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November 1, 2021

In Reply Refer to: 024
FOIA Request: 20-06113-F

Via Email: foia@americanoversight.org

American Oversight
Attn: Mr. Austin Evers
1030 15th Street, NW
Suite B255
Washington, DC 20005

Dear Mr. Evers:

This is the Initial Agency Decision (IAD) to your April 10, 2020 Freedom of Information Act (FOIA) request, to the Department of Veterans Affairs (VA), Veterans Health Administration's FOIA Office. You requested a copy of the following records be provided to American Oversight:

- Any directive, order, decision, protocols, or guidance created, adopted, or shared by your agency regarding the use of hospital resource to treat the coronavirus, including, but not limited to, the use and/or rationing of ventilators for coronavirus patients and the use of personal protective equipment (PPE), including masks, face shields, and gowns in VA hospitals. To be clear, directives or guidance regarding do-not-resuscitate (DNR) policies for coronavirus patients should be considered responsive to this request.

Your request was received by the Veterans Health Administration's FOIA Office on April 10, 2020. On April 15, 2020, your request was assigned FOIA tracking number 20-06113-F and referred to the Office of General Counsel's FOIA Office for processing.

On November 19, 2020, the Office of General Counsel, contacted the Office of Information & Technology (OI&T) IT Operations and Services (ITOPS). The search was conducted utilizing the email box of Eric Raun. The key terms that were utilized during the search consisted of: personal protective equipment, PPE, masks, face shields, and gowns. Furthermore, the time frame that was also utilized was from January 1, 2020 through April 10, 2020.

A total of 14,682 pages of responsive records were reviewed. I have determined that 133 pages are being released in full, 476 are being released in part and 14,073 pages are being withheld in their entirety pursuant to Title 5 U.S.C. §§ 552(b)(5) and (b)(6), FOIA Exemptions 5 & 6.

FOIA Exemption 5 protects interagency or intra-agency memorandums or letters that would not be available by law to a party other than an agency in litigation with the agency.

Moreover, this exemption permits an agency to withhold material that reflects the thoughts, opinions, and recommendations of agency officials undertaking review of an issue. As such, these documents contain employee deliberations and opinions that, if released, would have a chilling effect on the ability of agency officials to discuss, evaluate, and are forthcoming about agency issues which require full and frank assessment. Additionally, none of the withheld information contains a final agency decision. Because the disclosure of this material is likely to compromise the integrity of this deliberative process, we affirm the withholding of this information.

While the release of this information may be permissible if it would serve an articulable and significant public interest, you have not identified a public, as opposed to a personal or private, interest in the contents of the documents or the identity of the individuals mentioned that would outweigh each individual's privacy interest. The VA's response demonstrates that VA expended considerable time, effort, and expense in considering and addressing issues brought to its attention. Under the circumstances, the balance weighs in favor of protecting the privacy of the individuals noted in the documents, and we find that personal information and identifying details are protected under FOIA Exemption (b)(5).

FOIA Exemption 6 exempts from disclosure of personnel or medical files and similar files the release of which would cause a clearly unwarranted invasion of personal privacy. This requires a balancing of the public's right to disclosure against the individual's right to privacy. The privacy interests of the individuals in the records you have requested outweigh any minimal public interest in disclosure of the information. Any private interest you may have in that information does not factor into the aforementioned balancing test. Specifically, the information being withheld, as indicated on the enclosed documents, under FOIA Exemption 6, consists of names, identities, email addresses, VA usernames, phone numbers, cellular numbers, of federal civilian employees and private citizens; we do however release the names of VA Senior Executives. Federal civilian employees and private citizens retain a significant privacy interest under certain circumstances, such as in instances where the release of their information could represent a threat to their well-being, harassment, or their ability to function within their sphere of employment. The federal civilian employees and private citizens whose information is at issue have a substantial privacy interest in their personal information. In weighing the private versus the public interest, except names of VA Senior Executives, we find that there is no public interest in knowing the names, identities, email addresses, VA usernames, phone numbers, cellular numbers, of federal civilian employees and private citizens. The coverage of FOIA Exemption 6 is absolute unless the FOIA requester can demonstrate a countervailing public interest in the requested information by demonstrating that the individual is in a position to provide the requested information to members of the general public and that the information requested contributes significantly to the public's understanding of the activities of the Federal government. Additionally, the requester must demonstrate how the public's need to understand the information significantly outweighs the privacy interest of the person to whom the information pertains. Upon consideration of the records, I have not been able to identify a countervailing public interest of sufficient magnitude to outweigh the privacy interest of the individuals whose names are redacted. The protected information has been redacted and (b)(6) inserted. "Withholding a telephone number or e-mail address, alone, is not sufficient to protect that [privacy] interest; alternate means of contacting and harassing these employees would be readily discoverable on the Internet if this court ordered their names disclosed." Long v. Immigration & Customs Enf't, 2017 U.S. Dist. LEXIS 160719 (D.C. Cir. 2017).

The following information is provided regarding the pages withheld in full pursuant to FOIA Exemption 5:

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The following information is provided regarding the pages withheld in full pursuant to FOIA Exemption 6:

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The following information is provided regarding the pages withheld in full pursuant to FOIA Exemption 5 and Exemption 6:

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FOIA Mediation

For any questions regarding the processing of this request, you have the right to seek assistance from the VA FOIA Public Liaison or the Office of Government Information Services (OGIS). As part of the 2007 FOIA amendments, the Office of Government Information Services (OGIS) was created to offer mediation services. Similarly, as part of the FOIA Improvement Act of 2016, VA established a FOIA Public Liaison to offer mediation services. You may contact OGIS and the VA Public Liaison in any of the following ways:

Office of Government Information Services:

E-mail Address: ogis@nara.gov

Fax: 202-741-5769

National Archives and Records Administration

Room 2510
8601 Adelphi Road
College Park, MD 20740-6001

VA FOIA Public Liaison:

Name: James Killens

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Appeal Rights

Please be advised that should you desire to do so; you may appeal the determination made in this response to:

Office of General Counsel (024)
Department of Veterans Affairs
810 Vermont Avenue, N.W.
Washington, D.C. 20420
E-mail: ogcfoiaappeals@va.gov

If you should choose to file an appeal, please include a copy of this letter with your written appeal and clearly indicate the basis for your disagreement with the determination set forth in this response. Please be advised that in accordance with VA's implementing FOIA regulations at 38 C.F.R. § 1.559, your appeal must be postmarked no later than ninety (90) days of the date of this letter.

Sincerely,



Greg Draves
FOIA/Privacy Officer
Office of General Counsel

Enclosure: 609 pages

From: (b)(6) (OGC)
Sent: Mon, 3 Feb 2020 14:40:14 +0000
To: Raun, Eric L. (OGC)
Subject: RE: updating quarantine paper GCL (b)(6)
Attachments: Quarantine and Isolation White Paper Updated.doc, 2014 Table of State Isolation and Quarantine Laws.docx

Eric:

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From: Raun, Eric L. (OGC) (b)(6) @va.gov>
Sent: Friday, January 31, 2020 5:29 PM
To: (b)(6) (OGC) (b)(6) @va.gov>
Subject: RE: updating quarantine paper GCL (b)(6)

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Thanks
Eric

From: (b)(6) (OGC) (b)(6) @va.gov>
Sent: Friday, January 31, 2020 11:41 AM
To: Raun, Eric L. (OGC) (b)(6) @va.gov>
Subject: RE: updating quarantine paper GCL (b)(6)

Eric:

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From: Raun, Eric L. (OGC) (b)(6) @va.gov>
Sent: Friday, January 31, 2020 10:59 AM
To: (b)(6) (OGC) (b)(6) @va.gov>
Subject: RE: updating quarantine paper GCL (b)(6)

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Thanks

Eric

From: (b)(6) (OGC) (b)(6) @va.gov>
Sent: Thursday, January 30, 2020 3:44 PM
To: Raun, Eric L. (OGC) (b)(6) @va.gov>
Subject: RE: updating quarantine paper GCL (b)(6)

Eric:

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From: Raun, Eric L. (OGC) (b)(6) @va.gov>
Sent: Tuesday, January 28, 2020 10:07 AM
To: (b)(6) (OGC) (b)(6) @va.gov>
Cc: Blauert, Susan (OGC) (b)(6) @va.gov>
Subject: updating quarantine paper GCL (b)(6)

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Could you update the attached paper?

Here's what Susan said about it:

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Thanks

Eric

From: Raun, Eric L. (OGC)
Sent: Tuesday, January 28, 2020 8:09 AM
To: Blauert, Susan (OGC) (b)(6) @va.gov>
Subject: RE:

Here it is.

From: Hogan, Michael R. (OGC) (b)(6) @va.gov>
Sent: Tuesday, January 28, 2020 7:55 AM
To: Blauert, Susan (OGC) (b)(6) @va.gov>; Raun, Eric L. (OGC) (b)(6) @va.gov>

Subject:
Importance: High

Susan/Eric,

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Thank you.

Mike

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The table below summarizes state law authority for quarantine and isolation within state borders, including authority to initiate quarantine and isolation, limitations on state quarantine powers, and penalties for violations. NOTE: This chart provides a synopsis of the laws discussed in it, but it is not intended to be used as comprehensive legal guidance and has not been updated since 2014.

Jurisdiction	Statute Citation	Statute Summary
Alabama	Quarantine Laws and Regulations	Authority. The Governor or the State Board of Health may proclaim a quarantine, whenever deemed necessary. The Board of Health shall enforce it and adopt any necessary rules or regulations necessary to do so. They shall also supervise county boards.
Alabama	Ala. Code § 22.12.1 to 22.12.29	
Alabama	Ala. Code § 22.3.2 (1940)	
Alabama	Ala. Code § 22.12.9-29 (1940)	Penalties. Violation of a health or quarantine law is a misdemeanor unless otherwise noted and is typically subject to a fine of \$50 to \$500. Such punishment applies to individuals who violate quarantine orders, to those required to provide notification of notifiable diseases who willfully neglect to do so, to anyone who knowingly transports a person or thing in violation of a quarantine, or other such violations of quarantine regulations.
Alabama	Ala. Code § 22.11A.6 (1987)	
Alabama	Ala. Code § 22.11A.7 (1987)	Police Power and Limitations. An officer or guard carrying out a quarantine may arrest without warrant anyone who attempts to violate quarantine regulations and move them to the designated detention area or in front of an officer with jurisdiction over the offense. Officers can pass through quarantine lines and have free access to all means of public transportation as needed to perform their duties. Freight and mail can be rejected from a quarantined area. Those with notifiable disease must obey the instructions of state or county health officer.
Alabama		
Alaska	Isolation & Quarantine	Authority. The Governor can declare a disaster emergency, including in the event of a disease outbreak. He or she can control entry and exit of an area and movement of persons or occupancy of premises within the area. The Department of Health and Social Services can quarantine or isolate only if it is the least restrictive alternative to protect public health. An emergency administrative order from the state medical officer can impose quarantine or isolation pending the court order.
Alaska	Alaska Stat. § 26.23.020 (2004)	
Alaska	Alaska Stat. § 18.15.385 (2005)	Penalties. Anyone who knowingly violates a regulation pertaining to quarantine or isolation is guilty of a class B misdemeanor. Anyone who intentionally violates such a regulation is guilty of a class A misdemeanor.

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Alaska	Alaska Stat. § 9.50.250 (2008)	Police Power and Limitations. The department must allow isolation in personal home if it would not jeopardize public health. If individuals do not consent to quarantine or isolation, a superior court order must be granted. The department should monitor those in quarantine or isolation and release them as soon as they no longer pose a substantial risk to public health. Improper application of quarantine or isolation, or negligent medical treatment therein, is an actionable claim against the state for compensation.
	Alaska	
Arizona	Isolation and Quarantine; Emergency Authority. Ariz. Rev. Stat. § 36.788-789	Authority. The Governor along with the state director of health services have primary authority in a state of emergency involving possible infectious disease. If investigation reveals a suspicion of a highly contagious disease to be accurate, the state or local health authority may declare a quarantine if it is the least intrusive means of protecting public health. A quarantine or isolation should be established by written court order unless there is an urgent threat to public health, in which case the Department of Health or local health authority can initiate a quarantine by written directive provided they file a petition for court order within ten days. The maximum court order for quarantine is thirty days before requiring a new order.
Arizona	Quarantine and Sanitary measures. Ariz. Rev. Stat. § 36.630, 737 (1982, 1997)	Penalties. Knowingly or intentionally exposing others to infection or attempting to leave quarantine or isolation is a class 2 misdemeanor. Obstructing an investigation, making a false report, or knowingly assisting someone else in violating quarantine is a class 3 misdemeanor.
Arizona	Ariz. Rev. Stat. § 36.624,732 (2002, 1997)	Police Power and Limitations. No treatment shall be provided against the will of an individual provided they cooperate with quarantine and sanitation orders. If an individual under quarantine is shown to no longer pose a public health risk, they may be released prior to end of court ordered period.
Arkansas	Local Health Authority	Authority. The Director of the Department of Health has control over all quarantine measures. The State Health Board establishes rules and regulations regarding quarantine and isolation. County or district health departments have the power and duty to establish and enforce quarantine or isolation when it is necessary for public health. Cities can create health boards and appoint a health officer, with jurisdiction five miles beyond city limits in the event of a quarantine
Arkansas	Ark. Stat. Ann. §§ 14-262-101 to 109 (2010)	
Arkansas	Ark. Stat. Ann. §§ 20-7-109 (1997)	

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Arkansas	Arkansas State Health Board Rules and Regulations, Communicable Diseases, Section X (2002)	for an epidemic. Both county and city health authorities must assist state Department of Health and the Health Board. Only the state Director can implement a quarantine on movement between jurisdictions.
Arkansas	Ark. Stat. Ann. Code § 20-15-710 (1963)	Penalties. For those under mandated treatment for tuberculosis, disorderly conduct can be punished with confinement up to six months and those who leave or attempt to leave without being discharged are guilty of a misdemeanor, punishable by confinement of six to twelve months.
Arkansas	Ark. Stat. Ann. § 20-15-703 to 704 (1975)	Police Power and Limitations. If a health officer has reasonable grounds to suspect an individual has an active or communicable form of tuberculosis who is not willing to undergo treatment, they may detain the individual for the necessary testing and establish suitable isolation. If suitable local isolation is unavailable, they can petition the court to move the individual to an appropriate state facility.
California	Cal. Health & Safety Code § 120175-120250; § 120195-120235	Authority. Health officers should take all necessary steps to prevent the spread of a contagious disease within their jurisdiction. Officers are required to enforce quarantine of state Department of Health and cannot enforce a quarantine against another jurisdiction without state approval.
California	Cal. Health & Safety Code § 120275-120305	Penalties. Anyone who violates or refuses a regulation or order of quarantine is guilty of a misdemeanor. A first offense is punishable by forced compliance with quarantine up to a year and two years probation with a repeat offense punishable by confinement of not more than a year.
California	Cal. Health & Safety Code § 120175-120250 (1995)	Police Power and Limitations. In the event of the outbreak of a communicable disease, a health official may have access to all supplies necessary from health providers that can either assist in responding to the outbreak or are implicated in the outbreak. If disinfection of goods or property would be unsafe, officers may destroy items, with proper compensation to owner.
Colorado	Colo. Rev. Stat. § 25-1-506 (2008)	Authority. County, District or Regional Health Departments have the duty to establish and enforce quarantine or isolation and exercise control over property and people within their jurisdiction as is necessary to protect public health.
Colorado	Colo. Rev. Stat. § 25-1-517 (2008)	Penalties. Anyone who violates or fails to comply with a quarantine order for tuberculosis is guilty of a misdemeanor and can be forced to comply.

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Connecticut	Orders of Quarantine or Isolation	Authority. In the event of a state-wide or regional health emergency, the Governor may authorize the Public Health Commission to quarantine or isolate individuals reasonably suspected as being infected or exposed to a communicable disease. Any town, city, borough or district director of health can issue a quarantine or isolation order if necessary to protect public health
Connecticut	Conn. Gen. Stat. § 368e-19a-221 (2003)	
Connecticut	Conn. Gen. Stat. § 368a-19a-131a (2003)	Penalties. Anyone who violates the provisions of a quarantine order or obstructs those tasked with carrying it out shall be fined no more than \$1000 and/or imprisoned for no more than a year.
Connecticut	Conn. Gen. Stat. § 368a-19a-131 (b-d) (2003)	Police Power and Limitations. Quarantine is only appropriate if it is the least restrictive option to protect public health, individuals in quarantine must be provided access to appropriate medical care and other basic needs. Individuals should be released from quarantine at such a point as they no longer pose a risk of contagion. Commissioners must write an order for quarantine. Those subject to quarantine can challenge this order in court. If an individual refuses to obey a quarantine order, they may be taken into custody and placed into quarantine.
Delaware	Communicable diseases; regulations; quarantine. Del. Code Ann. tit. 16 §505 (2002)	Authority. The Director of the Division of Public Health or a designee may regulate communicable diseases through isolation or quarantine. The public safety authority shall petition the Superior court for an order granting quarantine. If a physician determines immediate quarantine necessary for public health, petition should be filed within 24 hours.
Delaware	Isolation and quarantine during public health emergency. Del. Code Ann. tit. 20 §3136 (2002)	Police Power and Limitations. An individual under quarantine or isolation order can request a court hearing to the continued necessity of the order. The burden of proof lies with the public safety authority.
Florida	Duties and Powers. Fla. Stat. § 381.0011 (2012)	Authority. The State Health Officer is responsible for declaring public health emergencies, under which an order can be given to quarantine individuals who pose a threat to public health. Requires the Department of Health to develop a plan that exclusively uses private and non-state public hospitals to provide treatment to cure, hospitalize, and isolate persons with contagious cases of tuberculosis who pose a threat to the public.
Florida	Public Health Emergencies; quarantines	
Florida	Fla. Stat. § 381.00315 (2012)	

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Florida	Fla. Stat. § 381.0025 (1996)	Penalties. Any person who violates quarantine rules or regulations is guilty of a second degree misdemeanor.
Georgia	Grant of Authority	Authority. The Department of Community Health is empowered to isolate and treat individuals unwilling or unable to observe department rules or regulations for disease suppression and to establish quarantine, isolation or surveillance of people or animals exposed to a communicable disease that affects humans. A County Board of Health and Wellness has the authority to declare and enforce a quarantine.
Georgia	Ga. Code § 31-2-1 (2014)	
Georgia	Ga. Code § 31-3-2.1 (2014)	
Georgia	Ga. Code § 38-3-51 (2014)	
Georgia		Penalties. Violation of rules or regulations related to quarantine powers shall be declared a nuisance or a misdemeanor, as determined by the county governing authority establishing the rule.
Georgia		Police Power and Limitations. Those ordered into quarantine or isolation shall have access to legal representation and can challenge that order in court.
Hawaii	Hawaii Rev. Stat. § 128-8 (1986)	Authority. The Governor, in the event of a civil defense emergency, may require the quarantine of persons affected with a disease that presents a public health risk. The Department of Health can petition the court for a quarantine order, or if necessary for the protection of public health, establish a quarantine, provided they submit a petition to the court. The Department of Health can require immunization against a communicable disease with exceptions based on medical risk and religious objection.
Hawaii	Infected persons and quarantine. Hawaii Rev. Stat. § 325-8	
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Hawaii	Hawaii Rev. Stat. § 325-2 (1988)	Penalties. Failure of required medical professionals to report presence of a communicable disease is punishable by fine up to \$1,000 per violation. Failure to follow a quarantine order is a misdemeanor.
Hawaii	Hawaii Rev. Stat. § 325-8 (2002)	
Hawaii	Infected persons and quarantine. Hawaii Rev. Stat. § 128-8 (1986)	Police Power and Limitations. Public safety officials can isolate or close any building that is the source of contamination and provide for the destruction or cleansing of property that is acting as a public nuisance. The Governor can suspend any law which impedes the ability to respond to a civil defense emergency. Subjects of quarantine should have their dignity respected and be kept in the least restrictive environment dictated by public health requirements. They have the right to contest a quarantine order in court.
Hawaii	Hawaii Rev. Stat. § 325-8 (2002)	
Idaho	Idaho Admin. Code § 16.02.10.065 (2008)	Authority. The state public health administrator has the power to quarantine an individual in the case of a communicable disease and

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Idaho	Quarantine. Idaho Code § 39-415	to prevent entry or exit of a household or place by nonauthorized individuals, provided proper notification of the order and identification of least restrictive means of protecting public health. A district health board has identical powers as state officials within a health district. Cities may create a board of health and assign it powers and duties relevant to the control of communicable diseases, within five miles of the city.
Idaho	Idaho Code § 50-304 (cities)	
Idaho	Idaho Code § 56-1003 (7) (state health director)	
Idaho	Idaho Code § 56-1003 (7) (c)-penalties)	Penalties. Any person who violates an order of isolation or quarantine shall be guilty of a misdemeanor.
Idaho	Idaho Admin. Code § 16.02.10.065 (2008)	Police Power and Limitations. Department of health officials may enter property in order to administer or enforce communicable disease duties.
Illinois	Dept of Health Powers. Ill. Rev. Stat. ch. 20 § 2305/2 (2009)	Authority. The Department of Public Health has supreme authority over declaring new or modifying existing quarantines. A county board of health should be created with responsibility for control of contagious diseases including the use of quarantine for areas within the county not incorporated. Corporate authorities of municipalities have jurisdiction for quarantine extending one half mile beyond corporate limits. Local health authorities shall establish quarantine of contacts of someone suspected of carrying a disease which requires this action.
Illinois	County Bd of Health Powers. Ill. Rev. Stat. ch. 55 § 5/5-20001	
Illinois	Local Powers. Ill. Rev. Stat. ch. 65 § 5/7-4-1 (1961)	
Illinois	Ill. Admin. Code. 77 § 690.1000 (2008)	
Illinois	Ill. Rev. Stat. ch. 20 § 2305/2	Penalties. Anyone who knowingly disseminates false information related to contagious disease or violates a quarantine order is guilty of a Class A misdemeanor.
Illinois	Ill. Rev. Stat. ch. 20 § 2305/2	Police Power and Limitations. Persons who are or are about to be ordered to be isolated or quarantined and owners of places that are or are about to be closed and made off limits to the public shall have the right to counsel and shall be given written notice of the order. The Department may order physical examinations or tests, provided the tests pose no substantial risk of harm, and vaccinate or treat diseases. They may quarantine or isolate those who do not consent to testing to confirm suspected disease or treatment of identified disease.
Indiana	Quarantine. Ind. Code § 16-19-3-9 (2014)	Authority. The Department of Health may establish quarantine and do what is reasonable and necessary to prevent or suppress disease. When a public health emergency exists, the Department can enforce orders within local jurisdiction and exercise all powers of those local health authorities.

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Indiana	Ind. Code Ann. § 16-41-9-1.5 (2007)	Penalties. A person who knowingly or intentionally violates a condition of isolation or quarantine under this chapter commits violating quarantine or isolation, a Class A misdemeanor.
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Indiana	Ind. Code Ann. § 16-41-9-1.5 (2007)	Police Power and Limitations. A local health authority can receive an emergency quarantine order lasting 72 hours if individual is likely to spread disease in time prior to proper notification and hearing for individual.
Iowa	Duties. Iowa Code § 136.3	Authority. The state board of health is the policy making body for the Department of Public Health, and shall advise the Department on issues including quarantine and isolation. The state Department of Health and local boards of health are authorized to impose and enforce quarantine and isolation as the particular situation requires.
Iowa	Iowa Admin. Code § 641-1.9(2) (2009)	
Iowa	Iowa Code § 139A.25	
Iowa	Communicable and Infectious Disease. Iowa Code § 139A.4; 199A.5; 139A.13	Penalties. A person who knowingly violates a quarantine or isolation rule or lawful order is guilty of a simple misdemeanor. A clinical laboratory that fails to file a mandated report shall be subject to a fine no greater than one thousand dollars per occurrence.
Kansas	Kan. Stat. Ann. § 14-307 (1923)	Authority. If a county board of health or local health officer neglects to properly contain a disease, the Secretary of Health and Environment can quarantine any area where the disease threatens to become epidemic. A county or joint board of health shall exercise and maintain supervision over any incidence of communicable disease and enforce provisions pertaining to quarantine and isolation. It shall report existing conditions to the Secretary of Health and Environment. A mayor has jurisdiction, for the purpose of quarantine, extending five miles beyond the corporate limits.
Kansas	Duties and powers of local health officers. Kan. Stat. Ann. § 65-119, 126	
Kansas	Penalties for Unlawful Acts. Kan. Stat. Ann. § 65-129	
Kansas	Orders for isolation or quarantine. Kan. Stat. Ann. § 65-129b, 129c	Penalties. Anyone who knowingly conceals a contagious disease or breaks quarantine or isolation is guilty of a class C misdemeanor.
Kentucky	Local Health Programs. Ky. Rev. Stat. § 212.370	Police Power and Limitations. A county or joint board of health or local health officer can prohibit public gatherings when necessary to control infectious or contagious disease.
		Authority. When the Cabinet of Health Services believes there is likely outbreak of an infectious disease, it shall adopt and enforce rules as necessary to prevent introduction or spread of disease

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Kentucky	Spread of Disease. Ky. Rev. Stat. § 214.020 (2005)	including quarantine and isolation. City-county boards of health have exclusive control over enforcement of laws and regulations related to public health, including quarantine.
Louisiana	Sanitary Code. La. Rev. Stat. Ann. § 40:3, 4,7,15	Authority. The state health officer has exclusive authority to isolate or quarantine to prevent the spread of contagious disease. If a parish becomes infected with a disease to the degree that it threatens to spread to another parish, the state health officer can quarantine that parish. Parish health officers may establish quarantine only with permission of the state health officer and parish legislative body, and shall be supervised by the state health officer.
Louisiana	Public Health Emergency Plan. La. Rev. Stat. § 29:764	
Louisiana Louisiana Louisiana	Penalties. La. Rev. Stat. Ann. § 40:6	
Maine	Authority of Department. Maine Rev. Stat. tit. 22 § 802(2)	Authority. In the event of an actual or threatened epidemic or outbreak of a communicable or occupational disease, the department may declare that a health emergency exists and may adopt emergency rules for the protection of the
Maine	Extreme Public Health Emergency. Maine Rev. Stat. Ann. tit. 22 § 820	public's health relating to procedures for the isolation and placement of infected persons for purposes of care and treatment or infection persons which shall be subject to the supervision and regulations of the department.
Maine	Penalties. La. Rev. Stat. Ann. § 40:6	Penalties. Any person, who neglects, violates or refuses to obey the rules or who willfully obstructs or hinders the execution of the rules, may be ordered by the department, in writing, to cease and desist. In the case of any person who refuses to obey a cease and desist order issued to enforce the rules adopted pursuant to section 802, the department may bring an action in District Court to obtain an injunction enforcing the cease and desist order or to request a civil fine not to exceed \$500, or both.
Maine	Maine Rev. Stat. Ann. tit. 22 § 825	Any person who knowingly and willfully fails to comply with reporting requirements for notifiable diseases or conditions commits a civil violation for which a fine of not more than \$250 may be adjudged.

