# LEGISLATIVE REVIEW OF ADOPTED REGULATIONS AS REQUIRED BY NRS 233B.066 LCB FILE R052-13

The following statement is submitted for adopted amendments to Nevada Administrative Code (NAC) Chapters 116 and 116A.

# 1. A clear and concise explanation of the need for the adopted regulation.

Proposed regulation LCB File No. R052-13 amends NAC 116 and 116A to add a standard procedure for a party in a disciplinary hearing before the Commission for Common-Interest Communities and Condominium Hotels (Commission) to request a rehearing, reconsideration or any other motion requesting action or relief after the close of the hearing before the Commission.

The need for the proposed regulation is to provide fairness and consistency to all parties involved in a motion for rehearing or reconsideration before the Commission. The proposed regulation clarifies how long after the order of the Commission has been made that a party can request a rehearing or reconsideration, what the motion must state, number of days that the opposing party has to file an opposition, the basis for the rehearing or reconsideration, which Commission member can decide on the motion and that the motion does not stay the thirty day period of appeal. This is a procedure that the Real Estate Division has under other regulations under the Division's authority.

# 2. A description of how public comment was solicited, a summary of public response, and an explanation how other interested persons may obtain a copy of the summary.

The agenda for the June 11, 2013 Commission meeting was posted on the Real Estate Division's (Division) website and distributed through the Division's posting list which includes industry associations and members who might be interested. The agenda indicated possible action by the Commission to discuss new language presented by the Commission regarding rehearing procedures. The draft of the proposed language was available as a handout for all in attendance to review. There was no public or small business representative input at that time. The Commission directed the Division to prepare proposed language for a workshop at the Commission's next meeting held on August 27-29, 2013. This regulation became LCB File No. R052-13.

Workshops were scheduled for August 28, 2013, February 26, 2014 and March 3, 2015 for LCB File No. R052-13. Notice of these workshops were posted on the Division's website and distributed through the Division's posting list. There was no comment from members of small businesses but members of the public requested clarification on the proposed language.

Interested persons may obtain a summary from: Teralyn Thompson, Administration Section Manager Nevada Real Estate Division 2501 East Sahara Avenue, Suite 303 Las Vegas, NV 89104 tlthompson@red.state.nv.us 702-486-4036

#### 3. The number of persons who:

# (a) Attended each hearing:

August 28, 2013: 28 February 26, 2014: 25 March 3, 2015: 37

# (b) Testified at each hearing:

August 28, 2013: 2 February 26, 2014: 4 March 3, 2015: 4

- (c) Submitted to the agency written comments: 0
- 4. A list of names and contact information, including telephone number, business address, business telephone number, electronic mail address, and name of entity or organization represented, for each person identified above in #3, as provided to the agency, is attached as Exhibit A.

Please see attached.

5. A description of how comment was solicited from affected businesses, a summary of their response, and an explanation how other interested persons may obtain a copy of the summary.

Comments were solicited from affected businesses in the same manner as they were solicited from the public. The summary may be obtained as instructed in the response to question #2.

6. If the regulation was adopted without changing any part of the proposed regulation, a summary of the reasons for adopting the regulation without change.

The proposed regulation was adopted on July 9, 2015, and included changes suggested at workshops and the adoption hearing conducted.

7. The estimated economic effect of the adopted regulation on the businesses which it is to regulate and on the public. These must be stated separately, and each case must include:

#### **Business which it is to regulate**

(a) Both adverse and beneficial effects; and

**Adverse effects:** No adverse effect on businesses that are regulated.

**Beneficial effects:** A party who has a basis for rehearing, reconsideration or any other motion requesting action or relief after a Commission hearing will be allowed to file a motion if newly discovered evidence of a material nature, an error in the hearing or decision that would be grounds for a reversal of decision, a change in substantive law or there is need in the public interest for further consideration.

### (b) Both immediate and long-term effects.

**Immediate effects:** LCB File No. R052-13 provides a consistent procedure for parties affected by actions of the Commission.

**Long-term effects:** LCB File No. R052-13 will ensure fairness and consistency to all who file a motion to be decided by the Commission regarding a matter previously heard before the Commission.

#### **Public**

# (a) Both adverse and beneficial effects:

Adverse effects: No anticipated adverse economic effect to the public.

**Beneficial effects:** A party who has a basis for rehearing, reconsideration or any other motion requesting action or relief after a Commission hearing will be allowed to file a motion if newly discovered evidence of a material nature, an error in the hearing or decision that would be grounds for a reversal of decision, a change in substantive law or there is need in the public interest for further consideration.

# (b) Both immediate and long-term effects:

**Immediate effects:** LCB File No. R052-13 provides a consistent procedure for parties affected by actions of the Commission.

**Long-term effects:** LCB File No. R052-13 will ensure fairness and consistency to all who file a motion to be decided by the Commission regarding a matter previously heard before the Commission.

8. The estimated cost to the agency for enforcement of the adopted regulation.

There is no additional cost to the agency for the implementation of LCB File No. R052-13.

9. A description of any regulations of other state or government agencies which the proposed regulation overlaps or duplicates and a statement explaining why the duplication or overlapping is necessary. If the regulation overlaps or duplicates a federal regulation, the name of the regulating federal agency.

There are no other state or government agency regulations that the proposed regulation duplicates.

10. If the regulation includes provisions that are more stringent than a federal regulation which regulates the same activity, a summary of such provisions.

There are no federal regulations that apply.

11. If the regulation provides a new fee or increases an existing fee, the total annual amount the agency expects to collect and the manner in which the money will be used.

The regulation does not provide a new fee or increase an existing fee.