procedure of Gaming Conduct

STATUTORY AUTHORITY: 8 M.R.S. §1003

PURPOSE: To ensure that the rules conform to the requirements as set in the statute.

SCHEDULE FOR ADOPTION: Prior to October 1, 2021

LISTING OF AFFECTED PARTIES: All entities licensed by the Gambling Control Board.

CONSENSUS-BASED RULE DEVELOPMENT: Not anticipated.

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**EMERGENCY RULES ADOPTED SINCE THE LAST REGULATORY AGENDA:** None

**EXPECTED 2019-2020 RULE-MAKING ACTIVITY**

**CHAPTER 33:** Introduction

STATUTORY AUTHORITY: 8 M.R.S. §1102, §1106

PURPOSE: To establish rules to conform to the requirements as set in the statute.

SCHEDULE FOR ADOPTION: Prior to October 1, 2021

LISTING OF AFFECTED PARTIES: All licensed operators who will conduct Fantasy Sports contests.

CONSENSUS-BASED RULE DEVELOPMENT: Not anticipated.

**CHAPTER 34:** Definitions

STATUTORY AUTHORITY: 8 M.R.S. §1102, §1106

PURPOSE: To establish rules to conform to the requirements as set in the statute.

SCHEDULE FOR ADOPTION: Prior to October 1, 2021

LISTING OF AFFECTED PARTIES: All licensed operators who will conduct Fantasy Sports contests.

CONSENSUS-BASED RULE DEVELOPMENT: Not anticipated.

**CHAPTER 35:** License Application

STATUTORY AUTHORITY: 8 M.R.S. §1102, §1106

PURPOSE: To establish rules to conform to the requirements as set in the statute.

SCHEDULE FOR ADOPTION: Prior to October 1, 2021

LISTING OF AFFECTED PARTIES: All licensed operators who will conduct Fantasy Sports contests.

CONSENSUS-BASED RULE DEVELOPMENT: Not anticipated.

**CHAPTER 36:** License Fee and Renewal

STATUTORY AUTHORITY: 8 M.R.S. §1102, §1106

PURPOSE: To establish rules to conform to the requirements as set in the statute.

SCHEDULE FOR ADOPTION: Prior to October 1, 2021

LISTING OF AFFECTED PARTIES: All licensed operators who will conduct Fantasy Sports contests.

CONSENSUS-BASED RULE DEVELOPMENT: Not anticipated.

**CHAPTER 37:** Fantasy Contest Monitoring

STATUTORY AUTHORITY: 8 M.R.S. §1102, §1106

PURPOSE: To establish rules to conform to the requirements as set in the statute.

SCHEDULE FOR ADOPTION: Prior to October 1, 2021

LISTING OF AFFECTED PARTIES: All licensed operators who will conduct Fantasy Sports contests.

CONSENSUS-BASED RULE DEVELOPMENT: Not anticipated.

**CHAPTER 38: Fantasy Contest Account Activity**

STATUTORY AUTHORITY: 8 M.R.S. §1102, §1106

PURPOSE: To establish rules to conform to the requirements as set in the statute.

SCHEDULE FOR ADOPTION: Prior to October 1, 2021

LISTING OF AFFECTED PARTIES: All licensed operators who will conduct Fantasy Sports contests.

CONSENSUS-BASED RULE DEVELOPMENT: Not anticipated.

**CHAPTER 39: Registration of Fantasy Contestants**

STATUTORY AUTHORITY: 8 M.R.S. §1102, §1106

PURPOSE: To establish rules to conform to the requirements as set in the statute.

SCHEDULE FOR ADOPTION: Prior to October 1, 2021

LISTING OF AFFECTED PARTIES: All licensed operators who will conduct Fantasy Sports contests.

CONSENSUS-BASED RULE DEVELOPMENT: Not anticipated.

**CHAPTER 40: Fantasy Contestant Funds and Required Reserves**

STATUTORY AUTHORITY: 8 M.R.S. §1102, §1106

PURPOSE: To establish rules to conform to the requirements as set in the statute.

SCHEDULE FOR ADOPTION: Prior to October 1, 2021

LISTING OF AFFECTED PARTIES: All licensed operators who will conduct Fantasy Sports contests.

CONSENSUS-BASED RULE DEVELOPMENT: Not anticipated.

**CHAPTER 41: Licensee Record, Annual Reporting and Audits**

STATUTORY AUTHORITY: 8 M.R.S. §1102, §1106

PURPOSE: To establish rules to conform to the requirements as set in the statute.

SCHEDULE FOR ADOPTION: Prior to October 1, 2021

LISTING OF AFFECTED PARTIES: All licensed operators who will conduct Fantasy Sports contests.

CONSENSUS-BASED RULE DEVELOPMENT: Not anticipated.

**CHAPTER 42: Collection of Payments**

STATUTORY AUTHORITY: 8 M.R.S. §1102, §1106

PURPOSE: To establish rules to conform to the requirements as set in the statute.

SCHEDULE FOR ADOPTION: Prior to October 1, 2021

LISTING OF AFFECTED PARTIES: All licensed operators who will conduct Fantasy Sports contests.

CONSENSUS-BASED RULE DEVELOPMENT: Not anticipated.

**CHAPTER 43: Complaints and Disciplinary Actions**

STATUTORY AUTHORITY: 8 M.R.S. §1102, §1106

PURPOSE: To establish rules to conform to the requirements as set in the statute.

SCHEDULE FOR ADOPTION: Prior to October 1, 2021

LISTING OF AFFECTED PARTIES: All licensed operators who will conduct Fantasy Sports contests.

CONSENSUS-BASED RULE DEVELOPMENT: Not anticipated.