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Maine	Emergency Temporary Custody. Maine Rev. Stat. Ann. tit. 22 § 810	Police Power and Limitations. Upon the department's submission of an affidavit showing by clear and convincing evidence that the person or property which is the subject of the petition requires immediate custody in order to avoid a clear and immediate public health threat, a judge of the District Court or justice of the Superior Court may grant temporary custody of the subject of the petition to the department and may order specific emergency care, treatment or evaluation.
Maine	Maine Rev. Stat. Ann. tit. 26 § 875 (2005)	An employer shall grant reasonable and necessary leave from work, with or without pay, for an employee for reasons related to an extreme public health emergency, with limited exceptions.
Maryland	Quarantine. Md. Ann. § Code 18-906	Authority. When the Secretary of Health determines that it is medically necessary and reasonable to prevent or reduce the spread of the disease or outbreak believed to have been caused by the exposure to a deadly agent, may order an individual or group of individuals to go to and remain in places of isolation or quarantine until the Secretary determines that the individual no longer poses a substantial risk of transmitting the disease or condition to the public. If a competent individual over the age of 18 refuses vaccination, medical examination, treatment, or testing under this paragraph, may require the individual to go to and remain in places of isolation or quarantine until the Secretary determines that the individual no longer poses a substantial risk of transmitting the disease or condition to the public.
Maryland	Md. Ann. § Code 18-905	Penalties. A person who knowingly and willfully fails to comply with any order, regulation, or directive is guilty of a misdemeanor and on conviction is subject to imprisonment not exceeding 1 year or a fine not exceeding \$3,000 or both. If a health care facility fails to comply with an order, regulation, or directive the Secretary may impose a civil penalty not to exceed \$3,000 for each offense.
Maryland	Md. Ann. § Code 18-907	Police Power and Limitations. Individuals should be informed of quarantine directive through best means available and have a hearing to contest the directive.
Maryland		It shall be unlawful for any public or private employer to discharge an employee who is under an order of isolation or quarantine or because of such an order.

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Massachusetts	Mass. Gen. Laws ch. 111 § 95	Authority. If a disease dangerous to the public health breaks out in a town, or if a person is infected or lately has been infected therewith, the board of health shall immediately provide such hospital or place of reception and such nurses and other assistance and necessities as is judged best for his accommodation and for the safety of the inhabitants, and the same shall be subject to the regulations of the board. The board may cause any sick or infected person to be removed to such hospital or place, if it can be done without danger to his health; otherwise the house or place in which he remains shall be considered as a hospital, and all persons residing in or in any way connected therewith shall be subject to the regulations of the board, and, if necessary, persons in the neighborhood may be removed.
Massachusetts	Mass. Gen. Laws ch. 111 § 105	Penalties. If a physician or other person who is in any of the hospitals or places of reception mentioned in section ninety-five, or who attends, approaches or is concerned with them, violates a regulation of the board of health relative thereto, he shall forfeit not less than ten nor more than one hundred dollars.
Massachusetts	Mass. Gen. Laws ch. 111 § 94G, 95	Police Power and Limitations. When the board of health of a town shall deem it necessary, in the interest of the public health, to require a resident wage earner to remain within such house or place or otherwise to interfere with the following of his employment, he shall receive from such town during the period of his restraint compensation to the extent of three fourths of his regular wages; provided, that the amount so received shall not exceed two dollars for each working day.
Massachusetts		The full financial responsibility for the care and treatment of patients hospitalized at the tuberculosis treatment center shall be on the commonwealth. The placing of such financial responsibility on the commonwealth for the patients shall in no way affect the residence or other matters concerning the family or dependents of the patients.
		Any person hospitalized at the treatment center may petition the district court which committed him to release him therefrom.
Michigan	Involuntary detention. Mich. Comp. Laws § 333.2453	Authority. The local health officer may issue an emergency order to prohibit the gathering of people for any purpose and may establish procedures to be followed by persons, including a local governmental entity, during the epidemic to insure continuation of essential public health services and enforcement of health laws. Emergency procedures shall not be limited to this code.

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Michigan	Mich. Admin. Code § 325.175 (1993)	A physician or other person who attends to a case of communicable disease shall arrange for appropriate barrier precautions, treatment, or isolation if needed to prevent the spread of infection to other household members, patients, or the community.
Michigan	Protection of Public Health in Emergency. Mich. Comp. Laws § 333.5207	Police Power and Limitations. A local health department or the department may provide for the involuntary detention and treatment of individuals with hazardous communicable disease.
Minnesota	Minn. Stat. §§ 144.12	To protect the public health in an emergency, upon the filing of an affidavit by a department representative or a local health officer, the circuit court may order the department representative, local health officer, or a peace officer to take an individual whom the court has reasonable cause to believe is a carrier and is a health threat to others into custody and transport the individual to an appropriate emergency care or treatment facility for observation, examination, testing, diagnosis, or treatment and, if determined necessary by the court, temporary detention.
Minnesota	Quarantine of Interstate Carriers. Minn. Stat. §§ 144.14	Authority. When necessary the commissioner of the Department of Health may establish and enforce a system of quarantine against the introduction into the state of any plague or other communicable disease by common carriers doing business across its borders.
Minnesota	Minn. Stat. §§ 144.12, 144.14	The physician attending a case, suspected case, or carrier (or in the absence of a physician, the commissioner) shall make certain that isolation precautions are taken to prevent spread of disease to others.
Minnesota	Isolation and Quarantine of Persons. Minn. Stat. §§ 144.419, 4195, 4196 (2009)	Police Power and Limitations. The department's agents may board any conveyance used by such carriers to inspect the same and, if such conveyance be found infected, may detain the same and isolate and quarantine any or all persons found thereon, with their luggage, until all danger of communication of disease therefrom is removed.
Minnesota		Isolation and quarantine must be by the least restrictive means necessary to prevent the spread of a communicable or potentially communicable disease to others and may include, but are not limited to, confinement to private homes or other private or public premises. Isolated and quarantined individuals must be immediately released when they pose no known risk of transmitting a communicable or potentially communicable disease to others.

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Minnesota		Before isolating or quarantining a person or group of persons, the commissioner of health shall obtain a written, ex parte order authorizing the isolation or quarantine from the District Court of Ramsey County, the county where the person or group of persons is located, or a county adjoining the county where the person or group of persons is located.
Mississippi	Quarantine in General. Miss. Code Ann. § 41-23-5 (2013)	Authority. The state department of health shall have the authority to investigate and control the causes of epidemic, infectious and other disease affecting the public health, including the authority to establish, maintain and enforce isolation and quarantine, and in pursuance thereof, to exercise such physical control over property and individuals as the department may find necessary for the protection of the public health.
Mississippi		The State Board of Health shall have authority: To direct and control sanitary and quarantine measures for dealing with all diseases within the state possible to suppress same and prevent their spread.
Mississippi	Miss. Code Ann. § 41-23-1, 41-23-2	Penalties. Failure by a medical professional to report a communicable disease is grounds for loss of medical license. Any person who shall knowingly and willfully violate the lawful order of the county, district or state health officer where that person is afflicted with a life-threatening communicable disease or the causative agent thereof shall be guilty of a felony and, upon conviction, shall be punished by a fine not exceeding \$5,000 or by imprisonment in the penitentiary for not more than five years, or by both.
Mississippi		Any person knowingly violating any rule or regulation promulgated by the state board of health, related to quarantine for sexually transmitted diseases, shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor and upon conviction shall be punished by fine or imprisonment or both.
Missouri	Mo. Rev. Stat. § 79.380 (2013)	Authority. The Board of Alderman may make regulations and pass ordinances for the prevention of the introduction of contagious diseases in the city, and for the abatement of the same, and may make quarantine laws and enforce the same within five miles of the city.
Missouri	Mo. 19 CSR 20-20.050 (2008)	The local health authority, the director of the Department of Health or the director's designated representative shall require isolation of a patient or animal with a communicable disease, quarantine of contacts, concurrent and terminal disinfection, or modified forms of these procedures necessary for the protection of the public health.

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Missouri	Violation of Quarantine. Mo. Rev. Stat. § 192.320	Penalties. Any person or persons who shall leave any isolation hospital or quarantined house or place without the consent of the health officer having jurisdiction, or who evades or breaks quarantine or knowingly conceals a case of contagious, infectious, or communicable disease, or who removes, destroys, obstructs from view, or tears down any quarantine card, cloth or notice posted by the attending physician or by the health officer, or by direction of a proper health officer, shall be deemed guilty of a class A misdemeanor.
Montana	Quarantine and isolation measures. Mont. Code Ann. § 50-1-204 (2003)	Authority. The department may adopt and enforce quarantine measures against a state, county, or municipality to prevent the spread of communicable disease. If found necessary or desirable to protect public health, state and local health officers or their authorized deputies or agents shall isolate or quarantine persons who refuse examination or treatment. Local boards may quarantine persons who have communicable diseases. Local health officers or their authorized representatives shall establish and maintain quarantine and isolation measures as enacted by the local board of health.
Montana	Mont. Code Ann. § 50-2-116, 118 (2007)	
Montana	Mont. Code Ann. § 50-18-107 (1989)	
Montana	Mont. Code Ann. § 50-1-204 (2003)	Penalties. A person who does not comply with quarantine measures shall, on conviction, be fined not less than \$10 or more than \$100.
Montana	Tuberculosis. Mont. Code Ann. § 50-17-105	Police Power and Limitations. The department or a local board may apply for an order from the district court if a person is reasonably suspected to have or to have been exposed to tuberculosis. The application must request that the person be ordered to:
Montana		(a) submit to an examination for tuberculosis and, if the person is found to have tuberculosis, to complete an approved course of treatment; or
Montana		(b) enter or return to a treatment location to complete an approved course of treatment.
Nebraska	Executive powers. Neb. Rev. Stat. § 14-219	Authority. The mayor shall have such jurisdiction over all places within three miles of the corporate limits of the city, for the enforcement of any health and quarantine ordinance or the regulations thereof.
Nebraska	Contagious diseases. Neb. Rev. Stat. § 71-501	The county boards of the counties shall make and enforce regulations to prevent the introduction and spread of contagious, infectious, and malignant diseases in their respective counties. To that end a board of health shall be created, consisting of three members. The sheriff shall be chairperson and quarantine officer.

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Nebraska	DHHS; Powers. Neb. Rev. Stat. § 81-601	The Department of Health and Human Services shall have general supervision and control over matters relating to public health and sanitation and shall have supervision over all matters of quarantine and quarantine regulations.
Nebraska	Neb. Rev. Stat. § 71-506 (1994)	Penalties. Any person violating any of the provisions of section 71-501 and 71-502 shall be guilty of a Class V misdemeanor for each offense.
Nevada	Isolation and Quarantine of Persons. Nev. Rev. Stat. § 441A.510 to 441A.530	Authority. The county board of health may establish and maintain an isolation hospital or quarantine station when necessary; restrain, quarantine and disinfect any person sick with or exposed to any contagious or infectious disease that is dangerous to the public health; and appoint quarantine officers when necessary to enforce a quarantine.
Nevada	Isolation and Quarantine of Persons. Nev. Rev. Stat. § 441A.540 to 441A.590	A health authority may issue an order requiring the isolation, quarantine or treatment of any person or group of persons if he believes that such action is necessary to protect the public health.
Nevada		Most of the city charters contain a provision giving the city council the authority to establish rules on quarantine within their jurisdiction.
Nevada	Nev. Rev. Stat. § 441A-180	Penalties. A person who has a communicable disease in an infectious state shall not conduct himself in any manner likely to expose others to the disease or engage in any occupation in which it is likely that the disease will be transmitted to others. A person who violates the provisions after service upon him of a warning from a health authority is guilty of a misdemeanor.
Nevada	Involuntary Court-Ordered Isolation or Quarantine. Nev. Rev. Stat. § 441A-600 to 441A.720	Police Power and Limitations. A health authority may petition the country court for isolation or quarantine. The petition requires an written statement from the health authority and a physician that the person(s) has been exposed to a communicable disease and the person(s) is an immediate risk to the public's health.
Nevada	Nev. Rev. Stat. § 441A-160 (2003)	Police Power and Limitations. The county board of health shall provide whatever medicines, disinfectants and provisions which may be required, and shall arrange for the payment of all debts or charges so incurred from any funds available, but each patient shall, if he is able, pay for his food, medicine, clothes and medical attendance.

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Nevada		A health authority may enter private property at reasonable hours to investigate any case or suspected case of a communicable disease and order any person whom he reasonably suspects has a communicable disease in an infectious state to submit to any medical examination or test which he believes is necessary to verify the presence of the disease. The order must be in writing and specify the name of the person to be examined and the time and place of the examination and testing, and may include such terms and conditions as the health authority believes are necessary to protect the public health.
New Hampshire	Duties. N.H. Rev. Stat. Ann. §§ 141-C:4, 5	Authority. The commissioner shall establish, maintain, and suspend isolation and quarantine to prevent the spread of communicable diseases and order persons who pose a threat to the life and health of the public to receive such treatment and care as necessary to eliminate the threat.
New Hampshire		Health officers shall assist the commissioner, when requested to do so, in the establishment and maintenance of isolation and quarantine in their respective cities and towns, and enforce all rules adopted by the commissioner relative to isolation and quarantine.
New Hampshire	Penalty. N.H. Rev. Stat. Ann. §§ 141-C:21	Penalties. Any person who shall violate, disobey, refuse, omit or neglect to comply with any of the provisions of RSA 141-C, or of the rules adopted pursuant to it, shall be guilty of a misdemeanor if a natural person, or guilty of a felony if any other person.
New Hampshire	Isolation and Quarantine. N.H. Rev. Stat. Ann. §§ 141-C:11 to C:14	Police Power and Limitations. Isolation or quarantine shall be by the least restrictive means necessary to protect the citizenry which, in the case of an individual, shall be at a place of his or her choosing unless the commissioner determines such place to be impractical or unlikely to adequately protect the public health. The commissioner may, in ordering isolation or quarantine of persons, require that treatment be obtained.
New Hampshire		Any person subject to an order for submission of a specimen, or for examination, immunization, treatment, isolation, quarantine, provision of information, or inspection of a building or conveyance may request a hearing in the superior court to contest such order.
New Hampshire		The cost of treatment and care shall be a cost to the person, or his parent or guardian, or, if such person is indigent, from such public funds available for such purposes.

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New Jersey	N.J. Stat. § 26:4-2 (2005)	Authority. In order to prevent the spread of disease, the state department of health, and the local boards of health within their respective jurisdictions and subject to the state sanitary code, shall have power to maintain and enforce proper and sufficient quarantine, wherever deemed necessary.
New Jersey	N.J. Stat. §§ 26:4-129 (1918)	Penalties. Except as otherwise specifically provided in this chapter, a person who violates any of the provisions of this chapter, or fails to perform any duty imposed by this chapter at the time and in the manner provided, shall be liable to a penalty of not less than ten nor more than one hundred dollars for each offense.
New Jersey	N.J. Stat. §§ 26:4-3 (1893)	Police Power and Limitations. Whenever the state department or a local board, in order to prevent the spread of communicable disease, destroys any goods, the state treasurer or local treasurer, as the case may be, shall pay to the owner of the goods, or his legal representatives, the sum so certified.
New Jersey	Reinstatement of employment. N.J. Stat. § 26:13-16 (2005)	Any person who has been placed in isolation or quarantine pursuant to an order of the commissioner and who at the time of quarantine or isolation was in the employ of any public or private employer, other than a temporary position, shall be reinstated to such employment or to a position of like seniority, status and pay.
New Mexico	N.M. Stat. Ann. § 24-1-3	Authority. The Department of Health has authority to establish, maintain and enforce isolation and quarantine. The department of health may establish or require isolation or quarantine of any animal, person, institution, community or region.
New Mexico	Isolation or quarantine authorized. N.M. Stat. Ann. § 12-10A-8 to 12-10A-11	The secretary of health may isolate or quarantine a person as necessary during a public health emergency, using the procedures set forth in the Public Health Emergency Response Act.
New Mexico	Enforcement. N.M. Stat. Ann. § 12-10A-19	Penalties. The secretary of health, the secretary of public safety or the director may enforce the provisions of the Public Health Emergency Response Act by imposing a civil administrative penalty of up to five thousand dollars (\$5,000) for each violation of that act.
New Mexico	N.M. Stat. Ann. § 12-10A-8	Police Power and Limitations. Isolation or quarantine shall be by the least restrictive means necessary to protect against the spread of a threatening communicable disease or a potentially threatening communicable disease to others and may include confinement to a private home or other private or public premises.

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New Mexico		A person isolated or quarantined pursuant to the provisions of the Public Health Emergency Response Act has the right to refuse medical treatment, testing, physical or mental examination, vaccination, specimen collections and preventive treatment programs.
New Mexico	Job Protection. N.M. Stat. Ann. § 12-10A-16 (2003)	An employer or an agent of an employer shall not discharge from employment a person who is placed in isolation or quarantine.
New York	Communicable Diseases; Boards of Health; Powers. N.Y. Public Health Law § 2100	Authority. Every local board of health and every health officer may provide for care and isolation of cases of communicable disease in a hospital or elsewhere when necessary for protection of the public health.
New York	N.Y. Public Health Law § 2120	Penalties. 1. Whenever a complaint is made by a physician to a health officer that any person is afflicted with a communicable disease or is a carrier of typhoid fever, tuberculosis, diphtheria or other communicable disease and is unable or unwilling to conduct himself and to live in such a manner as not to expose members of his family or household or other persons with whom he may be associated to danger of infection, the health officer shall forthwith investigate the circumstances alleged. 2. If the health officer finds after investigation that a person so afflicted is a menace to others, he shall make and file a complaint against such person with a magistrate, and on such complaint the said person shall be brought before such magistrate. 3. The magistrate after due notice and a hearing, if satisfied that the complaint of the health officer is well founded and that the afflicted person is a source of danger to others, may commit the said person to any hospital or institution established for the care of persons suffering from any such communicable disease or maintaining a room, ward or wards for such persons. 4. In making such commitment the magistrate shall make such order for payment for the care and maintenance of the person committed as he may deem proper. 5. A person who is committed pursuant to the provisions of this section shall be deemed to be committed until discharged in the manner authorized by section two thousand one hundred twenty-three of this chapter. - See more at: http://codes.lp.findlaw.com/nycode/PBH/21/2/2120#sthash.pK1brPk2.dpuf
New York	Communicable Disease; control of patients. N.Y. Public Health Law § 2120	Police Power and Limitations. The magistrate after due notice and a hearing, if satisfied that the complaint of the health officer is well founded and that the afflicted person is a source of danger to others, may commit the said person to any hospital or institution established for the care of persons suffering from any such communicable disease or maintaining a room, ward or wards for such persons.

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New York City	General Powers of the department. NYC Health Code Article 3. §3.01 (c)	Authority. Subject to the provisions of the New York City Health Code or other applicable law, the New York City Department of Health and Mental Hygiene may take such action as may become necessary to assure the maintenance of public health, the prevention of disease, or the safety of the City and its residents.
New York City	NYC Health Code Article 11. §11.17 Control measures; duty to isolate; and isolation, quarantine and examination orders.	Police Power and Limitations. (a) It shall be the duty of an attending physician, or a person in charge of a hospital, clinic, nursing home or other medical facility to isolate a case, carrier, suspect case or suspect carrier of diphtheria, rubella (German measles), influenza with pandemic potential, invasive meningococcal disease, measles, monkeypox, mumps, pertussis, poliomyelitis, pneumonic form of plague, severe or novel coronavirus, vancomycin intermediate or resistant <i>Staphylococcus aureus</i> (VISA/VRSA), smallpox, tuberculosis (active), vaccinia disease, viral hemorrhagic fever or any other contagious disease that in the opinion of the Commissioner may pose an imminent and significant threat to the public health, in a manner consistent with recognized infection control principles and isolation procedures in accordance with State Department of Health regulations or guidelines pending further action by the Commissioner or designee. (b) Whenever the person in charge of a shelter, group residence, correctional facility, or other place providing medical care on site is not capable of implementing appropriate isolation precautions for the specific disease, upon discovering a case, carrier, suspect case or suspect carrier of a contagious disease of the kind as set forth in subdivision (a), such person in charge shall mask such individual, if indicated, and shall isolate the individual by placing him or her in a single room as instructed by the Department until such time as the individual can be transported to an appropriate healthcare facility that is capable of implementing appropriate isolation precautions for the specific disease. (c) The person in charge of a school, day care facility, camp or other congregate care setting with children under the age of six, homeless shelter, correctional facility, group residence or other congregate residential setting providing care or shelter shall, upon discovering a case, carrier, suspect case or suspect carrier of a contagious disease set forth in subdivision (a) shall mask such person, if indicated, and isolate the individual by placing him or her in a single room as instructed by the Department until the person can be safely transferred to an appropriate medical facility for evaluation. (d) A case, contact, carrier or suspect case, contact or carrier of a contagious disease set forth in subdivision (a) who is not hospitalized may, in accordance with the provisions of subdivision (k) of §11.23 of this Article, be ordered by the Department to remain in isolation or quarantine at home or other residence of his or her choosing that is acceptable to the Department, under such conditions and for such

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		duration as the Department may specify to prevent transmission of the disease to others.
New York City	Penalties. NYC Health Code Article 11. §11.31 Acts likely to spread disease prohibited.	(a) No person shall intentionally or negligently cause or promote the spread of disease: (1) By failure to observe, or by improper observance of, applicable requirements of isolation, quarantine, exclusion, treatment or other preventive measures, or by failing to take other precautions in caring for cases or carriers, or suspect cases or carriers of a contagious disease; or (2) By unnecessarily exposing himself or herself to other persons, knowing himself or herself to be a case or carrier, or suspect case or carrier of a contagious disease; or, (3) By unnecessarily exposing a person in his or her charge or under his or her care, knowing such person to be a case or carrier or suspect case or carrier of a contagious disease, to other persons; or, (4) By unnecessarily exposing a person in his or her charge or under his or her care to another person who is known to be a case or carrier, or suspect case or carrier of a contagious disease; or, (5) By unnecessarily exposing the remains of a person in his or her charge or under his or her care, knowing such person to have been a case or carrier or suspect case or carrier of a contagious disease at the time of his or her death, to other persons.
North Carolina	Quarantine and Isolation Authority. N.C. Gen. Stat. § 130A-145	Authority. The State Health Director and a local health director are empowered to exercise quarantine and isolation authority.
North Carolina	Public Health Authority. N.C. Gen. Stat. § 130A-41, 130A-45 to 130A-45.6	Police Power and Limitations. Quarantine or isolation can be imposed for 30 days. The individual so restricted can challenge the order in superior court. The period of restriction can be increased a further 30 days if still necessary for protection of public health by petition to the superior court.
North Dakota	Communicable Disease Confinement Procedure. N.D. Cent. Code § 23-07-06 et seq.	Authority. The state health officer or any local health officer may order any person or group into confinement by a written directive if there are reasonable grounds to believe that the person or group is infected with any communicable disease, the state health officer or local health officer determines that the person or group poses a substantial threat to the public health, and confinement is necessary and is the least restrictive alternative to protect or preserve the public health.

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North Dakota	Public Health Units. N.D. Cent. Code § 23-35-12	Whenever a local board of health knows that a case of a contagious or infectious disease exists within its jurisdiction, the board immediately shall examine the facts of the case and may adopt such quarantine and sanitary measures as in its judgment tend to prevent the spread of such disease.
North Dakota	N.D. Cent. Code § 23-07.6-02 (1989)	Penalties. Persons subject to isolation or quarantine shall obey the health officer's rules and orders and must not go beyond the isolation or quarantine premises. Failure to obey these provisions is a class B misdemeanor.
North Dakota		A person, other than a person authorized by the state or local health officer, must not enter isolation or quarantine premises. Failure to obey this provision is a class B misdemeanor.
North Dakota	N.D. Cent. Code § 23-07.6-03	Police Power and Limitations. The state or a local health officer, within that officer's jurisdiction, may temporarily isolate or quarantine an individual or groups of individuals through a written directive if delay in imposing the isolation or quarantine would significantly jeopardize the health officer's ability to prevent or limit the transmission of a contagious or possibly contagious disease to others.
North Dakota		At a hearing conducted under this chapter, the health officer who ordered confinement has the burden of showing by a preponderance of the evidence that the respondent is infected with a communicable disease, poses a substantial threat to the public health, and that confinement of the respondent is necessary and is the least restrictive alternative to protect or preserve the public health.
Ohio	Departments of Health; Powers. Ohio R.C. § 3701.13	Authority. The Department of Health shall have supervision of all matters relating to the preservation of the life and health of the people and have supreme authority in matters of quarantine, which it may declare and enforce, when none exists, and modify, relax, or abolish, when it has been established.
Ohio	Isolation. Ohio R.C. §§ 3707.08 to 3707.25	When a person known to have been exposed to a communicable disease declared quarantinable by the board of health of a city or general health district or the department of health is reported within its jurisdiction, the board shall at once restrict such person to his place of residence or other suitable place, prohibit entrance to or exit from such place without the board's written permission in such manner as to prevent effective contact with individuals not so exposed, and enforce such restrictive measures as are prescribed by the department.

