

REGULATORY AGENDA – JANUARY 15, 2008

Agency Name and Address:

Rhode Island Department of Corrections
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PART I - Rules Promulgated *JUNE 16, 2007 through JANUARY 15, 2008:*

ERLID	Type Filing	Title	Effective Date
4934	Amendment	Medical Co-Pay Fee Schedule, 2.28-3 DOC	12/17/07
4936	Amendment	Equal Employment Opportunity/ Affirmative Action, 3.03-5 DOC	12/17/07
4937	Adoption	Reasonable Accommodation, 3.30 DOC	12/17/07
4939	Adoption	Parolee Assisted Living, 28.11 DOC	12/17/07

PART II - Expected Rule-making Activity *JANUARY 16, 2008 through JUNE 15, 2008:*

Type Filing	Title/Subject Area	Objective	Legal Basis	Anticipated Schedule	Agency Contact	Interested Parties
Amendment	Public Information/Media Access	Procedures for Staff and Employee Contact with Media, dissemination of information	RIGL § 42-56-10 (22), Powers of the director; § 38-2-2 Access to public records	January 2008	Gina Caruolo, Chief/Program Development (Policy Unit) (401) 462-3533	RIDOC staff, offender population, offenders' families, media
Amendment	Adult Probation and Parole Offender Fees, 28.25-2 DOC	Increase offender supervision fee	RIGL § 42-56-10 (22), Powers of the director; § 42-56-38, Assessment of costs; § 13-9.1-1.3, The interstate compact for adult offender supervision	Tentative 2/14/07 public hearing	Gina Caruolo, Chief/Program Development (Policy Unit) (401) 462-3533	RIDOC staff, offender population, offenders' families
Amendment	Community Confinement, 10.07.01 DOC	Increase program participation fee	RIGL § 42-56-10(22), Powers of the director; § 42-56-1, Declaration of policy; §42-56-20.2, The community confinement; § 42-56-20.3, Community correctional program for women offenders	Tentative 2/14/07 public hearing	Gina Caruolo, Chief/Program Development (Policy Unit) (401) 462-3533	RIDOC staff, offender population, offenders' families

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Amendment	Access to Institutional Facilities by Attorneys and Their Agents, 13.02-4 DOC	Amend language regarding dress code	RIGL § 42-56-10(22), Powers of the director; § 42-56-1, Declaration of policy	Tentative 2/14/07 public hearing	Gina Caruolo, Chief/Program Development (Policy Unit) (401) 462-3533	RIDOC staff, offender population, offenders' attorneys, attorneys' agents
Amendment	Religious Programs and Services, 26.01 - 3 DOC	Amend language regarding special diets and include language regarding inmate sermons	RIGL § 42-56-10 (22), Powers of the director; <u>Boerne v. Flores</u> , 521 U.S. 507 (1997)	Tentative 2/14/07 public hearing	Gina Caruolo, Chief/Program Development (Policy Unit) (401) 462-3533	RIDOC staff, offender population, chaplains/clergy
Amendment	Inmate Telephone Privileges, 24.02-3	Amend language regarding telephone calls	RIGL § 42-56-10(22), Powers of the director; Title III of the Omnibus Crime Control and Safe Streets Act, 18 U.S.C.A. § 2510 et seq (prison monitoring and recording of inmate telephone calls); RIGL § 12-5.1, Interception of Wire and Oral Communications; RIGL § 11-35-21, Unauthorized interception, disclosure or use of wire or oral communication	Tentative 2/14/07 public hearing	Gina Caruolo, Chief/Program Development (Policy Unit) (401) 462-3533	RIDOC staff, offender population, potential callers (offenders' families, friends and attorneys, etc.)