

LEGISLATIVE REVIEW OF ADOPTED REGULATIONS INFORMATIONAL STATEMENT AS REQUIRED BY NRS 233B.066

LCB FILE NO. R118-24

The following statement is submitted by the State of Nevada, Department of Business and Industry, Division of Insurance (“Division”) for adopted amendments to Nevada Administrative Code (“NAC”) Chapter(s) 687B.

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

The regulation is necessary to comply with the requirement that the Commissioner of Insurance issue network adequacy standards required of all network plans. See Nevada Revised Statutes (“NRS”) 687B.490 and NAC 687B.750 to 687B.784. The purpose of the regulation is to establish adequacy standards for network plans for plan year 2025.

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

- (a) A description of how public comment was solicited:

Public comment was solicited by emailing the proposed regulation, notice of workshop, notice of intent to act upon the regulation, and small business impact statement to persons on the Division’s mailing list requesting notification of proposed regulations. The documents were also made available on the website of the Division, <http://doi.nv.gov/>, the website of the Nevada Legislature, <http://www.leg.state.nv.us>, and the Nevada Public Notice website, <http://www.notices.nv.gov>. The documents were also emailed, or mailed where no email address was available, to the main library for each county in Nevada.

Public comment was also solicited at the workshop held on November 12, 2024, and at the hearing held on November 26, 2024. The public workshop and hearing took place virtually via Webex and in person at the Division’s offices located at 1818 E. College Pkwy, Carson City, Nevada 89706 and 3300 W. Sahara Ave., Las Vegas, Nevada 89102.

- (b) A summary of the public response:

There was one public comment expressing support of R118-24, specifically Section 1, subsection 1.b.4.

- (c) An explanation of how other interested persons may obtain a copy of the summary:

The summary in part 2(b) above reflects the public comments and testimony that transpired with regard to regulation R118-24. A copy of said summary may be obtained by contacting regs@doi.nv.gov.

3. The number of persons who:
- (a) Attended the hearing: 21
 - (b) Testified at the hearing: 0
 - (c) Submitted to the agency written statements: 1

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 parts 3(b) and (c), as provided to the agency:

Testified at the hearing:

Name	Entity/Organization Represented	Business Address	Telephone No./ Business Telephone No.	E-Mail Address
None	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A

Submitted to the agency written statements:

Name	Entity/Organization Represented	Business Address	Telephone No./ Business Telephone No.	E-Mail Address
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5. A description of how comments were solicited from affected businesses, a summary of their responses, and an explanation of how other interested persons may obtain a copy of the summary.

- (a) A description of how comments were solicited from affected businesses:

Comments were solicited from affected businesses in the same manner as they were solicited from the public. Please see the description provided above in response to part 2(a).

- (b) A summary of the responses from affected businesses:

None were provided.

- (c) An explanation of how other interested persons may obtain a copy of the summary:

The summary in part 5(b) above reflects the public comments and testimony that transpired with regard to regulation R118-24. A copy of said summary may be obtained by email request to regs@doi.nv.gov.

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

There was one public comment in support of the regulation and, therefore, no need to change the regulation.

7. (a) The estimated economic effect of the adopted regulation on the business which it is to regulate:

There is no economic impact resulting from this adopted regulation.

(1) Both adverse and beneficial effects: N/A

i. Beneficial: N/A

ii. Adverse: N/A

(2) Both immediate and long-term effects: N/A

i. Immediate: N/A

ii. Long-Term: N/A

(b) The estimated economic effect of the adopted regulation on the public:

There is no economic impact resulting from this adopted regulation.

(1) Both adverse and beneficial effects: N/A

i. Beneficial: N/A

ii. Adverse: N/A

(2) Both immediate and long-term effects: N/A

i. Immediate: N/A

ii. Long-Term: N/A

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

There is no cost estimated to the agency.

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.

Sections 1-4 of the proposed regulation duplicates 45 CFR 156.235 Essential Community Providers.

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

Not applicable

11. If the regulation establishes 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.

Not applicable