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Ohio		Any person that employs an alien who is not legally present in the United States and has a contagious or infectious disease contracted before or during employment shall pay to the municipal corporation, township, or county in which the alien is employed any expense caused by the contagious or infectious disease.
Ohio	Ohio R.C. §§ 3707.09, 3707.31	Police Power and Limitations. The board of health of a city or general health district may employ as many persons as are necessary to execute its orders and properly guard any house or place containing any person affected with or exposed to a communicable disease declared quarantinable by the board or the department of health. The persons employed shall be sworn in as quarantine guards, shall have police powers, and may use all necessary means to enforce sections 3707.01 to 3707.53, inclusive, of the Revised Code, for the prevention of contagious or infectious disease, or the orders of any board made in pursuance thereof.
Ohio		When great emergency exists, the board of health of a city or general health district may seize, occupy, and temporarily use for a quarantine hospital a suitable vacant house or building within its jurisdiction.
Oklahoma	Prevention and Control of Disease. Okla. Stat. tit. 63 §§ 1-502, 1-504	Authority. The State Board of Health shall have authority to adopt such rules and regulations, not inconsistent with law, as it deems necessary to aid in the prevention and control of communicable disease.
Oklahoma		Whenever a local health officer determines or suspects that a person has a communicable disease, he may impose a quarantine on the place or premises where such person usually stays, and notice thereof shall be given in accordance with the rules and regulations of the State Board of Health.
Oklahoma	Penalty for Violating Quarantine Laws. Okla. Stat. tit. 21 § 1195	Penalties. Every person who having been lawfully ordered by any health officer to be detained in quarantine and not having been discharged leaves the quarantine grounds or willfully violates any quarantine law or regulation is guilty of a misdemeanor.
Oregon	Emergency administrative order for isolation or quarantine. Or. Rev. Stat. § 433.121	Authority. The Public Health Director or a local public health administrator may issue an emergency administrative order causing a person or group of persons to be placed in isolation or quarantine if the Public Health Director or the local public health administrator has probable cause to believe that a person or group of persons requires immediate detention in order to avoid a clear and immediate danger to others and that considerations of safety do not allow initiation of the petition process set out in ORS 433.123.

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Oregon	Emergency administrative order for isolation or quarantine. Or. Rev. Stat. § 433.121 to 433.150	Police Power and Limitations. Isolation or quarantine must be by the least restrictive means necessary to prevent the spread of a communicable disease or possibly communicable disease to others or to limit exposure to or contamination with a toxic substance by others, and may include, but is not limited to, confinement to private homes or other public or private premises.
Oregon		The Department of Human Services may provide general assistance, including medical care for the person who is isolated or quarantined, on the basis of need, provided that no payment shall be made for the care of any such person in or under the care of any public institution or public agency or municipality.
Pennsylvania	Quarantine and Isolation. Pa. Code tit. 28 § 27.60C et Seq.	Authority. The Department or local health authority shall direct isolation of a person or an animal with a communicable disease or infection; surveillance, segregation, quarantine or modified quarantine of contacts of a person or an animal with a communicable disease or infection; and any other disease control measure the Department or the local health authority considers to be appropriate for the surveillance of disease, when the disease control measure is necessary to protect the public from the spread of infectious agents.
Rhode Island	Quarantine Generally. R.I. Gen. Laws § 23-8; §§ 23-8-4	Authority. If the state director of health, or his or her duly authorized agent, determines, upon investigation, that a threat to the public health exists because any person is suffering, or appears to be suffering, from a communicable disease, the director or his or her authorized agent may cause that person to be confined, in some proper place, for the purpose of isolation or quarantine, until the threat to the public health has abated.
Rhode Island	Governor's Authority. R.I. Gen. Laws §§ 23-8-18	The power to establish quarantine in this state shall also be vested in the governor; and whenever the governor shall deem it advisable for the preservation of public health and the prevention of the spread of infectious diseases, he or she may, by proclamation, place under quarantine the whole state or that portion of the state that he or she may deem necessary, and he or she shall authorize and empower the state director of health to take any action and make and enforce any rules and regulations that may be deemed necessary to prevent the introduction and to restrict the spread of infectious diseases in the state.
Rhode Island	Local Authority. R.I. Gen. Laws § 23-8-21	It shall be the duty of the several city and town councils to require their officers to enforce the rules and regulations mentioned and referred to in this section within their respective cities and towns.

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Rhode Island	R.I. Gen. Laws § 23-8-7, 23-8-21	Penalties. Any person who is confined by the director or his or her authorized agent under the provision of § 23-8-4 and who violates that confinement shall be punished by a fine of not more than fifty dollars (\$50.00) or by imprisonment for not more than ninety (90) days, or both.
Rhode Island		Any person knowingly violating any of those rules and regulations so made and established shall, upon conviction, be fined not more than fifty dollars (\$50.00) or be imprisoned not more than two (2) years.
Rhode Island	R.I. Gen. Laws §§ 23-8-1.1, 23-8-4	Police Power and Limitations. Persons under eighteen (18) years of age may give legal consent for testing, examination, and/or treatment for any reportable communicable disease.
Rhode Island		Nothing in this section shall be construed to prevent a person who is unable or unwilling for reasons of health, religion, or conscience to undergo immunization or treatment from choosing to submit to quarantine or isolation as an alternative to immunization or treatment.
South Carolina	Isolation and Quarantine of individuals or groups. S.C. Code Ann. § 44-4-530	Authority. During a public health emergency, DHEC may isolate or quarantine an individual or groups of individuals.
South Carolina	Duties and powers of Board. S.C. Code Ann. § 44-1-80	The Board of Health and Environmental Control or its designated agents shall investigate the reported causes of communicable or epidemic disease and shall enforce or prescribe such preventive measures as may be needed to suppress or prevent the spread of such diseases by proper quarantine or other measures of prevention, as may be necessary to protect the citizens of the State. All sheriffs and constables in the several counties of this State and police officers and health officers of cities and towns shall aid and assist the Director of the Department of Health and Environmental Control and shall carry out and obey his orders, or those of the Department of Health and Environmental Control, to enforce and carry out any and all restrictive measures and quarantine regulations that may be prescribed.
South Carolina		Penalties. A person subject to isolation or quarantine must comply with DHEC's rules and orders, and must not go beyond the isolation or quarantine premises. Failure to comply with these rules and orders constitutes a felony and, upon conviction, a person must be fined not more than one thousand dollars or imprisoned not more than thirty days, or both.

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South Carolina	S.C. Code Ann. § 44-4-530	Police Power and Limitations. An employer may not fire, demote, or otherwise discriminate against an employee complying with an isolation or quarantine order; however, nothing in this section prohibits an employer from requiring an employee to use annual or sick leave to comply with such an order.
South Carolina	S.C. Code Ann. §§ 44-4-530, 44-4-540	DHEC may temporarily isolate or quarantine an individual or groups of individuals through an emergency order signed by the commissioner or his designee, if delay in imposing the isolation or quarantine would significantly jeopardize DHEC's ability to prevent or limit the transmission of a contagious or possibly contagious disease to others. Within ten days after issuing the emergency order, DHEC must file a petition for a court order authorizing the continued isolation or quarantine of the isolated or quarantined individual or groups of individuals, for a maximum of thirty days per granted order.
South Carolina		Authority. The Department of Health may adopt and enforce orders and rules necessary to preserve and protect the public health and may regulate, control, and, in proper cases, prohibit and suppress: The treatment in hospitals and elsewhere of persons suffering from communicable diseases, the disinfection and quarantine of persons and places in case of such disease, and the reporting of sickness and deaths therefrom.
South Carolina		Penalties. Every person who intentionally exposes himself or another person infected with any contagious disease in any public place or thoroughfare, except in his necessary removal in a manner not dangerous to the public health, is guilty of a Class 2 misdemeanor.
South Dakota	Orders, Rules and Licensing. S.D. Codified Laws Ann. § 34-1-17	Authority. The Department of Health may adopt and enforce orders and rules necessary to preserve and protect the public health and may regulate, control, and, in proper cases, prohibit and suppress: The treatment in hospitals and elsewhere of persons suffering from communicable diseases, the disinfection and quarantine of persons and places in case of such disease, and the reporting of sickness and deaths there from.
South Dakota	Contagious Disease Control. S.D. Codified Laws Ann. §§ 34-22-5, 34-22-6, 34-22-18	Penalties. Every person who intentionally exposes himself or another person infected with any contagious disease in any public place or thoroughfare, except in his necessary removal in a manner not dangerous to the public health, is guilty of a Class 2 misdemeanor.

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South Dakota		It is a Class 2 misdemeanor for any board, physician, or person to compel another by the use of physical force to submit to the operation of vaccination with smallpox or other virus. Any person in the State of South Dakota reasonably suspected of being infected with tuberculosis shall accept necessary diagnosis or treatment, or both, and any person who intentionally refuses to accept such diagnosis or treatment, or both, or who fails to follow the reasonable and necessary directives of the State Department of Health issued for the protection of other persons, is guilty of a Class 1 misdemeanor.
Tennessee	Power to Quarantine. Tenn. Code Ann. § 68-1-201; Tenn. Code Ann. § 68-1-203 (2010)	Authority. The commissioner has the power to declare quarantine whenever, in the commissioner's judgment, the welfare of the public requires it; has the authority to prescribe rules and regulations deemed proper for the prevention of epidemic diseases into the state.
Tennessee	Orders of County Health Officer. Tenn. Code Ann. § 68-2-609 (2010)	The county health officer is empowered to order the quarantine of any place or person if the county health officer finds that such control is necessary to protect the public health from an epidemic.
Tennessee	Violating Quarantine. Tenn. Code Ann. § 68-1-203 (1989)	Penalties. Any person who willfully disregards or evades quarantine, or violates any rule or regulation made in attempting to prevent the spread of any epidemic disease, commits a Class B misdemeanor.
Tennessee	Quarantine Tuberculosis. Tenn. Code Ann. § 68-9-201 to 68-9-2074 (2010)	Authority. The commissioner and all state, district, county or municipal health officers are authorized, directed and empowered to implement control measures that are reasonable and necessary to prevent the introduction, transmission, and spread of the disease in this state.
Texas	Communicable Disease Prevention and Control Act. Texas Health and Safety Code § 81.001 et seq. (1989)	Authority. The commissioner is responsible for the general statewide administration of the control of communicable disease. The board may adopt rules necessary to administer and implement the provisions of this law.
Texas	Powers of Local Governments. Texas Health and Safety Code §§ 122.005, 122.006 (1989)	A home-rule municipality may adopt rules to protect the health of persons in the municipality, including quarantine rules to protect the residents against communicable disease.

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Texas	Area Quarantine. Texas Health and Safety Code § 81.085 (2003)	Authority. If an outbreak of communicable disease occurs in this state, the commissioner or one or more health authorities may impose an area quarantine coextensive with the area affected. The commissioner may impose an area quarantine, if the commissioner has reasonable cause to believe that individuals or property in the area may be infected or contaminated with a communicable disease, for the period necessary to determine whether an outbreak of communicable disease has occurred. A health authority may impose the quarantine only within the boundaries of the health authority's jurisdiction.
Texas	Criminal Penalty. Texas Health and Safety Code § 81.085 (2003)	Penalties. A person commits an offense if the person knowingly fails or refuses to obey a rule, order, or instruction of the department or an order or instruction of a health authority issued under a department rule and published during an area quarantine under this section. An offense under this subsection is a felony of the third degree.
Texas	Texas Health and Safety Code § 81.083 (2007)	Police Power and Limitations. The state, a county or a hospital district shall pay for medical expenses if individual is indigent and cannot pay and if that individual is not eligible for benefits under an insurance contract.
Texas	Control Measures to Individual. Texas Health and Safety Code § 81.083 (2007)	Authority. The department, or the local health department having jurisdiction over the location where an individual who is subject to supervision is found, may issue an order for the individual's temporary involuntary treatment, quarantine, or isolation.
Texas	Texas Health and Safety Code § 81.085 (2003)	Police Power and Limitations. In addition to the rights of an individual described in Subsections (1) and (2), an individual subject to an order of restriction may not be terminated from employment if the reason for termination is based solely on the fact that the individual is or was subject to an order of restriction.
Utah	Communicable Diseases - Treatment, Isolation and Quarantine Procedures. Utah Code Ann. § 26-6b et seq. (2008)	Authority. The Department of Health may adopt rules as necessary to administer the provisions of this chapter.
Utah	Order of Restriction. Utah Code Ann. § 26-6b-3 (2008)	The department may issue either a written or verbal order of restriction for the individual or group of individuals, based on the totality of circumstances reported to the department.

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Vermont	Physician Quarantine. Vt. Stat. Ann. tit. 18 § 1004 (1979)	Authority. A physician who knows or suspects that a person whom he or she has been called to attend is sick or has died of a communicable disease dangerous to the public health shall immediately quarantine and report to the health officer the place where such case exists, but if the attending physician, at the time of his or her first visit, is unable to make a specific diagnosis, he or she may quarantine the premises temporarily and until a specific diagnosis is made, and post thereon a card upon which the word "quarantine" should be plainly written or printed. Such quarantine shall continue in force until the health officer examines and quarantines as is provided in this title.
Vermont	Quarantine. Vt. Stat. Ann. tit. 18 § 1004a (1979)	Authority. The commissioner of health shall have the power to quarantine a person diagnosed or suspected of having a disease dangerous to the public health.
Virginia	Quarantine. Va. Code § 32.1-43 (2004)	Authority. The State Health Commissioner shall have the authority to require quarantine, isolation, immunization, decontamination, or treatment of any individual or group of individuals when he determines any such measure to be necessary to control the spread of any disease of public health importance and the authority to issue orders of isolation.
Virginia	Powers of Commissioner. Va. Code § 32.1-48 et seq.(2007)	The State Health Commissioner shall hold the powers to issue orders of quarantine or prepare orders of isolation for a communicable disease of public health threat.
Washington	Powers and Duties of Board of Health. Wash. Rev. Code §43.20.050	Authority. The state board of health shall provide a forum for the development of public health policy in Washington state; including adopting rules for the imposition and use of isolation and quarantine.
Washington	Wash. Rev. Code §70.28.031 (1996)	Police Power and Limitations. The state board of health shall adopt rules establishing the requirements for due process standards for health officers exercising their authority to involuntarily detain, test, treat, or isolate persons with suspected or confirmed tuberculosis that provide for release from any involuntary detention, testing, treatment, or isolation as soon as the health officer determines the patient no longer represents a risk to the public's health.

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Washington	Wash. Rev. Code §70.28.033 (1996)	Penalties. Inasmuch as the order provided for by RCW <u>70.28.031</u> is for the protection of the public health, any person who, after service upon him or her of an order of a health officer directing his or her treatment, isolation, or examination as provided for in RCW <u>70.28.031</u> , violates or fails to comply with the same or any provision thereof, is guilty of a misdemeanor, and, upon conviction thereof, in addition to any and all other penalties which may be imposed by law upon such conviction, may be ordered by the court confined until such order of such health officer shall have been fully complied with or terminated by such health officer, but not exceeding six months from the date of passing judgment upon such conviction.
West Virginia	Prevention and Control of Communicable Diseases. W. Va. Code §§ 16-3-1 et seq. (1977)	Authority. State director of health authority to quarantine and to enforce regulations; state board of health authority to issue regulations to control infectious or contagious diseases. The state director of health is empowered to establish and strictly maintain quarantine at such places as he may deem proper and forbid and prevent the assembling of the people in any place, when the state director of health or any county or municipal health officer deems that the public health and safety so demand, and the state board of health may adopt rules and regulations to obstruct and prevent the introduction or spread of smallpox or other communicable or infectious diseases into or within the state, and the state director of health shall have the power to enforce these regulations by detention and arrest, if necessary.
West Virginia	W. Va. Code §§ 16-3- (1977)	The county board of health of any county may declare quarantine therein, or in any particular district or place therein, whenever in their judgment it is necessary to prevent the spread of any communicable or infectious disease prevalent therein, or to prevent the introduction of any communicable or infectious disease prevailing in any other state, county or place, and of any and all persons and things likely to spread such infection

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West Virginia		Penalties. Every person who shall fail or refuse to comply with any order made by such board under this section, and every person summoned as such guard who shall, without a lawful excuse, fail or refuse to obey the orders and directions of such board in enforcing said quarantine, shall be guilty of a misdemeanor, and, upon conviction thereof, shall be fined not less than twenty-five nor more than two hundred dollars. In cases of emergency or actual necessity, and when the county commission or corporate authorities are from any cause unable to meet or to provide for the emergency or the necessity of the case, all actual expenditures necessary for local and county quarantine, as provided for in this section, shall be certified by the county board of health to the county commission, and the whole, or as much thereof as the said commission may deem right and proper, shall be paid out of the county treasury.
West Virginia	W. Va. Code § 16-3-3 (1977)	Police Power and Limitations. The state director of health shall have power to enter into any town, city, factory, railroad train, steamboat or other place whatsoever, and enter upon and inspect private property for the purpose of investigating the sanitary and hygienic conditions and the presence of cases of infectious diseases, and may, at his discretion, take charge of any epidemic or endemic conditions, and enforce such regulations as the state board of health may prescribe. All expenses incurred in controlling any endemic or epidemic conditions shall be paid by the county or municipality in which such epidemic occurs.
Wisconsin	Isolation and Quarantine. Wis. Stat. § 252.06 (1) (2003)	Authority. The department or the local health officer acting on behalf of the department may require isolation of the patient, quarantine of contacts, concurrent and terminal disinfection, or modified forms of these procedures as may be necessary and which are determined by the department by rule.
Wisconsin	Wis. Stat. § 252.06(4)(b)2 (2003)	Penalties. No person, other than a person authorized by the public health authority or agent of the public health authority, may enter an isolation or quarantine premises. A violation is subject to a fine not to exceed \$10,000 or imprisonment not to exceed 9 months, or both.
Wisconsin	Wis. Stat. § 252.06(10) (2003)	Police Power and Limitations. Expenses for necessary medical care, food and other articles needed for the care of the infected person shall be charged against the person or whoever is liable for the person's support.
Wisconsin		Authority. Powers and duties allow the local board of health to establish quarantine ordinances.

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Wyoming	Powers of Dept of Health. Wyo. Stat § 15-1-229	The state department of health is hereby empowered and directed to make such rules and regulations as shall in its judgment be necessary for the carrying out of the provisions of this act, including rules and regulations providing for the control and treatment of persons isolated or quarantined
Wyoming	Powers and Duties. Wyo. Stat § 35-1-240 (2008)	The department of health shall have the following powers and duties: To establish, maintain and enforce isolation and quarantine, and to exercise such physical control over property and over the persons of the people.
Wyoming	Communicable Diseases. Wyo. Stat § 35-4-101 et seq. (1991)	In case of the existence of any infectious or contagious disease that is a menace to public health, or of any epidemic of any such disease, the state health officer may, if he deems proper, proceed to the locality where such disease exists, and make such investigation as is necessary to ascertain the cause thereof, and in case of quarantine established by the county health officer, the state health officer shall have power after close personal inspection, to modify or abrogate any or all quarantine regulations after the same have been established.
Wyoming	Wyo. Stat § 35-4-105 (1997)	Penalties. Any person or persons confined in any quarantine established in this state under the provisions of this act who shall escape therefrom or attempt to escape therefrom, without having been dismissed upon the certificate or authority of the county health officer may be charged with a crime. Upon conviction of a violation of this section, a person may be punished by a fine of not more than five hundred dollars (\$500.00) or imprisonment for not more than one (1) year.
Wyoming		Police Power and Limitations. The respective counties of the state shall not be liable for the payment of any claim for service rendered by any physician in the treatment of contagious diseases, unless such treatment shall be for the care of indigent persons who are a public charge.
Wyoming	Wyo. Stat §§ 35-4-102, 112 (1957, 2003)	Any person who has been quarantined pursuant to this act may appeal to the district court at any time for release from the quarantine.
District of Columbia	D.C. Code Ann. § 7-2304 (14) (2004)	Authority. The mayor, upon declaring a state of emergency, may detain for medical reasons, those for whom there is probable cause of infection by communicable disease and that the person's presence in the general population is likely to cause death or seriously impair the health of others.

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District of Columbia	D.C. Code Ann. § 7-2307 (1981)	Penalties. Violation of an emergency executive order is punishable by a fine of no more than \$1000 for each violation.
Guam	Guam Code Ann. tit. 10 § 19602 (2000)	
Guam	Guam Code Ann. tit. 10 § 19604 (2000)	No person, other than a person authorized by the public health authority, shall enter isolation or quarantine premises. Failure to obey this provision shall constitute a misdemeanor.
Guam		Police Power and Limitations. Isolation and quarantine must be by the least restrictive means necessary to prevent the spread of a contagious or possibly contagious disease to others, and may include, but are not limited to, confinement to private homes or other private and public premises.
Guam	Guam Code Ann. tit. 10 §§ 19604, 19605 (2000)	Within 10 days after issuing the written directive, the public health authority shall file a petition for a court order authorizing the continued isolation or quarantine of the isolated or quarantined individual or groups of individuals.
Guam		Authority. That the Secretary of Health may cause to be removed to proper places designated by him any person sick with a quarantinable disease, or any other rapidly spreading, contagious or infectious disease, and shall have the control of public hospitals for the treatment of such cases.
Guam		Penalties. Any person who violates the terms of any proclamation issued by the Governor, in accordance with law and in relation to public health, or who violates any quarantine, sanitary, or other regulations issued by the Secretary of Health or by any other person, body or board, always under authority of law, shall be guilty of a misdemeanor and punished accordingly.

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Puerto Rico	Laws of Puerto Rico title 24, chapter 21 § 351 (1912)	Powers of Secretary of Health in cases of contagious disease. The Secretary of Health may cause to be removed to proper places designated by him any person sick with a quarantinable disease, or any other rapidly spreading, contagious or infectious disease, and shall have the control of public hospitals for the treatment of such cases. ... [H]e may cause proper care and attention to be given to the sick persons removed to the hospitals, at the expense of the Commonwealth Government, as herein provided for, when it comes to his knowledge that such persons are too poor to defray the expenses of their attendance, or when it is necessary to take care of them in the interests of the public health. No person suffering from a quarantinable or other rapidly spreading, contagious or infectious disease shall be removed from a vessel, or from any other place set aside by competent authority for his isolation and treatment, without a written permit from the Secretary of Health or the official placed in charge of such vessel or place by the Secretary of Health. For the purpose of carrying out the duties prescribed by this section, the Secretary of Health, or any duly authorized physician employed in the Department of Health, may enter, at any time into private properties and dwellings for the inspection or examination of such premises, in accordance with the provisions of § 181 of Title 3.
U.S. Virgin Islands	V.I Code tit. 19, chapter 1 §§ 1, 2	Authority. The Commissioner of Health may by regulation declare any disease to be a communicable disease, and may prescribe the procedure which is to be followed by the patient or person suffering therefrom, the parents of the patient, the householder, the physician attending the patient, or any individual brought into contact with or responsible for the care or maintenance of the patient, in order that the transference of the disease to other individuals may be prevented. This includes quarantine or isolation of the patient, of any persons who have been exposed to the patient and therefore liable to have contracted the disease, or of any carrier of the disease. The regulations shall become effective upon approval by the Governor.

Sources: Trust for America's Health, 2004; NCSL, 2010, 2014 <https://www.ncsl.org/research/health/state-quarantine-and-isolation-statutes.aspx> (Accessed February 3, 2020).

