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STATE BOARD OF HEALTH
NOTICE OF INTENDED ACTION

AGENCY NAME: Alabama Department of Public Health

RULE NUMBER AND TITLE: 420-5-8 Independent Clinical Laboratories and Independent Physiological Laboratories


INTENDED ACTION: To amend the current rules

SUBSTANCE OF PROPOSED ACTION: To revise the current rules to eliminate the requirement for proficiency testing for CLIA waived tests approved by the United States Food and Drug Administration, consistent with current federal regulations.

TIME, PLACE, AND MANNER OF PRESENTING VIEWS: A public hearing will be held on May 14, 2014, at 9:00 a.m., in the Office of General Counsel, Suite 1540, the RSA Tower, 201 Monroe Street, Montgomery, AL 36104. Written comments should be mailed to the agency contact person noted below.

FINAL DATE FOR COMMENTS AND COMPLETION OF NOTICE: Written or oral comments will be received until the close of the record at 5:00 p.m. on June 4, 2014. All comments and requests for copies of the proposed amendments should be addressed to the contact person listed below.

CONTACT PERSON AT AGENCY: Walter T. Geary Jr., M.D., Director, Bureau of Health Provider Standards, Department of Public Health, P.O. Box 303017, Montgomery, Alabama 36130-3017, Telephone number: (334) 206-5366.



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