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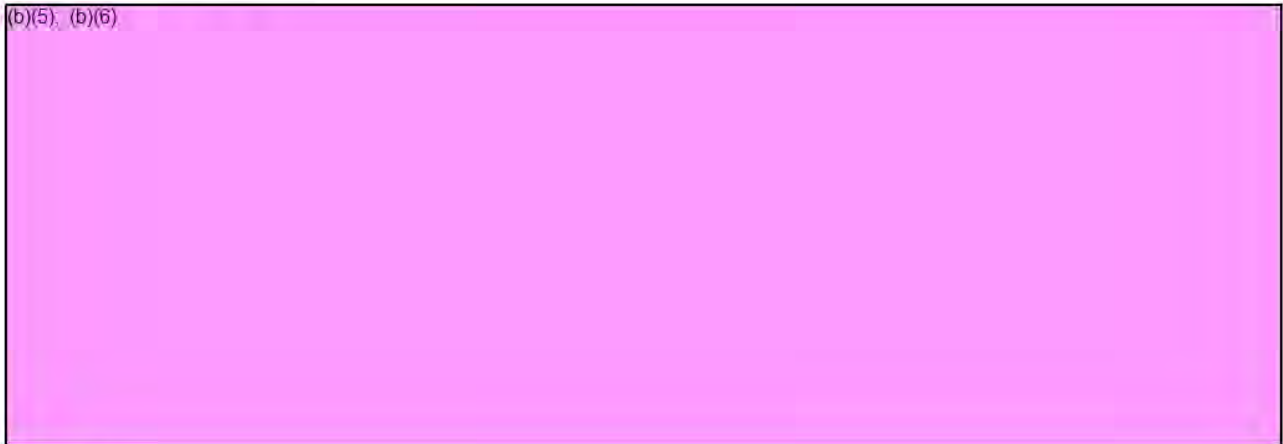
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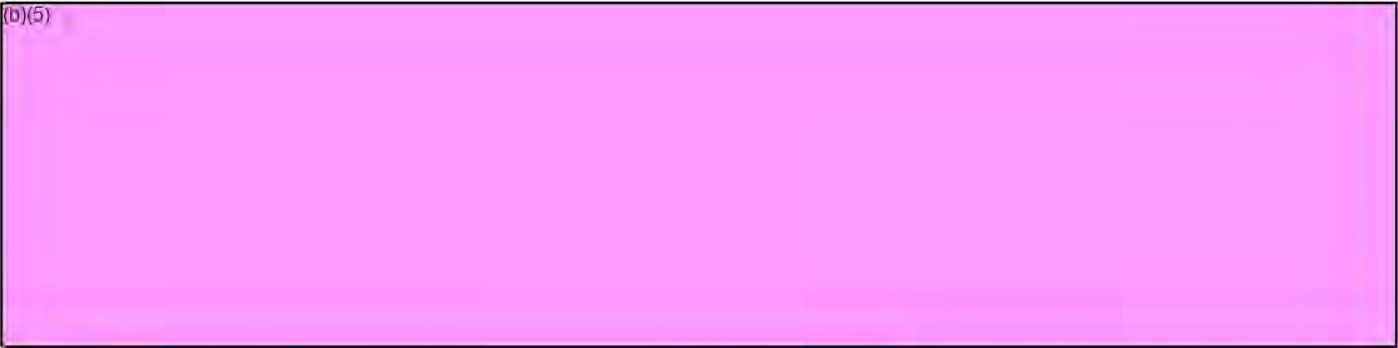
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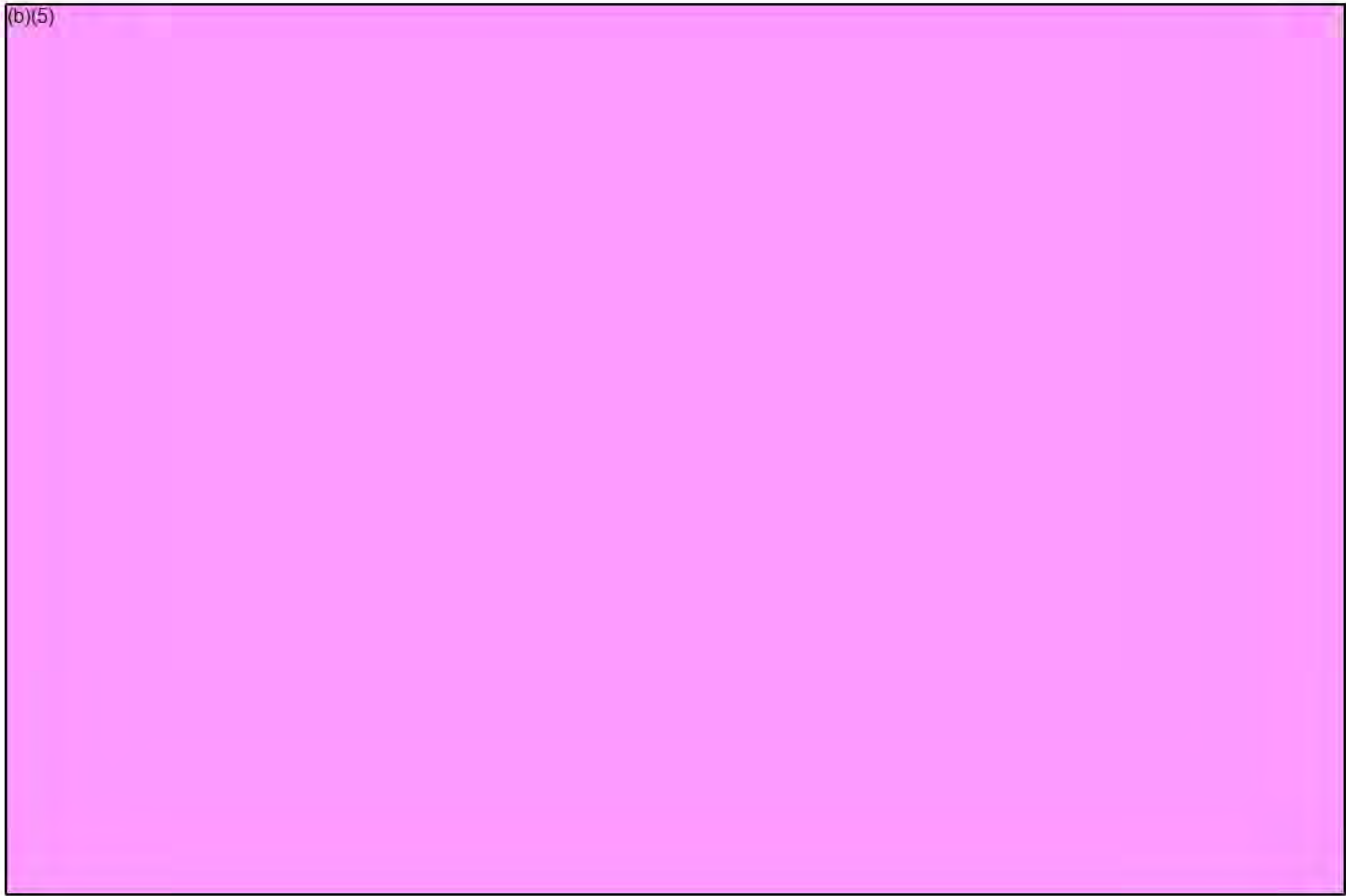
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SECURITY Oversight Testimony on the Coronavirus Disease 2019 (COVID-19)

Importance: High

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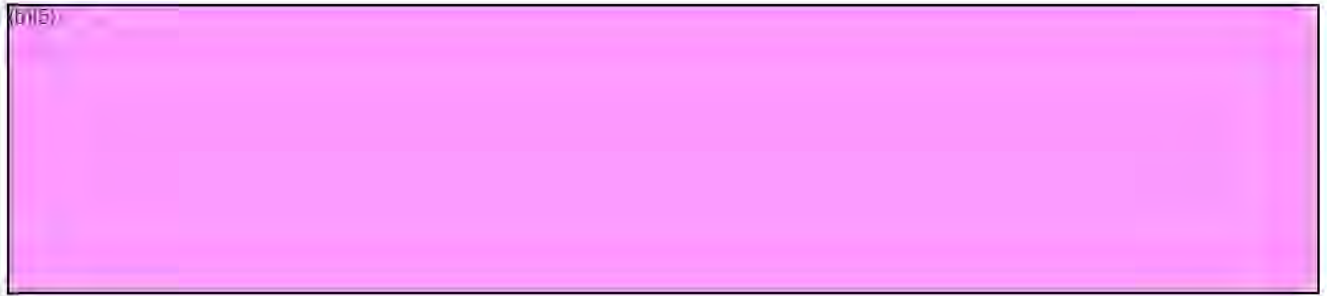
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Thanks,

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Thanks,
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Fantastic, Thank you for the quick response

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Thank you.

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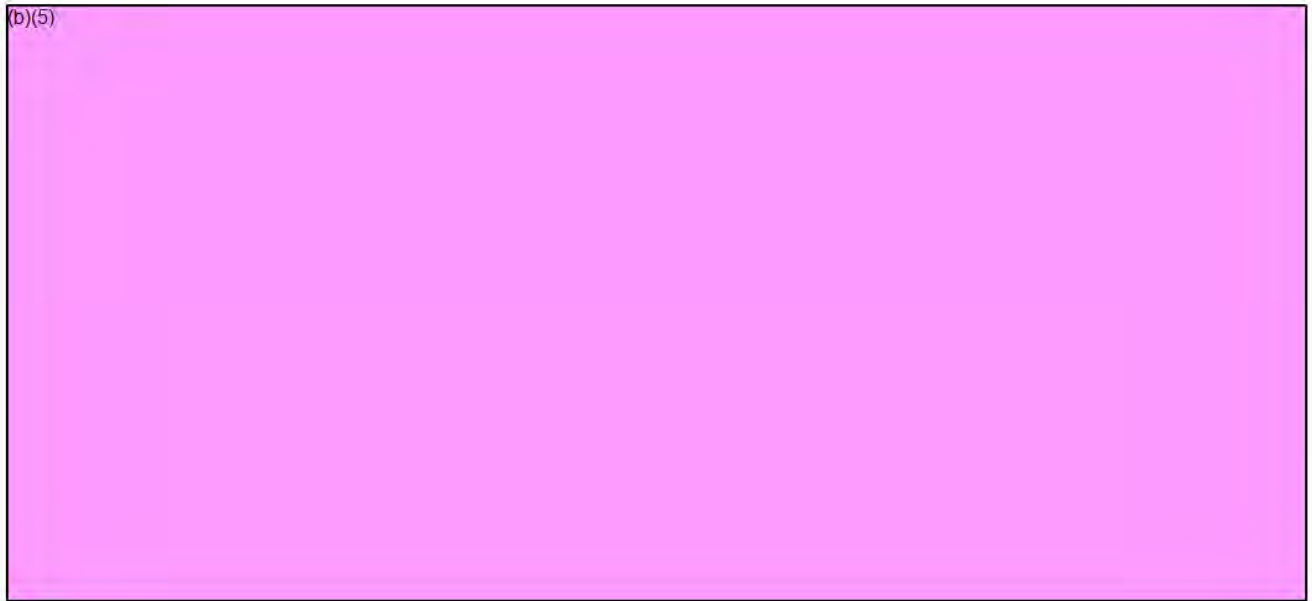
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Thanks
Eric

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To: Raun, Eric L. (OGC) (b)(6)@va.gov>
Subject: Case #: 02491213 - Due Date: 2020-03-06 17:00:00 - Action Requested - Provide Concurrence

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Please see details below.

Case Subject: Proactive Risk Communication to Veterans Regarding the Coronavirus ...

Primary MOC: (b)(6)

Signature Level: SECVA

Task Created By: (b)(6)@va.gov
Office: OGC-02 General Counsel
Organization: OGC

Task Name: LCT-204463
Due Date is on: 2020-03-06 17:00:00
Action Requested: Provide Concurrence
Requested Activity: Final concurrence due 3/6 from VHA/OSP/OCLA/OGC

To view case Task details and to provide response, please use the link below:

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Thank you!

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Sincerely

Lauren Underwood

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Good Morning,

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Sent: Tue, 10 Mar 2020 16:26:33 +0000
To: (b)(6) (OGC)
Subject: FW: Screening Questions

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Importance: High

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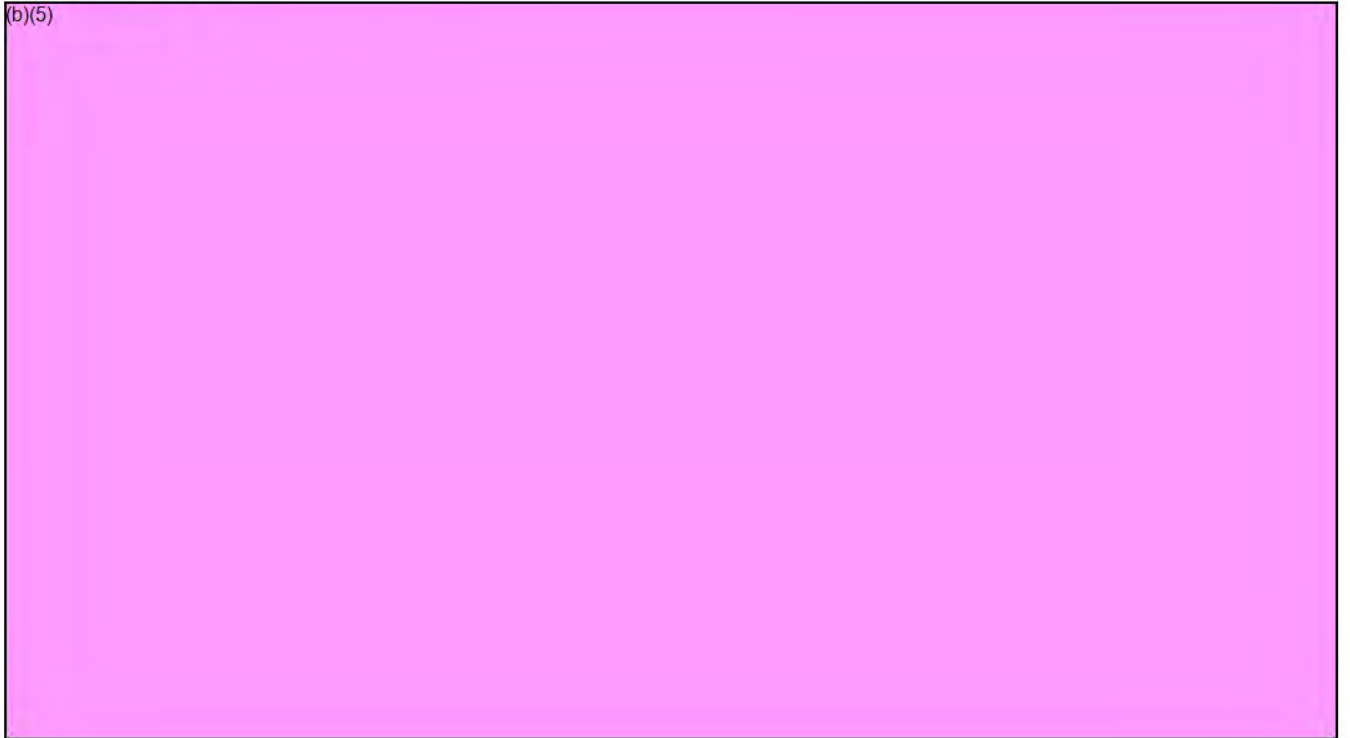
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Good Morning-

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Thanks-

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Initially, VA has already implemented screening of all patients, staff, visitors, volunteers, contractors, and vendors before allowing any entry into a VA facility.

<https://www.bing.com/search?q=screening+patients+for+covid-19&src=IE-SearchBox&FORM=IESR4A>

Apparently, VA is asking three screening questions.

1. Do you have a fever or worsening cough or flu-like symptoms?
2. Have you traveled to China, Japan, Italy, Iran or South Korea in the last 14 days?
3. Have you been in close contact with someone, including health care workers, confirmed to have the coronavirus disease?

Attention Veterans!

Enhanced health screenings...

COVID-19 is a new virus that causes respiratory illness in humans, usually 2–14 days after exposure. Illnesses have ranged from mild symptoms to severe illness, including fever, cough, and shortness of breath. The virus is thought to spread mainly from close contact with an affected person. It spreads in the air, like flu, through droplets from sneezes and coughs. The droplets can stay suspended in the air for some time and can land on surfaces that are touched by others.

To ensure patient safety, please allow additional time when you arrive for your appointments at the Overton Brooks VA Medical Center. **We are implementing screening measures for signs of exposure to COVID-19.**

Everyone who enters the Shreveport VA will be screened. **Everyone includes patients, visitors, and staff.** Everyone should wash their hands with soap and water or use alcohol-based hand sanitizer before and after visitation.

We encourage patients to arrive early for their appointments.

The screening consists of three questions:

- Do you have a fever, cough, or other flu-like symptoms?
- Have you traveled to China, Japan, Italy, Iran, South Korea, OR other countries/regions known to have positive cases of coronavirus in the last 14 days?
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Know the symptoms—Protect Yourself—Protect Others

As an extra precaution, please be prepared to discuss all recent travel, and contact with others who have a confirmed COVID-19 infection. If you have a fever, cough, or other flu-like symptoms when scheduling or arriving for an appointment, immediately tell health care screeners at the Shreveport VA.

If You are Sick...:

- Stay home except to get medical care
- Separate yourself from other people; if possible, use a separate bathroom
- Call ahead before visiting your doctor
- Wear a facemask when around others and before you enter a health care provider's office. Please note, masks are provided by the VA for individuals exhibiting flu-like symptoms. VA does not provide masks to Veterans or staff for home isolation or quarantine.
- Cover your coughs and sneezes
- Clean your hands often
- Avoid sharing personal household items
- Clean "high-touch" surfaces daily
- Monitor your symptoms; seek prompt medical attention if your illness is getting worse. Before seeking care, call your health care provider for instructions. If you have a medical emergency and need to call 911, notify dispatch that you have COVID-19 and put on a facemask.

Follow these steps to help prevent the spread of respiratory illnesses:

- Wash your hands often with soap and water—Alcohol-based hand cleaners work too
- Cover your nose and mouth with a tissue when you cough or sneeze—discard tissue immediately
- Cough or sneeze/elbow into your upper sleeve if you don't have a tissue
- Avoid close contact with people who are sick (stay at least 3 feet away from people who are sick)
- Try not to touch your eyes, nose or mouth—Germs often spread this way
- Get Your Flu Shot

Get VA's latest updates on COVID-19: <https://www.publichealth.va.gov/n-coronavirus/index.asp>

https://www.shreveport.va.gov/features/COVID_19.asp

Based on the above information, consideration of the screening questions is moot as VAMCs have already implemented these protocols and they have been in place in some areas for at least six (6) days. <https://www.militarytimes.com/news/pentagon-congress/2020/03/03/va-stepping-up-coronavirus-monitoring-at-medical-facilities/>

Specific to the questions regarding forced compliance:

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Importance: High

Good morning,

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Thank you

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Subject: RE: DUSHOM Memos - COVID-19

Good day,

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Thank you

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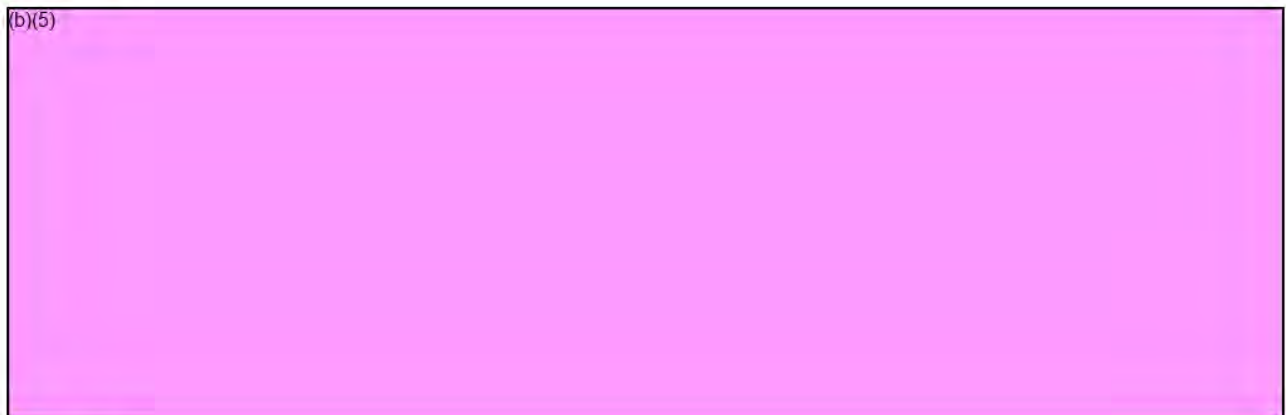
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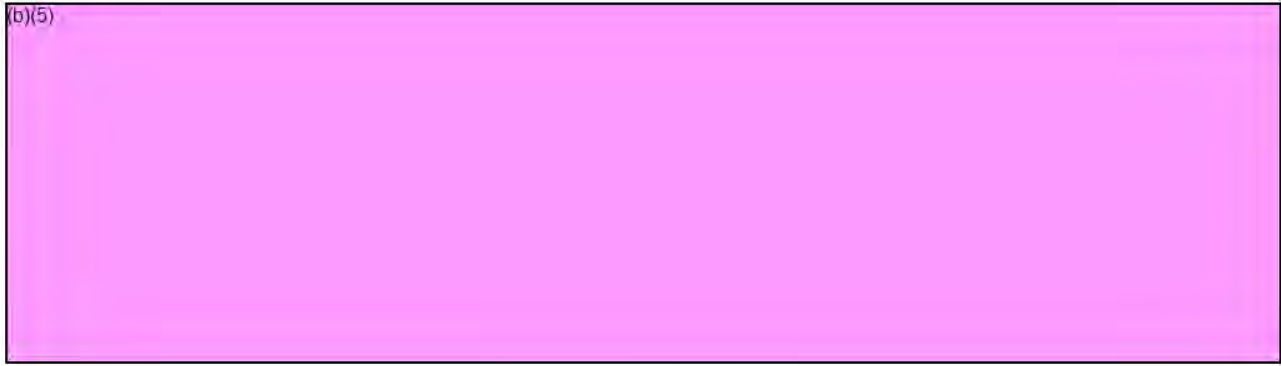
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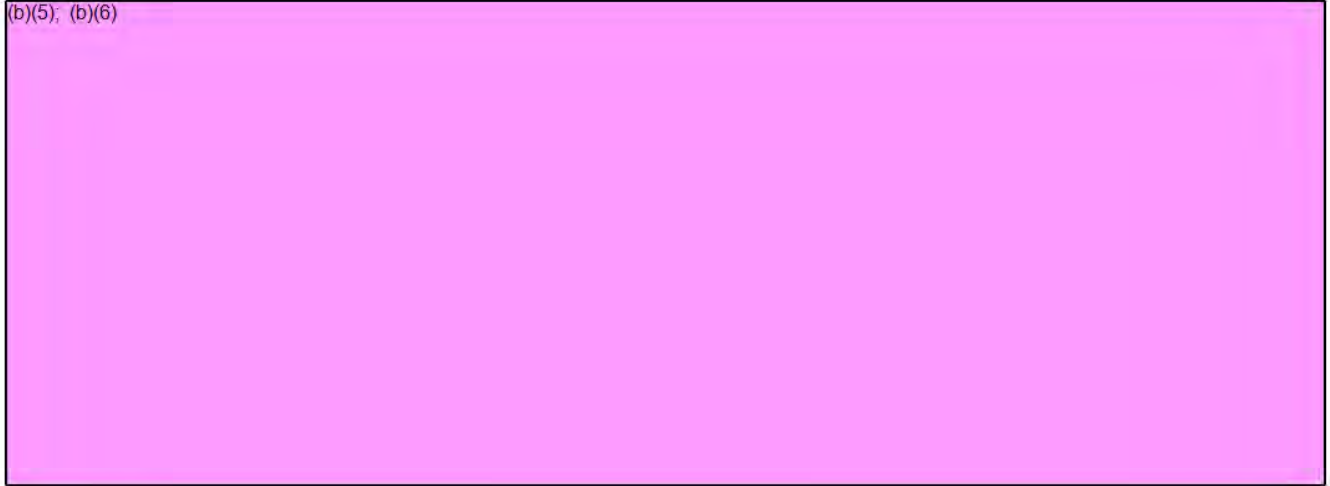
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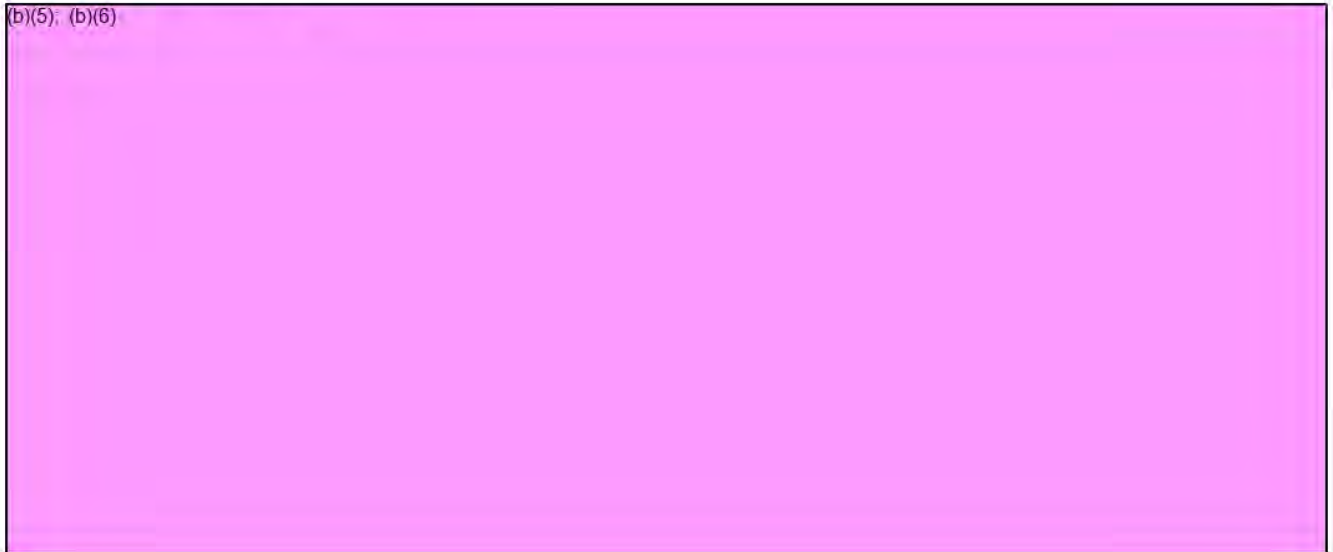
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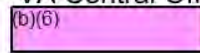


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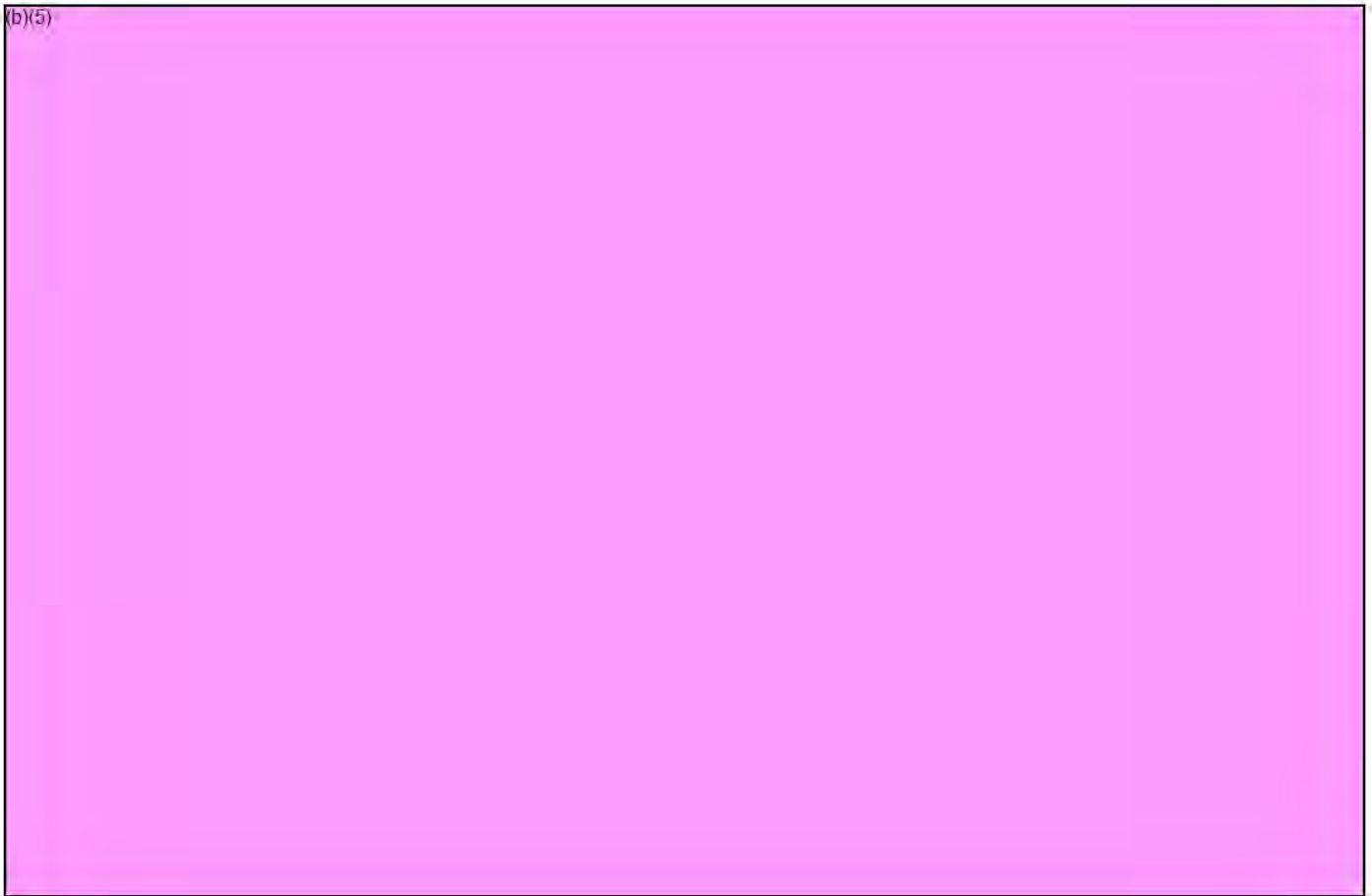
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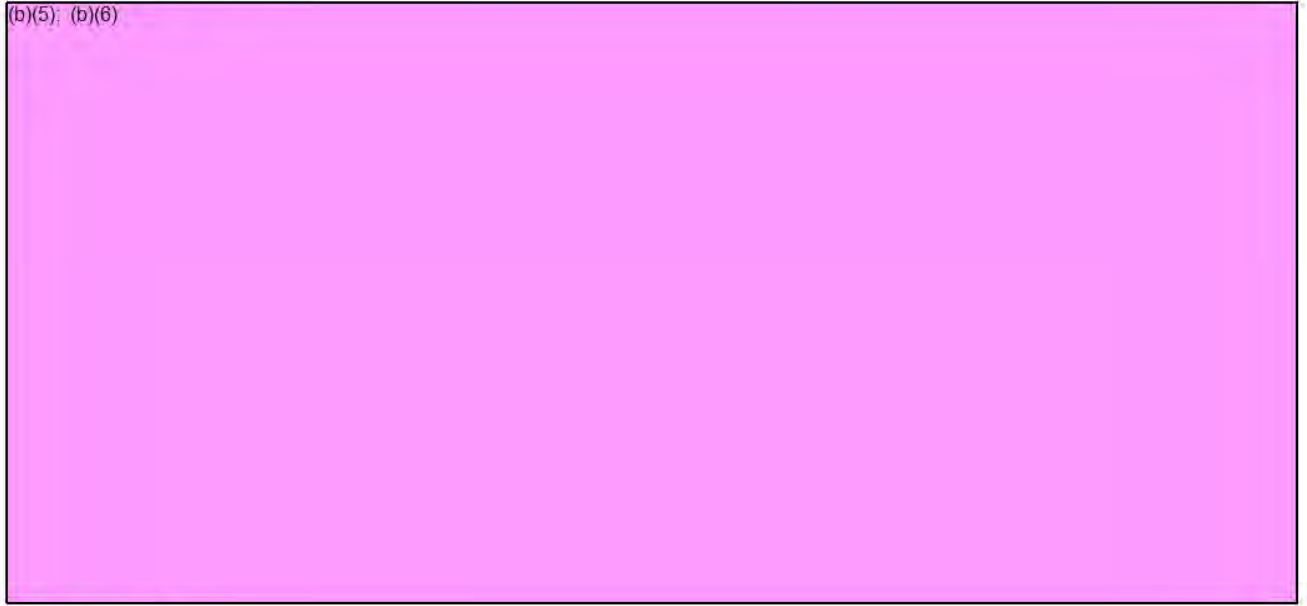
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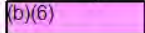
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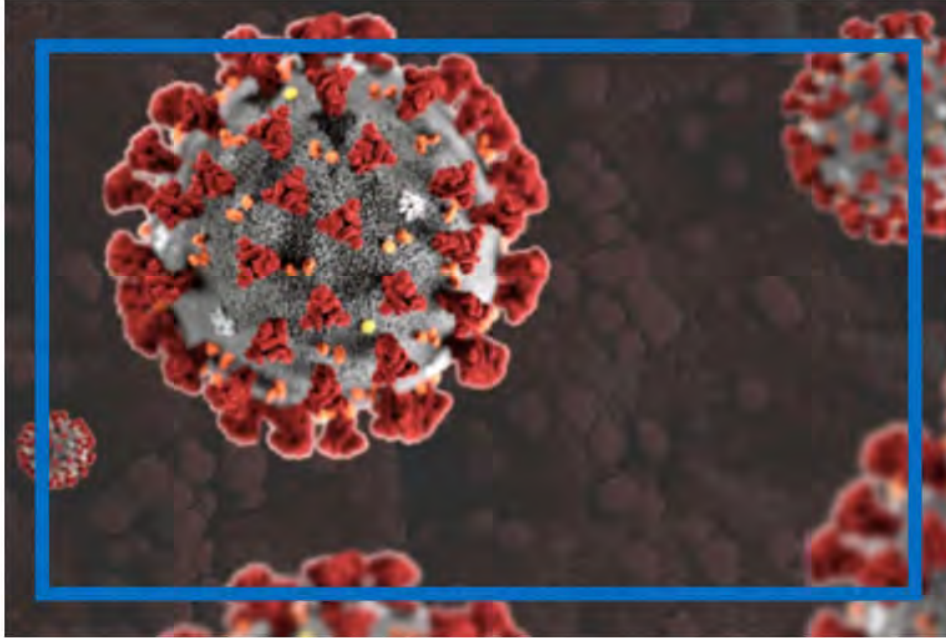
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The Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC) has determined that COVID-19 meets the definition for "severe acute respiratory syndromes" set forth in E.O. 13674. Therefore, this novel coronavirus is a "quarantinable communicable disease," as defined by E.O. 13295, as amended by E.O.s 13375 and 13674.

Additional information on quarantinable communicable diseases is available from the CDC at <http://www.cdc.gov/quarantine/AboutLawsRegulationsQuarantineIsolation.html>.

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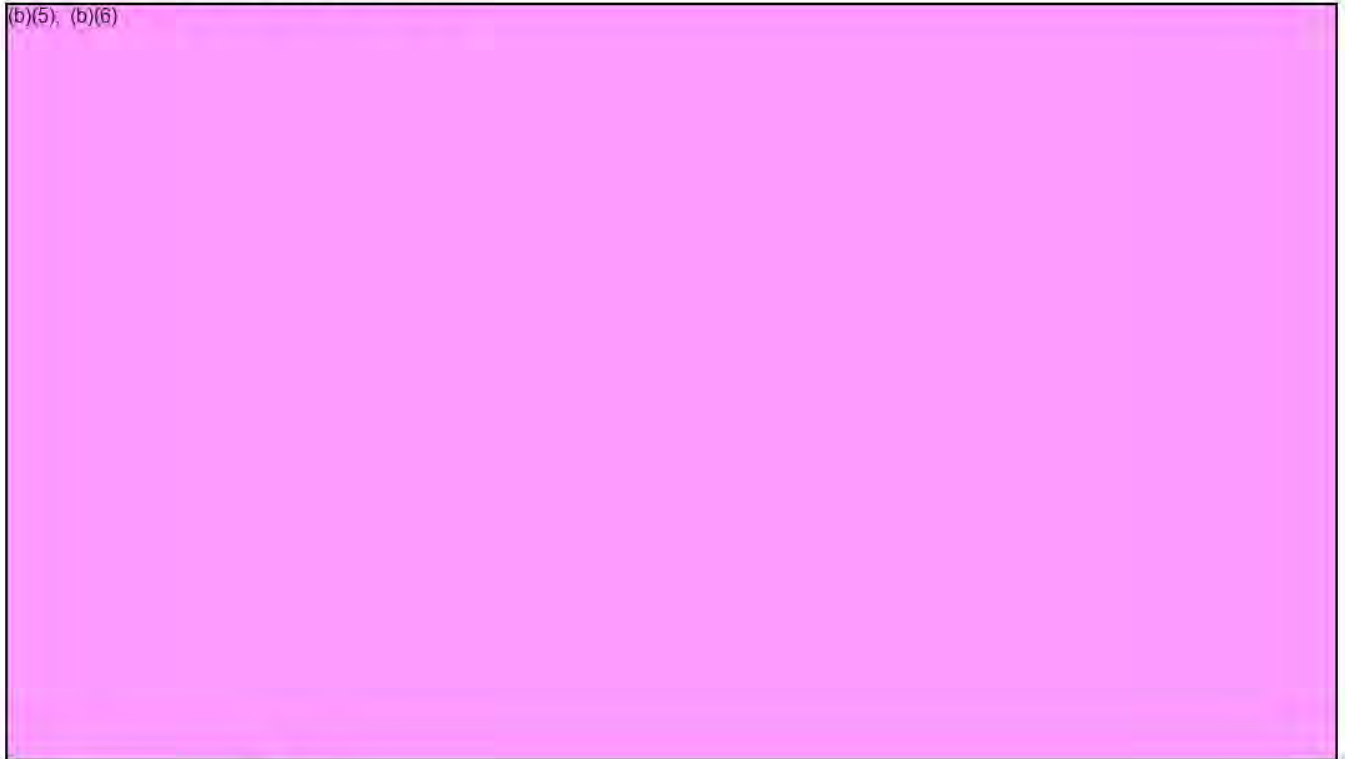
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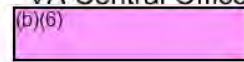


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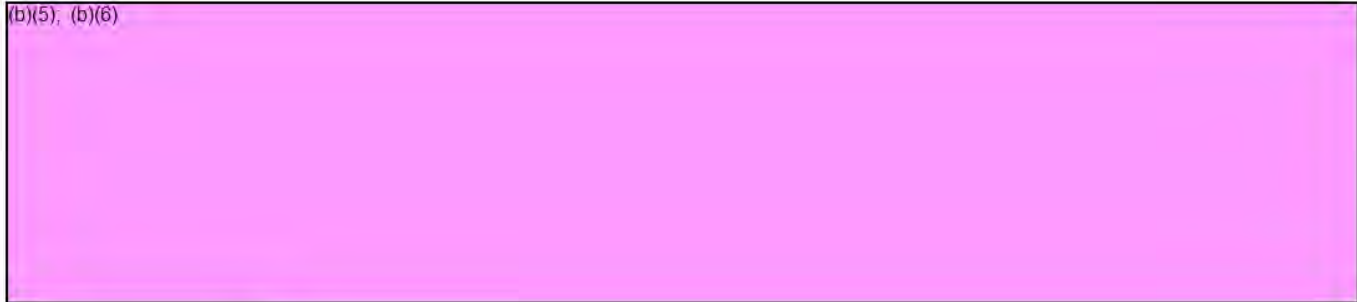
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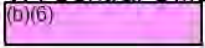
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Hello,

OCHCO reviewed the attached and only has comments on HEY20272 (pay caps). The language is broad and restricted to VHA. If it is passed, OCHCO will work with VHA to develop more detailed implementation guidance possibly in line with the VHA legislative proposal attached.

OCHCO recognizes that there are other employees outside VHA subject to pay caps and supporting VHA and COVID-19. To reduce potential pay disparities among Title 5 employees VA-wide, would recommend this Bill cover the entire Department and any caps that would impact our ability to perform mission critical functions during this national emergency.

Any questions, please ask.
Thank you

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We should be able to get back with you on them early tomorrow.

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Hi (b)(6) and team –

As we work on the next round of coronavirus leg, we had a few from Senator Tester that we would like to get VA's review/technical assistance on.

Could you please review the attached legislation?

1. Waiving VHA staff pay caps during the COVID-19 emergency
2. Expanding PA practice authority at VA
3. Allowing telehealth use for HUD-VASH during COVID-19
4. Allowing veterans to see local prosthetists during COVID-19 (might be too medically vulnerable to visit VAMCs)
5. Expanding VA health care access for state-activated National Guard members during COVID-19
6. State Veterans Home assistance during COVID-19: waiving the 90% occupancy rate rule to receive VA per diem and VA providing more PPE/supplies to SVHs (both were needs identified by NASVH)

(b)(6) – I also tried to give you a call to give you the highlights on these. Feel free to call when you have a min and I can walk you through our proposals. My cell is (b)(6)

Thank you all!

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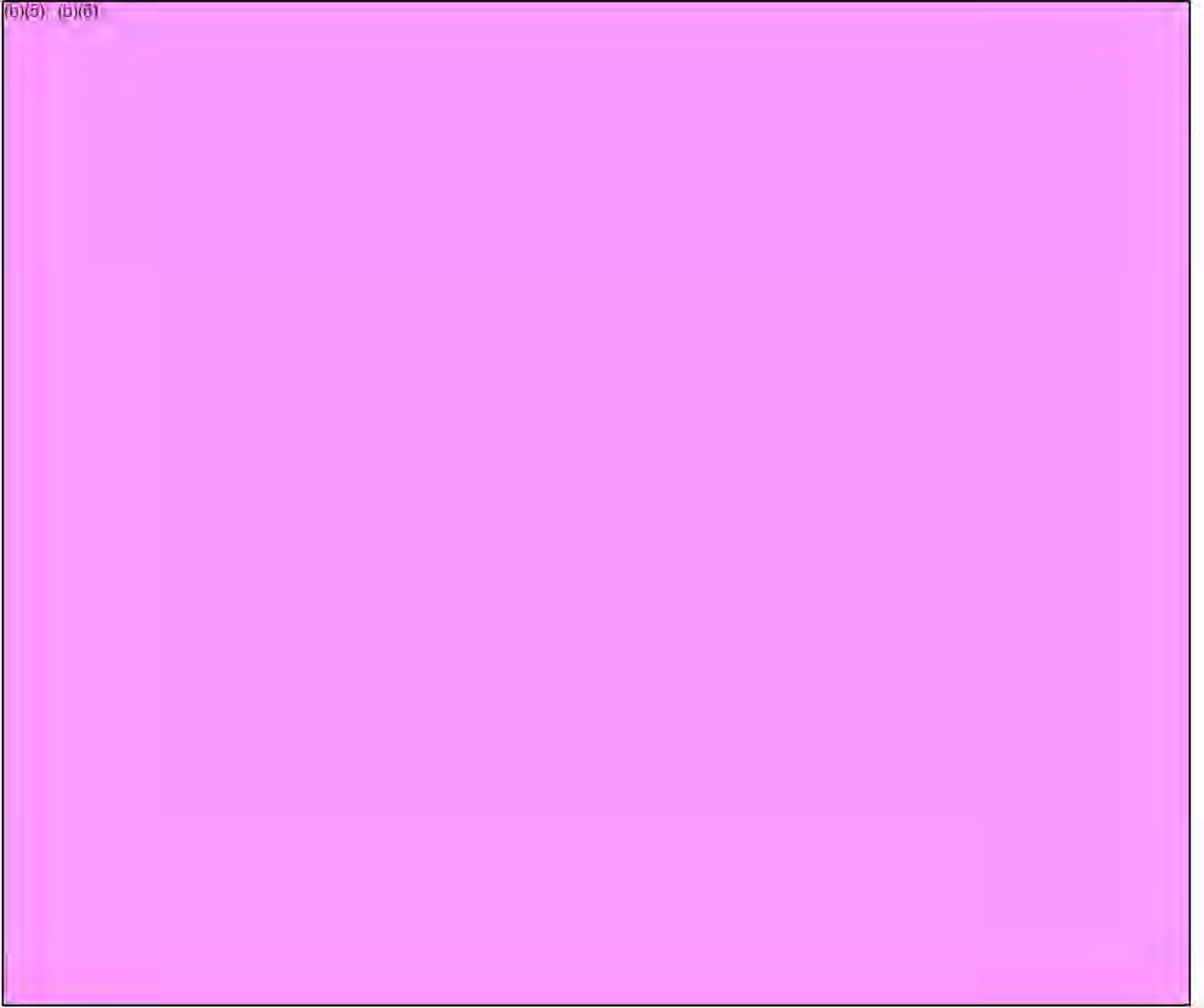
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Thanks
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Trainees and Telehealth

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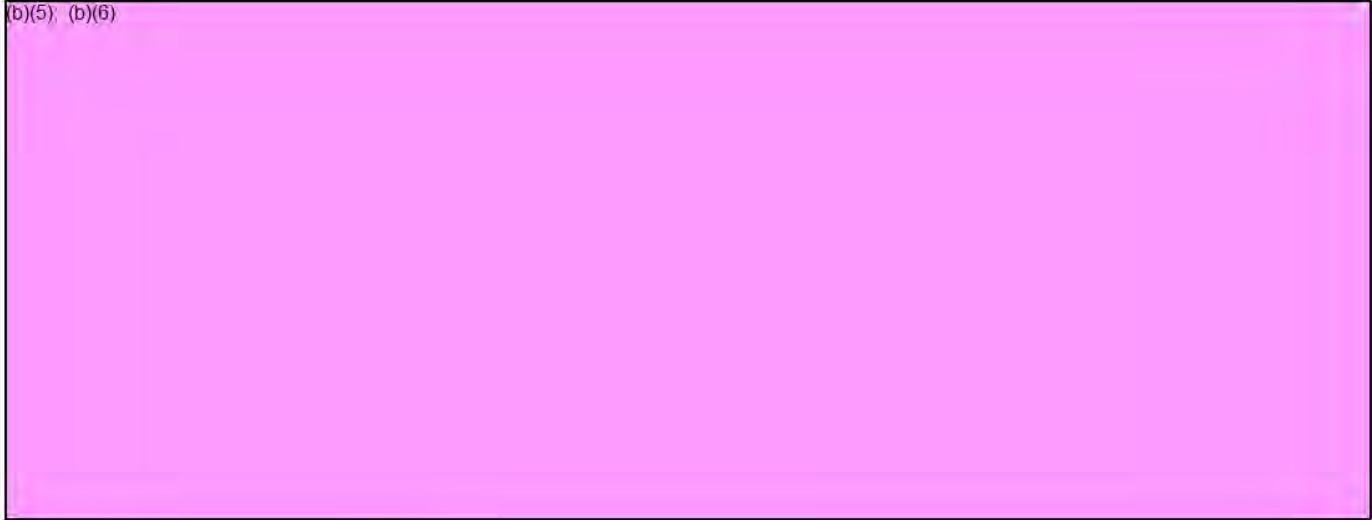
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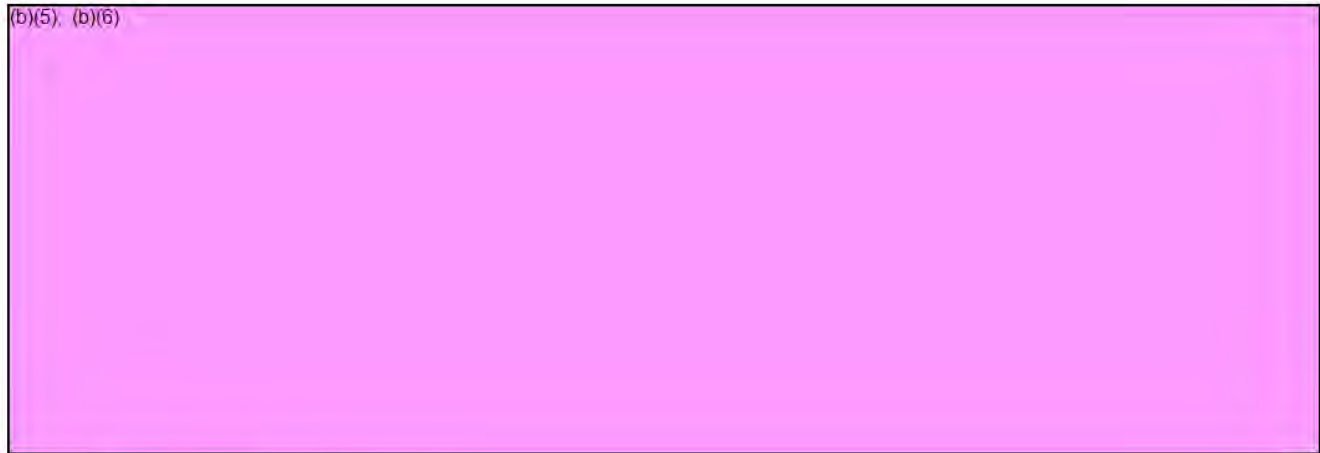
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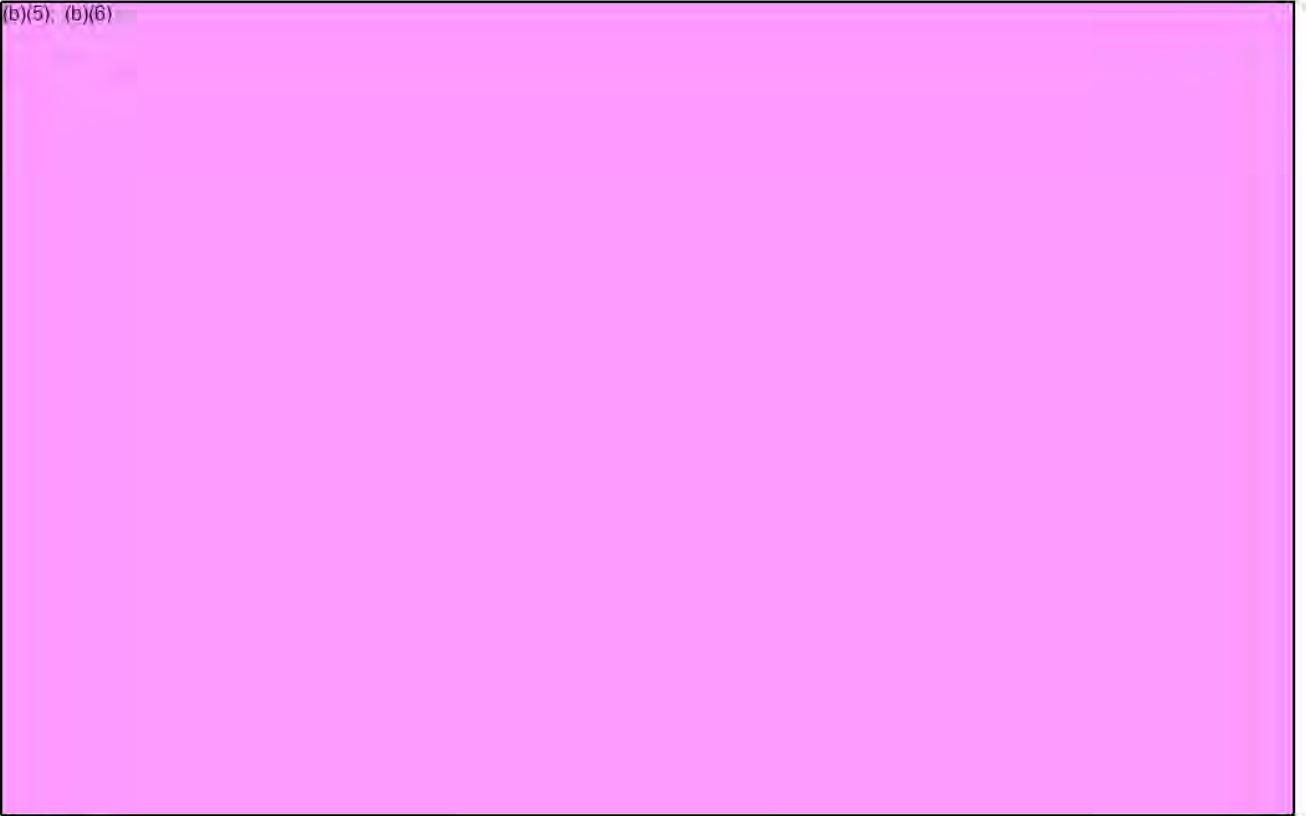
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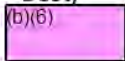
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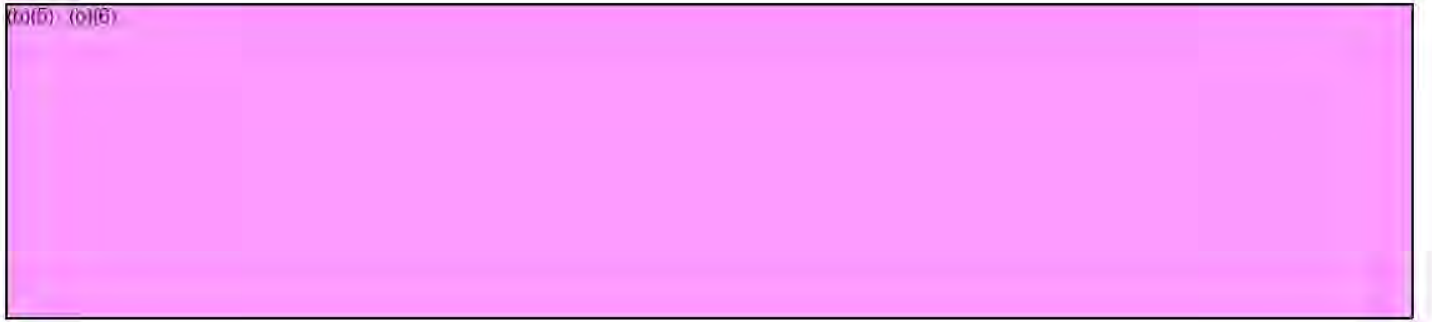
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Good Afternoon Network Directors

The Office of the Deputy Under Secretary for Health for Operations and Management is sending the email below on behalf of the Office of Academic Affiliations. Please share with medical center leadership.

Office of Academic Affiliations Guidance – Health Professions Trainees and COVID-19 – March 11, 2020

The Office of Academic Affiliations (OAA) is reaching out to Designated Education Officers (DEO) and other facility education staff to provide a consensus guidance document related to health professions trainees (HPT) and COVID-19. OAA realizes that there are a lot of issues and questions being asked. This guidance will be updated and redistributed as necessary.

Basic Infection Control and Hand Hygiene

All trainees, faculty and staff should know general CDC guidance for decreasing risk of transmission, whether in the hospital, clinic or out in the community. Please see this webpage for the basics: <https://www.cdc.gov/coronavirus/2019-ncov/about/prevention-treatment.html>

Trainee Involvement in Care of Suspected or Documented COVID-19 Patients

One of the most critical questions is “what is the appropriate level of trainee involvement in the care of suspected or documented COVID-19 patients”. Trainees vary greatly in their capabilities by level of training, profession and specialty/sub-specialty. To maximize trainee safety, trainees should only be asked to deliver care for individuals within their defined experience and training and supervised by individuals skilled in basic infectious disease management and personal protection. Many academic

centers are choosing to keep medical students and even physician interns out of the patient care rooms of suspected or documented COVID-19 patients due mainly to a shortage of personal protective equipment such as gowns and masks. And some are using staff physicians only to manage these infectious patients to minimize the number of health care providers who are ultimately exposed and/or infected. However, there are many roles to play in our facilities, and trainees are important members of our health care provider community. There are plenty of other patients to see! OAA is continuing to monitor accrediting body and professional organization statements regarding trainee engagement and COVID-19. The following webpage from AAMC appears applicable to all health professions and conveys both the variability and nuances of these tough decisions.

<https://www.aamc.org/news-insights/what-we-do-academic-medicine-mobilizes-prepare-covid-19>

Please note that the AAMC webpage references this Ebola-era video to use best practices in putting on and taking off PPE:

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=bG6zISnenPg> . OAA recommends that this video be widely disseminated and viewed.

For current ACGME advice, see the following weblink:

<https://acgme.org/Newsroom/Newsroom-Details/ArticleID/10068/ACGME-Guidance-Statement-on-Coronavirus-COVID-19-and-Resident-Fellow-Education-and-Training-Considerations>

Quarantines and trainees

Paid trainees have all the same leave options as regular paid employees. The key takeaway point is that “Weather and Safety Leave” is an administrative leave category for trainees (and staff) that are quarantined but not infected. Once trainees are ill, sick leave should be taken. Options for advanced sick leave are also available. For disbursement paid trainees, options are different. Please contact OAA’s Action Group for advice on specific situations regarding disbursement paid trainees.

Trainees and Telehealth

As medical centers try to enhance telehealth activities and reduce face to face interactions for the safety of both patients and staff, many have asked about trainee involvement in telehealth activities. OAA is pleased to offer the following advice.

- Telehealth visits with the supervisor co-located with the trainee have always been permitted, so these visits should continue during this health crisis.
- Telehealth visits where the trainees are not co-located with the supervisor (for example, patient, supervisor and trainee are all on a telehealth visit but are at three different locations) are **now permitted during this health crisis**.
- If a local or national emergency has been declared, and/or facility health care workforce is depleted due to illness among healthcare workers, quarantine or taking care of COVID-19 cases, trainees may host telehealth activities without

supervisors in the room or on the line. These encounters must still be discussed with a supervisor and have appropriate trainee supervision documented in the electronic health record. Both the Associate Chief of Staff for Education (Designated Education Officer) and the affiliate program director (as appropriate) would need to approve these more unique telehealth activities.

- Note, if a national emergency is declared, restrictions on trainee telehealth activities across state lines **may** be rescinded for the duration of the emergency. Appropriate legal guidance will be sought.

Trainees and Telework

- Trainees under quarantine may be assigned administrative leave (“weather and safety leave”) as noted above. Conversely, they can be put on a telework agreement and be assigned research, scholarly activities, process improvement work, or even telehealth activities. While those activities may or may not count towards clinical hours, it does still allow them to do meaningful work, and potentially count towards graduation requirements. Again, both the Associate Chief of Staff (Designated Education Officer) and the affiliate program director (if appropriate) would need to approve these telework options.

NOTE: OAA will update this guidance for Health Professions Trainees and COVID-19 infection when necessary by monitoring national CDC guidance, and accrediting and professional organization recommendations.

Please feel free to contact OAA by sending an email to: VHA 10X1 Action.

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FYI. My apologies for not adding you to the massive string below.

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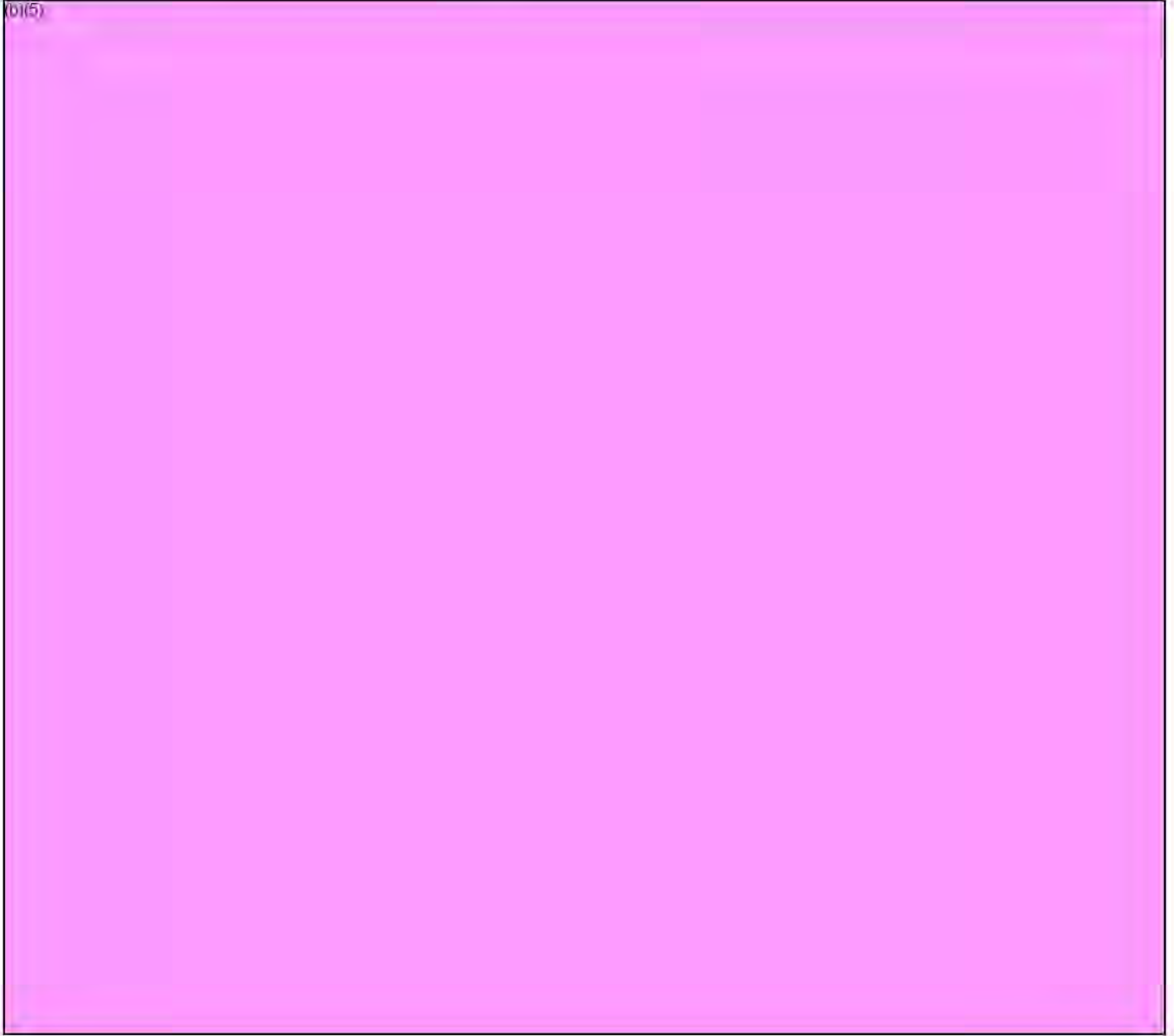
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To: Blauert, Susan (OGC); Raun, Eric L. (OGC)
Subject: FW: Draft Short Guidance Comments for 3D printing and Covid-19 for your review

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See below. What can we do to turn asap?

Vr Bill
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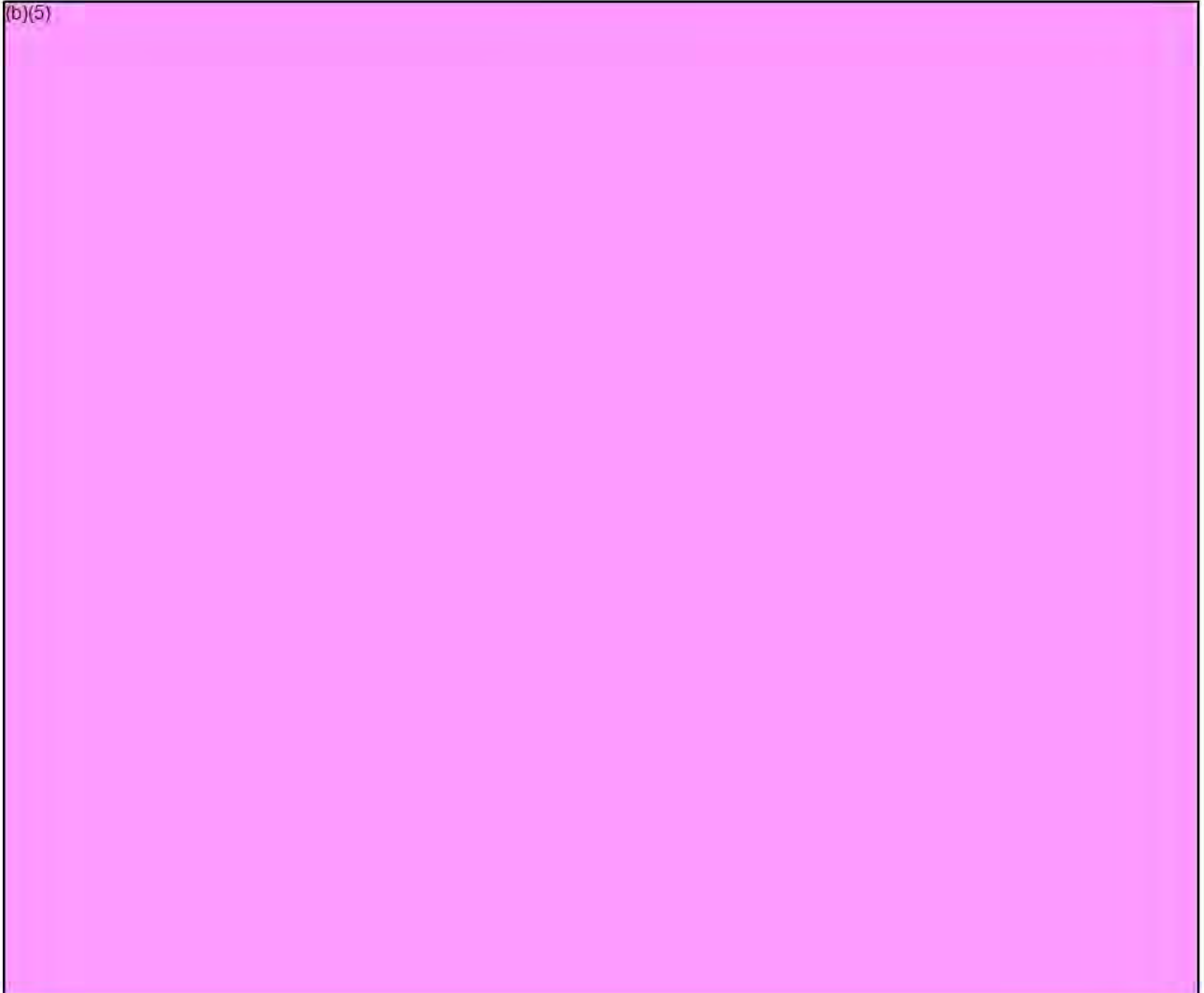
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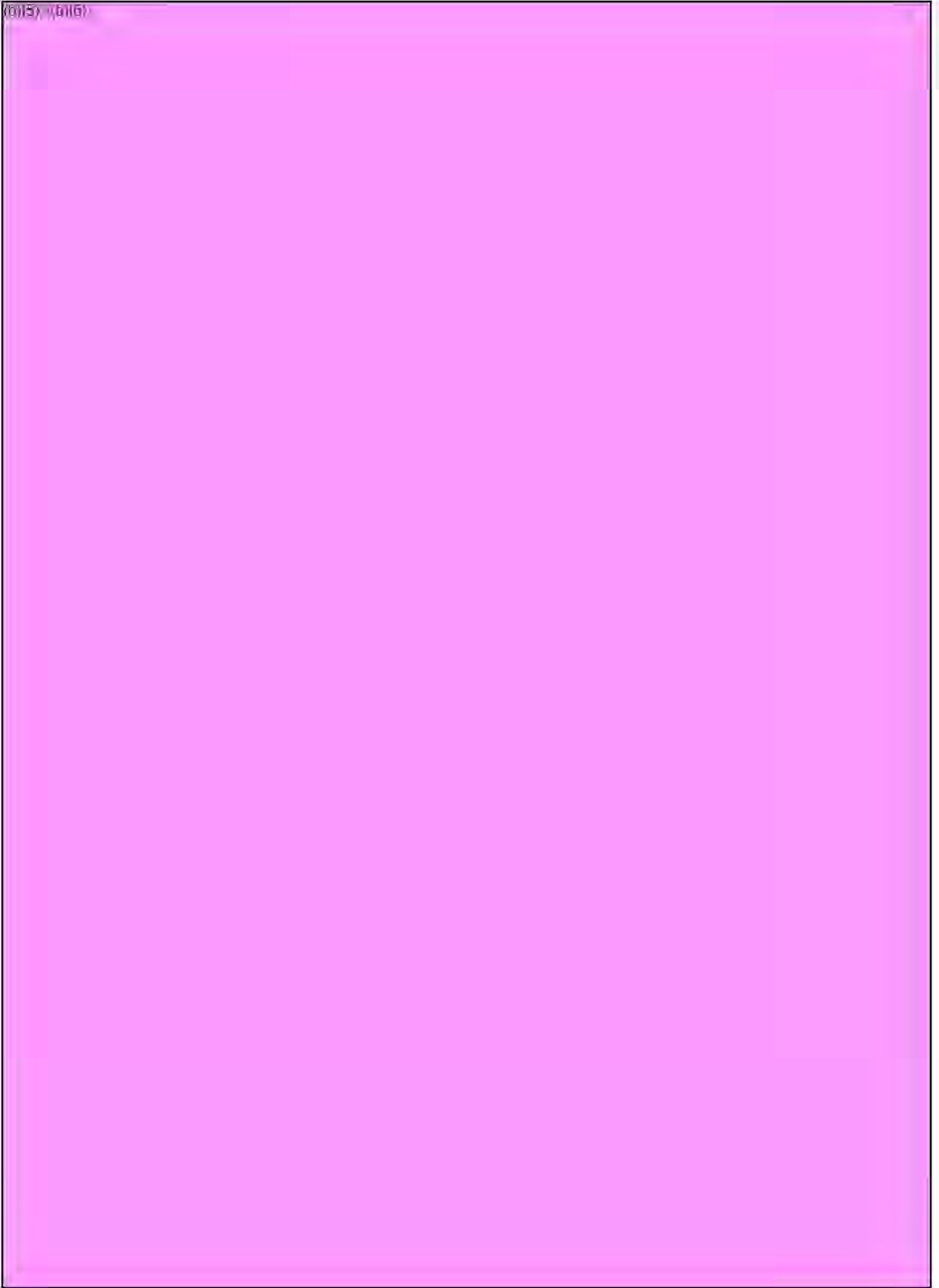
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Mike

Thank you. I will pass to the VISN.

Regards,
Harry

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Regards,
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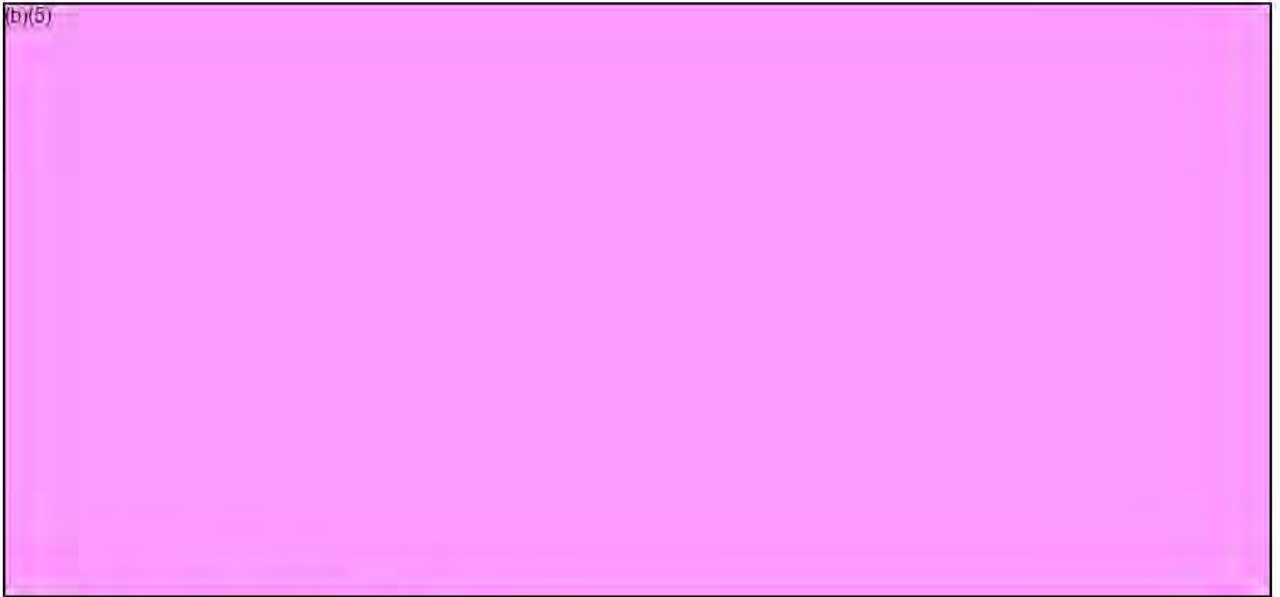
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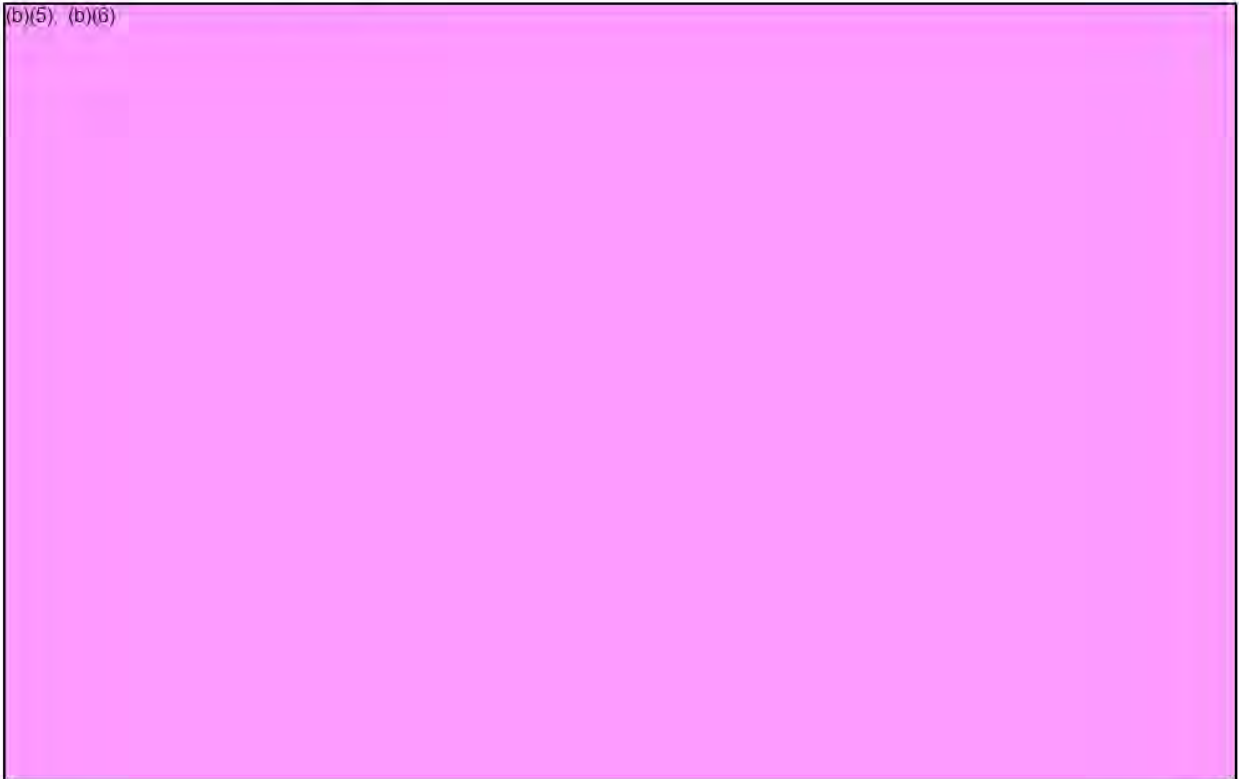


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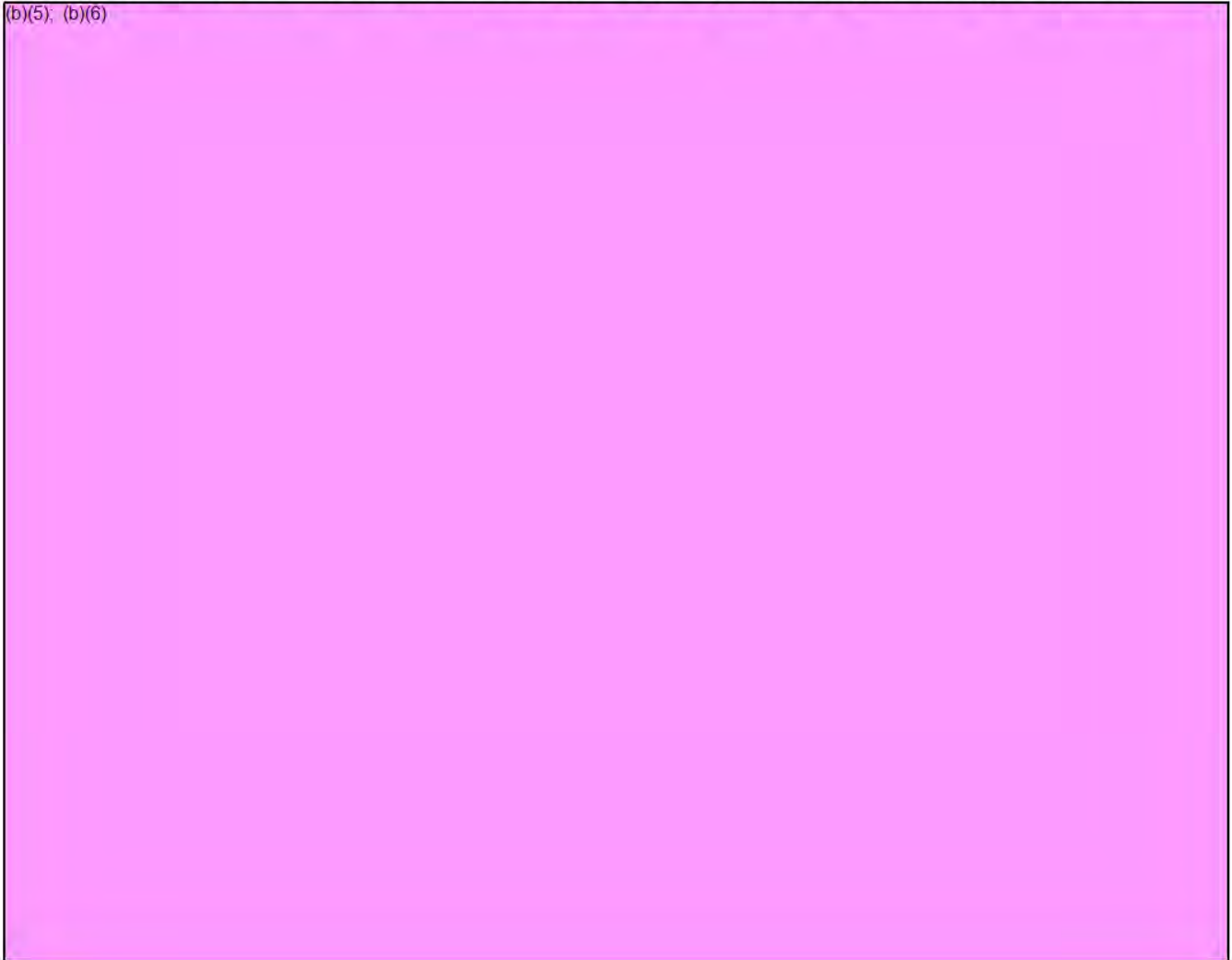
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DALLAS COUNTY

AMENDED ORDER OF COUNTY JUDGE CLAY JENKINS

Stay Home Stay Safe

DATE AMENDED ORDER ISSUED: March 22, 2020

WHEREAS, pursuant to Texas Government Code Section 418.108, Dallas County Judge Clay Jenkins issued a Declaration of Local Disaster for Public Health Emergency on March 12, 2020, due to a novel coronavirus now designated SARS-CoV2 which causes the disease COVID-19; and,

WHEREAS, on March 12, 2020, Judge Jenkins issued an Order in furtherance of his authority to protect the safety and welfare of the public by slowing the spread of the virus; and,

WHEREAS, the on-going evaluation of circumstances related to the virus and the updated recommendations of the Centers for Disease Control and the Texas Department of State Health Services warrant the March 12, 2020 Order of County Judge Clay Jenkins be amended;

WHEREAS, on March 16, 2020, President Trump acknowledged the gravity of the COVID-19 pandemic, releasing strict new guidelines to limit people's interactions, including that Americans should avoid groups of more than 10 people;

WHEREAS, on March 19, 2020, the Dallas County Commissioners Court issued an Order of Continuance of Declaration of Local Disaster for Public Health Emergency that affirmed the activation of the Dallas County Emergency Management Plan and extends the Declaration of Local Disaster until 11:59 p.m. on April 3, 2020, unless rescinded by order of the Commissioners Court.

THEREFORE, the March 12, 2020, Order of County Judge Clay Jenkins is hereby AMENDED as follows:

Summary: The virus that causes 2019 Coronavirus Disease (COVID-19) is easily transmitted through person to person contact, especially in group settings, and it is essential that the spread of the virus be slowed to protect the ability of public and private health care providers to handle the influx of new patients and safeguard public health and safety. Because of the risk of the rapid spread of the virus, and the need to protect the most vulnerable members of the community, this Order requires all individuals anywhere in Dallas County to shelter in place – that is, stay at home – except for certain essential activities and work to provide essential business and government services or perform essential public infrastructure construction, including housing. This Order takes effect at 11:59 p.m. on March 23, 2020 and will continue through 11:59 p.m. on April 3, 2020, subject to the limited exceptions and under the terms and conditions more particularly set forth below.

UNDER THE AUTHORITY OF TEXAS GOVERNMENT CODE SECTION 418.108, DALLAS COUNTY JUDGE CLAY JENKINS ORDERS:

1. Effective as of 11:59 p.m. on March 23, 2020, and continuing until 11:59 p.m. on April 3, 2020:



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- (a) All individuals currently living within Dallas County are ordered to shelter at their place of residence. For the purposes of this Order, residences include hotels, motels, shared rentals, and similar facilities. To the extent individuals are using shared or outdoor spaces, they must at all times as reasonably as possible maintain social distancing of at least six feet from any other person when they are outside their residence. All persons may leave their residences only for Essential Activities, or to provide or perform Essential Governmental Functions, or to operate Essential Businesses, all as defined in Section 2.
 - (b) All businesses operating within Dallas County, except Essential Businesses as defined in below in Section 2, are required to cease all activities at facilities located within the County. For clarity, businesses may continue operations consisting exclusively of employees or contractors performing activities at their own residences (i.e. working from home). To the greatest extent possible, all Essential Businesses shall comply with the Social Distancing Guidelines attached, including maintaining six foot social distancing for both employees and the general public.
 - (c) All public or private gatherings of any number of people occurring outside a single household or living unit are prohibited, except as otherwise provided herein. Nothing in this Order prohibits the gathering of members of a household or living unit.
 - (d) Restaurants with or without drive-in or drive-through services and microbreweries, micro-distilleries, or wineries may only provide take out, delivery, or drive-through services as allowed by law.
 - (e) Religious and worship services may only be provided by video and teleconference. Religious institutions must limit in-person staff to ten (10) people or less when preparing for or conducting video or teleconference services, and all individuals must follow the Social Distancing Guidelines including the six foot social distancing.
 - (f) All elective medical, surgical, and dental procedures are prohibited anywhere in Dallas County. Hospitals, ambulatory surgery centers, dental offices, and other medical facilities are directed to identify procedures that are deemed "elective" by assessing which procedures can be postponed or cancelled based on patient risk considering the emergency need for redirection of resources to COVID-19 response.
2. Definitions:
- a. For purposes of this Order, individuals may leave their residence only to perform any of the following "Essential Activities":
 - i. To engage in activities or perform tasks essential to their health and safety, or to the health and safety of their family or household members (for example, obtaining medical supplies or medication, visiting a health care professional, or obtaining supplies need to work from home).
 - ii. To obtain necessary services or supplies for themselves and their family or household members, or to deliver those services or supplies to others (for example, food, pet supply, and any other household consumer products, and products necessary to maintain the safety, sanitation, and essential operation of residences).



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- iii. To engage in outdoor activity, provided the individuals comply with social distancing requirements of six feet (for example, walking, biking, hiking, or running).
 - iv. To perform work providing essential products and services at an Essential Business or to otherwise carry out activities specifically permitted in this Order.
 - v. To care for a family member or pet in another household.
- b. For purposes of this Order, “Essential Businesses” means:
- i. **Essential Healthcare Operations.** Healthcare operations, including hospitals, clinics, dentists, pharmacies, pharmaceutical and biotechnology companies, other healthcare facilities, healthcare suppliers, mental health providers, substance abuse service providers, blood banks, medical research, laboratory services, or any related and/or ancillary healthcare services. Home-based and residential-based care for seniors, adults, or children are also considered healthcare operations. Healthcare operations also includes veterinary care and all health and welfare services provided to animals. This exemption shall be viewed broadly to avoid any impacts to the delivery of healthcare. Healthcare operations do not include fitness and exercise gyms and similar facilities. Healthcare operations do not include elective medical, surgical, and dental procedures as established in accordance with Subsection 1(f) of this Order.
 - ii. **Essential Government Functions.** All services provided by local governments needed to ensure the continuing operation of the government agencies to provide for the health, safety and welfare of the public. Further, nothing in this order shall prohibit any individual from performing or accessing “Essential Government Functions.” All Essential Government Functions shall be performed in compliance with social distancing requirements of six feet, to the extent possible.
 - iii. **Essential Critical Infrastructure.** Work necessary to the operations and maintenance of the 16 critical infrastructure sectors as identified by the National Cybersecurity and Infrastructure Agency (CISA) including public works construction, residential and commercial construction, airport operations, water, sewer, gas, electrical, oil refining, roads and highways, public transportation, solid waste collection and removal, internet, and telecommunications systems (including the provision of essential global, national, and local infrastructure for computing services, business infrastructure, communications, and web-based services), financial institutions, defense and national security-related operations, essential manufacturing operations provided that they carry out those services or that work in compliance with social distancing requirements of six feet, to the extent possible. Essential Businesses providing essential infrastructure should implement screening precautions to protect employees and all activity shall be performed in compliance with social distancing guidelines attached.



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- iv. **Essential Retail.** Food service providers, including grocery stores, warehouse stores, big-box stores, bodegas, liquor stores, gas stations and convenience stores, farmers' markets that sell food products and household staples. Food cultivation, including farming, fishing, and livestock. Businesses that ship or deliver groceries, food, goods or services directly to residences. Restaurants and other facilities that prepare and serve food, but only for delivery or carry out. Schools and other entities that typically provide free services to students or members of the public on a pick-up and take-away basis only. The restriction of delivery or carry out does not apply to cafes and restaurants located within hospital and medical facilities. Laundromats, dry cleaners, and laundry service providers. Gas stations, auto-supply, auto and bicycle repair, hardware stores, and related facilities. Businesses that supply products needed for people to work from home.
 - v. **Providers of Basic Necessities to Economically Disadvantaged Populations.** Businesses that provide food, shelter, and social services, and other necessities of life for economically disadvantaged or otherwise needy individuals.
 - vi. **Essential Services Necessary to Maintain Essential Operations of Residences or Other Essential Businesses.** Trash and recycling collection, processing and disposal, mail and shipping services, building cleaning, maintenance and security, warehouse/distribution and fulfillment, storage for essential businesses, funeral homes, crematoriums and cemeteries. Plumbers, electricians, exterminators, and other service providers who provide services that are necessary to maintaining the safety, sanitation, and essential operations of residences and Essential Businesses. Professional services, such as legal or accounting services, when necessary to assist in compliance with legally mandated activities. Businesses that supply other essential businesses with support or supplies needed to operate.
 - vii. **News Media.** Newspapers, television, radio, and other media services.
 - viii. **Childcare Services.** Childcare facilities providing services that enable employees exempted in this Order to work as permitted.
- 3. Any manufacturer who retools so that a substantial part of their business is for the purpose of manufacturing and producing ventilators may apply for an "essential business" exemption under this Order.
 - 4. Grocery stores, supermarkets, warehouse stores, hospitals, and medical facilities are experiencing high levels of demand for a large number of products, requiring more deliveries from manufacturers and distribution centers to serve their customers. A number of Texas cities and local associations have implemented restrictions on delivery hours to stores to mitigate truck noise and traffic. Due to the need to deliver products as quickly and efficiently as possible during this critical timeframe, this Order hereby suspends all



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delivery hour restrictions for transport to or from any entity involved in the selling or distribution of food products, medicine, or medical supplies in Dallas County for the next 60 days.

5. Due to increased demand for bath or toilet tissue resulting from stock up buying and individuals who purchase for resale, a mandatory limit on toilet paper sales is instituted until the supply chain meets the demand or two weeks, whichever comes first. All sales of bath or toilet tissue occurring in Dallas County are limited to the greater of: (a) twelve (12) rolls per purchase or (b) one (1) package per purchase.
6. Due to the public health emergency, the Office of the Dallas County Judge hereby advises the Dallas County Justices of the Peace to suspend eviction hearings and writs of possession for at least the next 60 days to prevent renters from being displaced.
7. If someone in a household has tested positive for coronavirus, the household is ordered to isolate at home. Members of the household cannot go to work, school, or any other community function.
8. Nursing homes, retirement, and long-term care facilities are instructed by this order to prohibit non-essential visitors from accessing their facilities unless to provide critical assistance or for end-of-life visitation.
9. Public and private schools and institutions of higher education are instructed by this order to provide a safety plan to Dallas County Office of Homeland Security and Emergency Management 72 hours before students return to a classroom settings.
10. Additionally, the Office of the Dallas County Judge and the Health Authority instructs all employees to remain at home if sick. Employees of private businesses and nonprofits with six or more employees in the City of Dallas can use their paid sick leave when they are sick or to care for sick family members.
11. This Order shall be effective until 11:59 p.m. on April 3, 2020, or until it is either rescinded, superseded, or amended pursuant to applicable law.
12. The County of Dallas must promptly provide copies of this Order by posting on the Dallas County Health and Human Services website. In addition, the owner, manager, or operator of any facility that is likely to be impacted by this Order is strongly encouraged to post a copy of this Order onsite and to provide a copy to any member of the public asking for a copy. If any subsection, sentence, clause, phrase, or word of this Order or any application of it to any person, structure, gathering, or circumstance is held to be invalid or unconstitutional by a decision of a court of competent jurisdiction, then such decision will not affect the validity of the remaining portions or applications of this Order.

IT IS SO ORDERED

CLAY JENKINS
DALLAS COUNTY JUDGE



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DCHHS Social Distancing Recommendations

1) Vulnerable Populations: Limit Outings

- Vulnerable populations include people who are:
 - 60 years old and older.
 - People with certain health conditions such as heart disease, lung disease, diabetes, kidney disease and weakened immune systems.
- For vulnerable populations, don't go to gatherings unless it is essential. Stay home. Avoid people who are sick.

2) Workplace and Businesses: Minimize Exposure

- Suspend nonessential employee travel.
- Ensure employees practice social distancing and do not work within six feet of one another.
- Urge essential employees to stay home when they are sick and maximize flexibility in sick leave benefits.
- Do not require a doctor's note for employees who are sick.
- Maximize telecommuting options.
- Persons who need to be at work to provide essential services of great benefit to the community must take steps in their workplace to minimize risk.

3) Cancel Non-essential Events

- Cancel non-essential events.
- Do not attend any events or gatherings if sick.
- For events that aren't cancelled, we recommend:
 - Having hand washing capabilities, hand sanitizers and tissues available.
 - Frequently cleaning high touch surface areas like counter tops and hand rails.
 - Finding ways to implement social distancing..

4) Schools: Safety First

- Do not have your child attend school if sick.
- If you have a child with chronic health conditions, consult the child's doctor about school attendance.
- Schools should equip all classrooms with hand sanitizers and tissues.
- Recommend rescheduling or cancelling events that are not essential.
- Explore remote teaching and online options to continue learning.
- Schools should develop a plan for citywide school closures, and families should prepare for further closures.

5) Transit: Cleaning and Protection

- Increase cleaning of vehicles and high touch surface areas.
- Provide hand washing/hand sanitizers and tissues in stations and on vehicles.
- Ensure social distancing practices are implemented to the full extent possible.



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6) Health Care Settings: Avoid as possible, protect the vulnerable

- Long-term care facilities should have a COVID-19 plan in accordance with CDC or state guidelines.
- Long-term care facilities should restrict all visitation except for certain compassionate care situations, such as end of life situations.
- The general public should avoid going to medical settings such as hospitals, nursing homes and long-term care facilities, even if you are not ill.
- If you are ill, call your health care provider ahead of time, and you may be able to be served by phone.
- Do not visit emergency rooms unless it is essential.
- Follow guidance and directions of all facilities.

7) Everyone: Do your part

The best way for all Dallas County residents to reduce their risk of getting sick, as with seasonal colds or the flu, still applies to prevent COVID-19:

- Wash hands with soap and water for at least 20 seconds.
- Cough or sneeze into your elbow or a tissue. Throw the tissue in the trash.
- Stay home if you are sick.
- Avoid touching your face.
- Try alternatives to shaking hands, like an elbow bump or wave.
- If you have recently returned from a country, state or region with ongoing COVID-19 infections, monitor your health and follow the instructions of public health officials and CDC guidance.
- There is no recommendation to wear masks at this time to prevent yourself from getting sick.

You can also prepare for the disruption caused by an outbreak. Preparedness actions include:

- Prepare to work from home if that is possible for your job, and your employer.
- Make sure you have a supply of all essential medications for your family.
- Prepare a child care plan if you or a caregiver are sick.
- Make arrangements about how your family will manage school closures.
- Plan for how you can care for a sick family member without getting sick yourself.
- Take care of each other and check in by phone with friends, family and neighbors that are vulnerable to serious illness or death if they get COVID-19.
- Keep common spaces clean to help maintain a healthy environment for you and others. Frequently touched surfaces should be cleaned regularly with disinfecting sprays, wipes or common household cleaning products.

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Employee Risk Assessment for Exposure and Associated Leave Guidance

Background: Salem VAMC has initiated mitigation strategies to decrease employee exposure to COVID-19 at work through active screening outside the facility, restricted patient flow through the medical center, and by limiting the number of staff that work with COVID-19 patients. However, employees remain at risk of exposure when performing procedures on known COVID-19 patients and from asymptomatic COVID-19 infected patients, as well as through contacts outside of employment.

Definitions:

Self-Monitoring means an employee should monitor themselves for fever by taking their temperature twice per day and remain alert for respiratory symptoms (e.g., cough, shortness of breath, sore throat).

Active Monitoring means that the state or local public health authority (either the Virginia Department of Health or Salem VAMC Occupational/Employee Health) assumes responsibility for establishing regular communication with potentially exposed people to assess for the presence of fever or respiratory symptoms. For high or medium-risk exposure, this communication should occur at least once each day.

Self-Monitoring with delegated supervision in a healthcare setting means employees perform self-monitoring with oversight by Salem VAMC's Occupational/Employee Health Department (OEH) or Infection Control Program in coordination with the health department of jurisdiction.

Close contact for healthcare exposure is defined as follows: a) being within approximately 6 feet of a person with COVID-19 for a prolonged period of time (such as caring for or visiting the patient; or sitting within 6 feet of the patient in a healthcare waiting area or room); or b) having unprotected direct contact with infectious secretions or excretions of the patient (e.g., being coughed on, touching used tissues with a bare hand). Longer exposure time likely increases exposure risk.

Risk Assessment:

Occupational/Employee Health will perform all risk assessments for any employee and make a determination based on the CDC recommendations. The following outlines the CDC definitions and levels and is included for general supervisor awareness.

Supervisors should not perform risk stratification assessments on their own. Any actual or suspected cases of either COVID-19 exposure or illness should be referred to OEH for the appropriate assessment.

High-Risk Exposure refers to employees who have had prolonged close contact with patients with COVID-19 who were not wearing a facemask while employees' nose and mouth were exposed to material potentially infectious with the virus causing COVID-19. Being present in the room for procedures that generate aerosols or during which respiratory secretions are likely to be poorly controlled (e.g., cardiopulmonary

resuscitation, intubation, extubation, bronchoscopy, nebulizer therapy, sputum induction) on patients with COVID-19 when the employees' eyes, nose, or mouth were not protected is also considered high-risk.

Medium-Risk Exposure generally include employees who had prolonged close contact with patients with COVID-19 who were wearing a facemask while the employee's nose and mouth were exposed to material potentially infectious with the virus causing COVID-19.

Low-Risk Exposure generally refers to brief interactions with patients with COVID-19 or prolonged close contact with patients who were wearing a facemask for source control while the employee was wearing a facemask or respirator. Use of eye protection, in addition to a facemask or respirator would further lower the risk of exposure.

No Identifiable Risk is where the employee had no direct patient contact and no entry into active patient management areas who adhere to routine safety precautions and therefore do not have a risk of exposure to COVID-19.

Prolonged Contact with COVID-19 Patient Not Wearing Face Mask:

<i>Employee PPE Status</i>	<i>Risk</i>
None	High
No Facemask or Respirator	High
No Eye Protection	Medium
No Gown or Gloves	Low
Wearing all recommended PPE	Low

Prolonged Contact with COVID-19 Patient Wearing Face Mask:

<i>Employee PPE Status</i>	<i>Risk</i>
None	Medium
No Facemask or Respirator	Medium
No Eye Protection	Low
No Gown or Gloves	Low
Wearing all recommended PPE	Low

Procedures:

1. All employees must self-refer, or have their supervisor refer, any exposure to a patient with COVID-19 to Occupational/Employee Health (OEH) by **calling extension XXXX** within 4 hours of exposure. Upon referral, the OEH staff will perform a risk stratification assessment utilizing the aforementioned definitions.
2. All exposure risk referrals to OEH will be tracked and will include:
 - a. Daily reports on symptoms and fever prior to starting work

- b. Location where the employee will work that day (e.g., office, hospital, clinic, telework) if permitted to work
 - c. Work, Scheduled Day Off, or On Leave status.
- 3. If an employee is permitted to remain working after assessment by OEH, the employee is **required** to wear a face mask (not N95) for the entire time while on Salem VAMC or CBOC grounds with the exception of while eating or drinking. The face mask must be worn while on duty for 14 calendar days following High or Medium-Risk exposures, and at the direction of OEH with low exposure.
- 4. All exposed employees must provide daily symptom and fever information to OEH before starting work. Employees will be provided the specific procedure to follow for reporting symptom and fever data to OEH.
- 5. Employees may continue to report for duty after clearance by OEH as long as they remain asymptomatic. If any employee exposed to a patient with COVID-19 infection develop even mild symptoms consistent with COVID-19, they will immediately cease patient care activities, don a facemask (if not already wearing), and notify their supervisor and OEH prior to leaving work. Upon leaving work, the appropriate leave will be documented and the employee will receive instruction on symptom monitoring that must occur daily from either OEH or their supervisor.
- 6. Employees who develop symptoms before reporting to work should immediately contact their supervisor and OEH and not report to work. The OEH provider will complete an assessment and provide direction to the employee in terms seeking medical evaluation by their personal PCP, symptom reporting, and procedure required to be cleared to return to work.
- 7. Employees who have been off duty for 40 consecutive hours or more of leave or five (5) or more consecutive calendar days must be rescreened by their supervisor before being permitted to return to duty to ensure the employee is asymptomatic. Any employee reporting a positive declaration to the screening criteria should immediately contact OEH.
- 8. Employee Leave Status: the following serves as guidance for supervisors to determine the appropriate leave for an employee with COVID-19 related absence.

*Note: VA Medical Centers, Domiciliaries, and Outpatient Clinics are deemed critical VA operations which cannot be curtailed in entirety and employees of these facilities are deemed to be providing critical services.

- a. An employee who is exposed to a positive COVID-19 patient while on duty at Salem VAMC or CBOC and is determined to need to be quarantined for up to 14 days by OEH due to being symptomatic = Sick Leave. If the employee does not have sufficient SL to cover the length of absence, Annual Leave, Comp Time Earned, or LWOP should then be approved. Requests for Advanced Sick Leave need to be evaluated on a case-by-case basis by the supervisor and requests made to the Medical Center Director through the Service Chief.

- b. An employee who is exposed to a positive COVID-19 patient while on duty at Salem VAMC or CBOC and is determined to need to be quarantined for up to 14 days by OEH even though they are asymptomatic = Sick Leave. If the employee does not have sufficient SL to cover the length of absence, Annual Leave, Comp Time Earned, or LWOP should then be approved. Employee requests for Advanced Sick Leave for this instance would need to be evaluated on a case-by-basis by the supervisor and requests made to the Medical Center Director through the Service Chief.
 - c. An employee who is exposed to a positive COVID-19 individual while not on duty at Salem VAMC or CBOC (e.g., exposed while working other job, exposure while attending large group event, etc.) and is symptomatic = Sick Leave. If the employee does not have sufficient SL to cover the length of absence, Comp Time Earned or LWOP should then be approved.
 - d. An employee who is exposed to a positive COVID-19 individual while not on duty at Salem VAMC or CBOC (e.g., exposed while working another job, exposure while attending a large group event in the community, etc.) and asymptomatic = Annual Leave or Comp Time Earned and should follow AL and CT approval process. Requesting of SL in this situation is not appropriate.
 - e. An employee who does not have child or elder-care due to closure related to COVID-19 = Annual Leave or Comp Time Earned and should follow AL and CT approval process. Requesting of Family Care in this situation is not appropriate.
 - f. An employee who requests leave due to fear of exposure at the worksite = Annual Leave or Comp Time Earned. While Annual Leave or Comp Time Earned may be granted at the discretion of the supervisor, given the critical nature of our jobs, supervisors and Service Chiefs must carefully examine all leave requests to ensure appropriate staffing levels are maintained.
9. The authority to approve Weather & Safety Leave (W&SL) rests with the agency head. Temporary authority has been granted by the Executive in Charge, Veterans Health Administration for Medical Center Directors to approve up to 15 workdays of W&SL due to the COVID-19 Emergency. The Medical Center Director will make the decision based on the information that is available, the operational needs of the facility, and the best interest of the health and safety of the individuals who might be affected if it is not granted.
10. All requests for Weather & Safety Leave must be made in writing to the Medical Center Director by the employee through their supervisor and Service Chief/Chief Nurse. When such a request is made, the Supervisor and Service Chief must provide a recommendation of approving or not approving W&S Leave. The recommendation must be based on documented justification, such as consultation with OEH, exposure risk determination, needs of the unit, and the general interest of the health and safety of other employees and patients. The justification provided to the Director must include the nexus of exposure.

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President Trump declared a nationwide emergency pursuant to Sec. 501(b) of the Robert T. Stafford Disaster Relief and Emergency Assistance Act, 42 U.S.C. 5121-5207 (the “Stafford Act”) on March 13 2020. This increases federal support to the Department of Health and Human Services (HHS) in its role as the lead federal agency for the ongoing COVID-19 pandemic response.

HHS remains the lead federal agency directing the federal response to COVID-19. When a State, Tribe, or Territory has determined that the maximum capacity of intrastate or interstate resources are exhausted, they may request assistance from the federal government through their local HHS Regional Emergency Coordinator (REC). The HHS REC will then submit a task order to the HHS Secretary’s Operations Center (SOC) to be resourced by HHS or by one or a combination of the support agencies, including VA.

HHS can request that VA provide resources to civilian health care systems or that VA hospital care and medical services be provided to non-Veteran patients in VA facilities, dependent upon the availability of resources and funding, and consistent with the VA mission to provide priority services to Veterans. VA cannot receive direct requests for assistance from state and local governments. The established central coordination function of HHS will ensure an integrated, effective response is provided to those communities that need assistance most.

VA has defined roles in both the National Disaster Medical System (NDMS) and the National Response Framework (NRF) in the event of national emergencies. VA is standing by ready to support as needed; our COVID-19 emergency preparedness exercises began weeks before the first case was confirmed in the U.S. VA has plans in place to protect everyone who gets care, visits or works at one of our facilities.

To request federal government assistance, contact your State's HHS REC:

<https://www.phe.gov/Preparedness/responders/rec/Pages/default.aspx>

For information on VA's COVID-19 response activities, updates can be found here:

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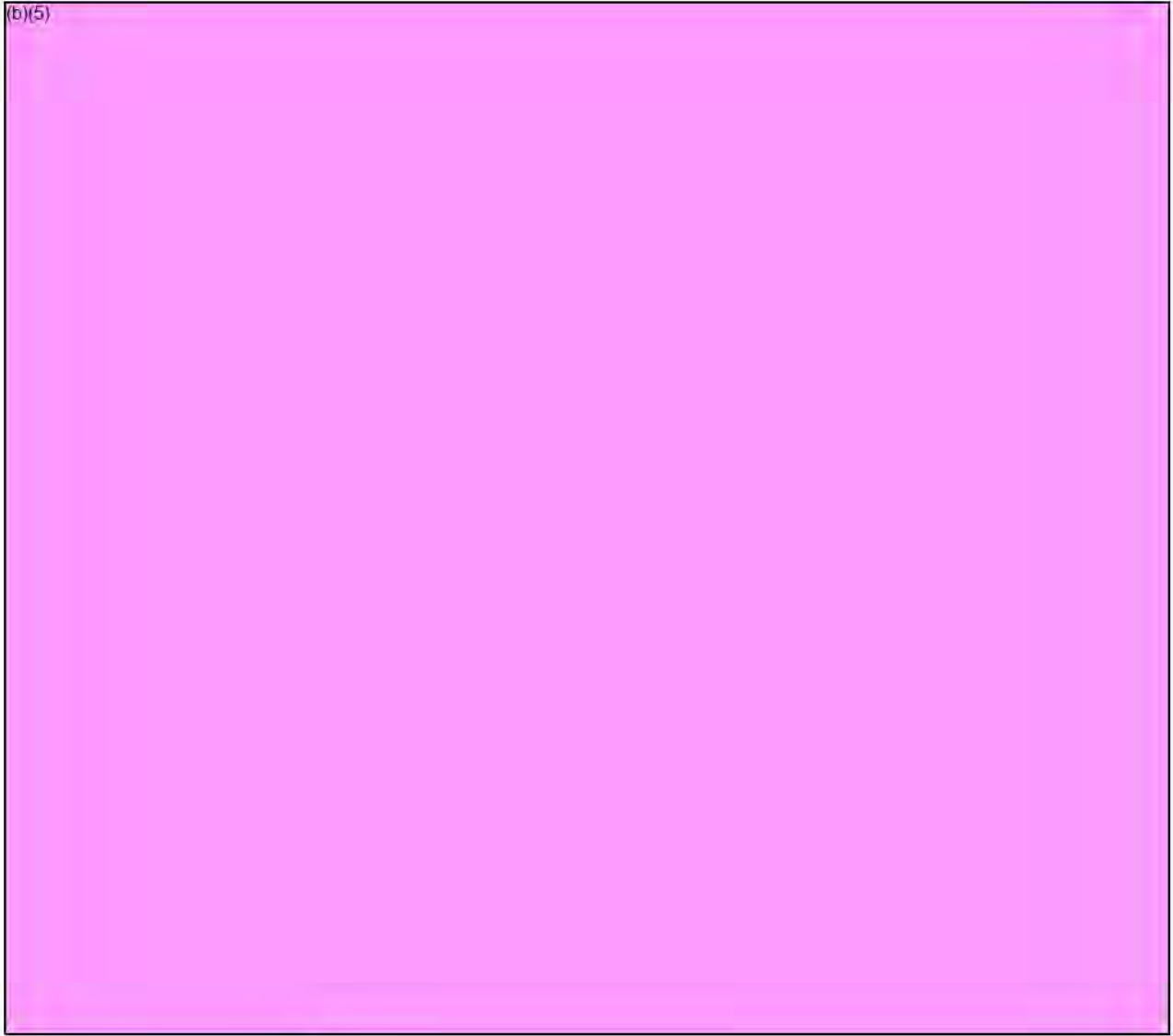
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Subject: RE: Follow-on discussion - Plans forward resulting from emergent staffing assignments/
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Thank you,

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Subject: Follow-on discussion - Plans forward resulting from emergent staffing assignments/ relocations

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To: (b)(6); Bradshaw, Doug (OGC); (b)(6)

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Subject: Smaller group discussion - Plans forward resulting from emergent staffing assignments/relocations

When: Monday, March 23, 2020 9:30 AM-10:30 AM (UTC-05:00) Eastern Time (US & Canada).

Where: Skype Meeting

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**Assistant Deputy Under Secretary for Health, Clinical Operations (10NC)
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From: Blauert, Susan (OGC)
Sent: Tue, 24 Mar 2020 00:18:42 +0000
To: (b)(6)
Cc: Raun, Eric L. (OGC) (b)(6) (OGC)
Subject: FW: Case #: 02491213 - Due Date: 2020-03-23 17:00:00 - Action Requested - Provide Concurrence GCL 144230
Attachments: Underwood COVID-19 Lean letter VHA edits (002) (3).docx

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Thanks,
Susan

Susan Blauert
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From: Raun, Eric L. (OGC) (b)(6) @va.gov>
Sent: Monday, March 23, 2020 2:02 PM
To: Blauert, Susan (OGC) (b)(6) @va.gov>
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Hi Susan
Resending as Dan is saying it's due today.

Eric Raun

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From: Raun, Eric L. (OGC)
Sent: Friday, March 20, 2020 10:57 AM
To: Blauert, Susan (OGC) (b)(6) @va.gov>
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Eric

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A new case task was created on: 2020-03-20 10:29:31 and assigned to OGC-023 Health Care Law Group.

Please see details below.

Case Subject: Proactive Risk Communication to Veterans Regarding the Coronavirus ...

Primary MOC: (b)(5)

Signature Level: SECVA

Task Created By: (b)(5)@va.gov

Office: OGC-02 General Counsel

Organization: OGC

Task Name: LCT-209039

Due Date is on: 2020-03-23 17:00:00

Action Requested: Provide Concurrence

Requested Activity: Previous concurrences were obtained however COS front office requested updated information. VHA provided the updated info as requested and this is a request for another (quick turnaround) concurrence. OGC is tasked along with VHA and OCLA since this is a 2nd time around. Please obtain concurrence from a current authorized signer. Version for concurrence is attached to this task.

To view case Task details and to provide response, please use the link below:

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Thank you!

From: (b)(6) (OGC)
Sent: Tue, 24 Mar 2020 12:49:17 +0000
To: (b)(6) Cromwell, Sonya (OGC); Tierney, Brian (OGC); OGC COVID-19 (b)(6) (OGC)
Subject: NCA Memorandums and Orders
Attachments: (b)(5)

(b)(5), (b)(6)

Good Morning (b)(6)

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Thanks-

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EXECUTIVE ORDER

No. 2020-21

Temporary requirement to suspend activities that are not necessary to sustain or protect life

The novel coronavirus (COVID-19) is a respiratory disease that can result in serious illness or death. It is caused by a new strain of coronavirus not previously identified in humans and easily spread from person to person. Older adults and those with chronic health conditions are at particular risk, and there is an increased risk of rapid spread of COVID-19 among persons in close proximity to one another. There is currently no approved vaccine or antiviral treatment for this disease.

On March 10, 2020, the Michigan Department of Health and Human Services identified the first two presumptive-positive cases of COVID-19 in Michigan. On that same day, I issued Executive Order 2020-4. This order declared a state of emergency across the state of Michigan under section 1 of article 5 of the Michigan Constitution of 1963, the Emergency Management Act, 1976 PA 390, as amended, MCL 30.401-.421, and the Emergency Powers of the Governor Act of 1945, 1945 PA 302, as amended, MCL 10.31-.33.

The Emergency Management Act vests the governor with broad powers and duties to “cop[e] with dangers to this state or the people of this state presented by a disaster or emergency,” which the governor may implement through “executive orders, proclamations, and directives having the force and effect of law.” MCL 30.403(1)-(2). Similarly, the Emergency Powers of the Governor Act of 1945, provides that, after declaring a state of emergency, “the governor may promulgate reasonable orders, rules, and regulations as he or she considers necessary to protect life and property or to bring the emergency situation within the affected area under control.” MCL 10.31(1).

To suppress the spread of COVID-19, to prevent the state’s health care system from being overwhelmed, to allow time for the production of critical test kits, ventilators, and personal protective equipment, and to avoid needless deaths, it is reasonable and necessary to direct residents to remain at home or in their place of residence to the maximum extent feasible.

This order takes effect on March 24, 2020 at 12:01 am, and continues through April 13, 2020 at 11:59 pm.

Acting under the Michigan Constitution of 1963 and Michigan law, I order the following:

1. This order must be construed broadly to prohibit in-person work that is not necessary to sustain or protect life.
2. Subject to the exceptions in section 7, all individuals currently living within the State of Michigan are ordered to stay at home or at their place of residence. Subject to the same exceptions, all public and private gatherings of any number of people occurring among persons not part of a single household are prohibited.
3. All individuals who leave their home or place of residence must adhere to social distancing measures recommended by the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention, including remaining at least six feet from people from outside the individual's household to the extent feasible under the circumstances.
4. No person or entity shall operate a business or conduct operations that require workers to leave their homes or places of residence except to the extent that those workers are necessary to sustain or protect life or to conduct minimum basic operations.
 - (a) For purposes of this order, workers who are necessary to sustain or protect life are defined as "critical infrastructure workers," as described in sections 8 and 9.
 - (b) For purposes of this order, workers who are necessary to conduct minimum basic operations are those whose in-person presence is strictly necessary to allow the business or operation to maintain the value of inventory and equipment, care for animals, ensure security, process transactions (including payroll and employee benefits), or facilitate the ability of other workers to work remotely.

Businesses and operations must determine which of their workers are necessary to conduct minimum basic operations and inform such workers of that designation. Businesses and operations must make such designations in writing, whether by electronic message, public website, or other appropriate means. Such designations, however, may be made orally until March 31, 2020 at 11:59 pm.

5. Businesses and operations that employ critical infrastructure workers may continue in-person operations, subject to the following conditions:
 - (a) Consistent with sections 8 and 9, businesses and operations must determine which of their workers are critical infrastructure workers and inform such workers of that designation. Businesses and operations must make such designations in writing, whether by electronic message, public website, or other appropriate means. Such designations, however, may be made orally until March 31, 2020 at 11:59 pm. Businesses and operations need not designate:

- (1) Workers in health care and public health.
 - (2) Workers who perform necessary government activities, as described in section 6.
 - (3) Workers and volunteers described in section 9(d).
 - (b) In-person activities that are not necessary to sustain or protect life must be suspended until normal operations resume.
 - (c) Businesses and operations maintaining in-person activities must adopt social distancing practices and other mitigation measures to protect workers and patrons. Those practices and measures include, but are not limited to:
 - (1) Restricting the number of workers present on premises to no more than is strictly necessary to perform the business's or operation's critical infrastructure functions.
 - (2) Promoting remote work to the fullest extent possible.
 - (3) Keeping workers and patrons who are on premises at least six feet from one another to the maximum extent possible, including for customers who are standing in line.
 - (4) Increasing standards of facility cleaning and disinfection to limit worker and patron exposure to COVID-19, as well as adopting protocols to clean and disinfect in the event of a positive COVID-19 case in the workplace.
 - (5) Adopting policies to prevent workers from entering the premises if they display respiratory symptoms or have had contact with a person who is known or suspected to have COVID-19.
 - (6) Any other social distancing practices and mitigation measures recommended by the Centers for Disease Control.
6. All in-person government activities at whatever level (state, county, or local) that are not necessary to sustain or protect life, or to supporting those businesses and operations that are necessary to sustain or protect life, are suspended.
- (a) For purposes of this order, necessary government activities include activities performed by critical infrastructure workers, including workers in law enforcement, public safety, and first responders.
 - (b) Such activities also include, but are not limited to, public transit, trash pick-up and disposal, activities necessary to manage and oversee elections, operations necessary to enable transactions that support the work of a business's or operation's critical infrastructure workers, and the maintenance of safe and sanitary public parks so as to allow for outdoor recreation.

- (c) For purposes of this order, necessary government activities include minimum basic operations, as described in section 4(b). Workers performing such activities need not be designated.
- (d) Any in-person government activities must be performed consistently with the social distancing practices and other mitigation measures to protect workers and patrons described in section 5(c).

7. Exceptions.

- (a) Individuals may leave their home or place of residence, and travel as necessary:
 - (1) To engage in outdoor activity, including walking, hiking, running, cycling, or any other recreational activity consistent with remaining at least six feet from people from outside the individual's household.
 - (2) To perform their jobs as critical infrastructure workers after being so designated by their employers. (Critical infrastructure workers who need not be designated under section 5(a) may leave their home for work without a designation.)
 - (3) To conduct minimum basic operations, as described in section 4(b), after being designated to perform such work by their employers.
 - (4) To perform necessary government activities, as described in section 6.
 - (5) To perform tasks that are necessary to their health and safety, or to the health and safety of their family or household members (including pets). Individuals may, for example, leave the home or place of residence to secure medication or to seek medical or dental care that is necessary to address a medical emergency or to preserve the health and safety of a household or family member (including procedures that, in accordance with a duly implemented nonessential procedures postponement plan, have not been postponed).
 - (6) To obtain necessary services or supplies for themselves, their family or household members, and their vehicles. *Individuals must secure such services or supplies via delivery to the maximum extent possible.* As needed, however, individuals may leave the home or place of residence to purchase groceries, take-out food, gasoline, needed medical supplies, and any other products necessary to maintain the safety, sanitation, and basic operation of their residences.
 - (7) To care for a family member or a family member's pet in another household.

- (8) To care for minors, dependents, the elderly, persons with disabilities, or other vulnerable persons.
 - (9) To visit an individual under the care of a health care facility, residential care facility, or congregate care facility, to the extent otherwise permitted.
 - (10) To attend legal proceedings or hearings for essential or emergency purposes as ordered by a court.
 - (11) To work or volunteer for businesses or operations (including both and religious and secular nonprofit organizations) that provide food, shelter, and other necessities of life for economically disadvantaged or otherwise needy individuals, individuals who need assistance as a result of this emergency, and people with disabilities.
- (b) Individuals may also travel:
- (1) To return to a home or place of residence from outside this state.
 - (2) To leave this state for a home or residence elsewhere.
 - (3) To travel between two residences in this state.
 - (4) As required by law enforcement or a court order, including the transportation of children pursuant to a custody agreement.
8. For purposes of this order, critical infrastructure workers are those workers described by the Director of the U.S. Cybersecurity and Infrastructure Security Agency in his guidance of March 19, 2020 on the COVID-19 response (available [here](#)). Such workers include some workers in each of the following sectors:
- (a) Health care and public health.
 - (b) Law enforcement, public safety, and first responders.
 - (c) Food and agriculture.
 - (d) Energy.
 - (e) Water and wastewater.
 - (f) Transportation and logistics.
 - (g) Public works.
 - (h) Communications and information technology, including news media.
 - (i) Other community-based government operations and essential functions.

- (j) Critical manufacturing.
- (k) Hazardous materials.
- (l) Financial services.
- (m) Chemical supply chains and safety.
- (n) Defense industrial base.

9. For purposes of this order, critical infrastructure workers also include:

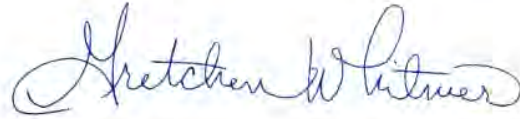
- (a) Child care workers (including workers at disaster relief child care centers), but only to the extent necessary to serve the children or dependents of critical infrastructure workers as defined in this order. This category includes individuals (whether licensed or not) who have arranged to care for the children or dependents of critical infrastructure workers.
- (b) Workers at designated suppliers and distribution centers, as described below.
 - (1) A business or operation that employs critical infrastructure workers may designate suppliers, distribution centers, or service providers whose continued operation is necessary to enable, support, or facilitate the work of its critical infrastructure workers.
 - (2) Such suppliers, distribution centers, or service providers may designate workers as critical infrastructure workers *only* to the extent those workers are necessary to enable, support, or facilitate the work of the original operation's or business's critical infrastructure workers.
 - (3) Designated suppliers, distribution centers, and service providers may in turn designate additional suppliers, distribution centers, and service providers whose continued operation is necessary to enable, support, or facilitate the work of their critical infrastructure workers.
 - (4) Such additional suppliers, distribution centers, and service providers may designate workers as critical infrastructure workers *only* to the extent that those workers are necessary to enable, support, or facilitate the work of the critical infrastructure workers at the supplier, distribution center, or service provider that has designated them.
 - (5) Businesses, operations, suppliers, distribution centers, and service providers must make all designations in writing to the entities they are designating, whether by electronic message, public website, or other appropriate means. Such designations may be made orally until March 31, 2020 at 11:59 pm.

- (6) Businesses, operations, suppliers, distribution centers, and service providers that abuse their designation authority shall be subject to sanctions to the fullest extent of the law.
 - (c) Workers in the insurance industry, but only to the extent that their work cannot be done by telephone or remotely.
 - (d) Workers and volunteers for businesses or operations (including both and religious and secular nonprofit organizations) that provide food, shelter, and other necessities of life for economically disadvantaged or otherwise needy individuals, individuals who need assistance as a result of this emergency, and people with disabilities.
 - (e) Workers who perform critical labor union functions, including those who administer health and welfare funds and those who monitor the well-being and safety of union members who are critical infrastructure workers, provided that any administration or monitoring should be done by telephone or remotely where possible.
- 10. Nothing in this order should be taken to supersede another executive order or directive that is in effect, except to the extent this order imposes more stringent limitations on in-person work, activities, and interactions. Consistent with prior guidance, a place of religious worship, when used for religious worship, is not subject to penalty under section 14.
 - 11. Nothing in this order should be taken to interfere with or infringe on the powers of the legislative and judicial branches to perform their constitutional duties or exercise their authority.
 - 12. This order takes effect on March 24, 2020 at 12:01 am, and continues through April 13, 2020 at 11:59 pm.
 - 13. The governor will evaluate the continuing need for this order prior to its expiration. In determining whether to maintain, intensify, or relax its restrictions, she will consider, among other things, (1) data on COVID-19 infections and the disease's rate of spread; (2) whether sufficient medical personnel, hospital beds, and ventilators exist to meet anticipated medical need; (3) the availability of personal protective equipment for the health-care workforce; (4) the state's capacity to test for COVID-19 cases and isolate infected people; and (5) economic conditions in the state.
 - 14. Consistent with MCL 10.33 and MCL 30.405(3), a willful violation of this order is a misdemeanor.

Given under my hand and the Great Seal of the State of Michigan.

Date: March 23, 2020

Time: 10:39 am



GRETCHEN WHITMER
GOVERNOR

By the Governor:

SECRETARY OF STATE

**St. Louis County Department of Public Health
2019 Novel Coronavirus (“COVID-19”)
Stay at Home Order**

I. Background

The St. Louis County Department of Public Health (“DPH”) has been closely monitoring an outbreak of respiratory illness caused by COVID-19. Infections with COVID-19 have been reported around the world. The first confirmed instance of person-to-person spread of the virus in the United States was reported on January 30, 2020. The first confirmed instance of COVID-19 in St. Louis County was reported on March 7, 2020. A state of emergency was declared in St. Louis County on March 13, 2020, and several executive orders have been issued since authorizing the director of DPH to issue orders, policies, and other rules to implement those executive orders.

COVID-19 is considered an infectious, contagious, communicable, and dangerous disease for purposes of §§ 192.020-1, 192.139, & 193.300, RSMo., 19 CSR 20-20.020, and other state and local laws. The DPH’s director is the “local health authority” under 19 CSR 20-20.050(1) pursuant to 19 CSR 20-20.010(24), Section 4.130 of the Charter, and Section 600.010 SLCRO, and has been delegated the authority to act on St. Louis County’s behalf for the public health purposes described in § 193.300, RSMo.

Violating a public health order designed to “prevent the entrance of infectious, contagious, communicable or dangerous diseases” into St. Louis County is punishable as a misdemeanor pursuant to § 192.300, RSMo. Further, “[a]ny person . . . who shall leave any . . . quarantined house or place without the consent of the health officer having jurisdiction, or who evades or breaks quarantine or knowingly conceals a case of contagious, infectious, or communicable disease, or who removes, destroys, obstructs from view, or tears down any quarantine card, cloth or notice by the attending physician or by the health officer, or by direction of the proper health officer, shall be deemed guilty of a class A misdemeanor” pursuant to § 192.320, RSMo.

II. Purpose

The intent of this order is to ensure that the maximum number of people remain in their places of residence to the maximum extent feasible, while enabling essential services to continue, to slow the spread of COVID-19 within St. Louis County. When people leave their place of residence, whether to obtain or perform essential services, or to otherwise facilitate otherwise authorized activities, they should at all times reasonably comply with Social Distancing Requirements.

III. Definitions

For purposes of this order, these terms, regardless of whether capitalized, are defined as follows:

- A. "Business" or "businesses" means any for-profit companies, non-profit organizations, benevolent associations, limited liability companies, or partnerships, regardless of legal organization, form, entity, tax-treatment, or structure;
- B. "CDC" means the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention of the United States Department of Health and Human Services;
- C. "County" means St. Louis County, Missouri;
- D. "Disqualified Businesses" means any Essential Business that is disqualified from being an Essential Business pursuant to Section IV(I), by order of the Director of the Department of Public Health, or by judicial decree or court order;
- E. "Essential Activities" means activities that are necessary for a person to:
 - 1. act or perform tasks essential to any person's health and safety, or to the health and safety of their family, household members, or pets, including but not limited to obtaining medical supplies or medication, visiting a health care professional, obtaining supplies needed to work from home, or laundering clothing;
 - 2. obtain Necessary Services or Supplies for themselves and their family, household members, or pets, or to deliver Necessary Services or Supplies to others;
 - 3. engage in Essential Travel;
 - 4. shop for grocery products, food, beverages, or other household and consumer products (for example, cleaning or personal care products including but not limited to products necessary to maintain the safety, sanitation, communication, and the essential operation of Residences);
 - 5. engage in services or perform work necessary to operate or maintain Essential Infrastructure;
 - 6. engage in outdoor activity (including walking, hiking, running, or biking) to the extent reasonably consistent with Social Distancing Requirements (including, for example, walking outdoors six feet away from another person);
 - 7. participate in religious services and other spiritual practices but only to the extent consistent with reasonable compliance with Social Distancing Requirements and gathering size limitations;
 - 8. acts consisting of providing Essential Products and Services to a Residence, an Essential Business, or to a business in order for that business to maintain Minimum Basic Operations;

9. activities at open construction sites, irrespective of types of structures, subject to applicable OSHA and other safety guidelines, and related architectural, design, and land surveying activities, so long as the people involved reasonably comply with Social Distancing Requirements to the extent consistent with applicable safety guidelines;
 10. necessary care for a dependent in the person's legal custody, including acts essential for a parent with legal custody to transfer the physical custody of a child;
 11. care for a family member in another household;
 12. engage in Essential Government Functions;
 13. engage in Healthcare Operations;
 14. exercise constitutional rights to the extent that by so acting the person does not endanger the public health and safety or the health and safety of any person;
 15. acts consisting of providing Essential Products and Services to the federal government, the state government, St. Louis County, or any municipality or political subdivision within St. Louis County; or to
 16. act or perform tasks approved pursuant to an order of the Director of the Department of Public Health.
- F. "Essential Businesses" means, with the exception of Disqualified Businesses, the following:
1. Healthcare Operations;
 2. Essential Infrastructure;
 3. Essential Government Functions;
 4. grocery stores, farmers' markets, farm stands, produce stands, supermarkets, food banks, food pantries, convenience stores, or other establishments engaged in the retail sale of or providing canned food, dry goods, fruits, vegetables, pet supply, meats, fish, and poultry, or any household consumer products (e.g., cleaning or personal care products), including but not limited to stores that sell groceries and also sell other non-grocery products, and products necessary to maintaining the safety, sanitation, and essential operation of Residences;
 5. businesses that engage in food cultivation, including farming, livestock, and fishing;
 6. businesses that engage in food production, manufacturing, processing, packaging, wholesaling, storage, warehousing, or distribution;

7. businesses that provide food, shelter, social services, or other necessities of life for economically disadvantaged or people otherwise in need of social services (including but not limited to individuals with physical, intellectual, or developmental disabilities);
8. newspapers, television stations, radio stations, and other media services, whether private or public;
9. gas stations, auto-supply, auto-repair, and related facilities;
10. banks, financial institutions, broker-dealers, asset managers, businesses that process payroll for any other business, and businesses that process financial transactions and services;
11. trash collection and disposal;
12. hardware stores;
13. inns, hotels, motels, and bed and breakfast establishments;
14. plumbers, electricians, exterminators, and other service providers who provide services that are necessary to maintaining the safety, sanitation, communication, and essential operations of Residences, Healthcare Operations, Essential Infrastructure, Essential Government Services, Essential Activities, or other Essential Businesses;
15. businesses that perform construction services;
16. businesses providing mailing and shipping services, including post office boxes;
17. educational institutions, including public and private K-12 schools, colleges, and universities for purposes of facilitating distance learning, provided that Social Distancing Requirements are maintained to the greatest extent possible;
18. businesses providing private security services in accordance with applicable laws;
19. laundromats, dry cleaners, and laundry service providers;
20. funeral homes, crematoriums, cremation, burial, mortuary services, and cemeteries;
21. churches, religious services, and other spiritual practices but only to the extent consistent with reasonable compliance with Social Distancing Requirements and gathering size limitations;
22. storage for Essential Businesses;
23. restaurants and other facilities that prepare or serve food, but only in compliance with applicable orders of the Director of the Department of Public Health;

24. businesses that provide emergency repair and safety services for Essential Infrastructure;
25. businesses that supply products needed for people to work from home;
26. businesses that supply Essential Businesses with the support or supplies necessary to operate, including but not limited to maintenance, security, janitorial, and other similar services;
27. businesses that ship or deliver groceries, food, beverages, goods, or services to Residences or other Essential Businesses;
28. non-profit organizations to the extent that the organizations are providing financial or social support for people and businesses that are impacted by COVID-19;
29. businesses that manufacture or supply products necessary to meet the Social Distancing Requirements, including but not limited to manufacturers of hand sanitizers and other hygiene, health, and cleaning products, and the businesses whose products and services are necessary to the ongoing operation of the businesses whose products are necessary to meet the Social Distancing Requirements;
30. businesses that provide personal and transportation services including airlines, taxis, transportation network providers, livery services, vehicle rental services, and other private transportation providers providing transportation services necessary for Essential Activities and other purposes expressly authorized in this Order;
31. businesses or agencies providing public transportation or paratransit;
32. businesses that provide home-based care for the health of seniors, adults, or children;
33. residential facilities and shelters for seniors, adults, or children, including but not limited to those for survivors of family violence, domestic violence, intimate partner violence, child abuse, or child neglect;
34. defense and national security-related operations supporting the federal government or a contractor to the federal government;
35. professional services, such as legal or accounting services, when necessary to assist in compliance with legally mandated activities or to assist a person in the exercise of constitutional rights, including but not limited to services required by a court order, a court rule, a fiduciary duty, a duty to the person's client, or an ethical obligation;
36. businesses and agencies that provide and help to determine eligibility for basic

needs including food, cash assistance, medical coverage, childcare, vocational services, or rehabilitation services;

37. adoption agencies;

38. labor union essential activities, including the administration of health and welfare funds and personnel checking on the well-being and safety of members providing services in Essential Businesses provided that these checks should be done by telephone or remotely where possible;

39. professional services, such as legal or accounting services, when related to the necessary activities of Essential Businesses; and

40. businesses or independent providers that provide childcare or other dependent services but only to the extent that they provide services to people who are necessary employees of Essential Businesses, and including specifically without limitation Healthcare Operations, police departments, fire districts, jails, corrections medicine services, emergency management functions, food distribution companies, groceries, restaurants, pharmacies, public transit agencies, or businesses that manufacture or supply products necessary to meet Social Distancing Requirements, provided that they take reasonable actions to comply with Social Distancing Requirements, and provided that:

- i. childcare must be carried out in stable groups of twelve or fewer (“stable” means that the same twelve or fewer children are in the same group each day);
- ii. children shall not change from one group to another in the same day;
- iii. if more than one group of children is cared for at one facility, each group shall be in a separate room and groups shall not mix with each other; and
- iv. childcare providers shall remain solely with one group of children in the same day.

G. “Essential Government Functions” means all services needed to ensure the continuing operation of federal, state, or local government departments, offices, agencies, officials, political subdivisions, entities created by intergovernmental agreement, essential court functions as determined by the Presiding Judge or the Presiding Judge’s designee, and any other government functions necessary to provide for the health, safety, and welfare of the public;

H. “Essential Infrastructure” means operation and maintenance of utilities, power generation, electric and gas transmission and distribution facilities, water, wastewater, public works, construction (in particular, without exclusion, skilled trades, construction of affordable housing, construction for housing for individuals experiencing homelessness, and related construction firms and professionals), airport operations (including, without exclusion, airport concessions, airport parking

facilities, on-airport construction, air transportation employees, air traffic controllers, ramp personnel, aviation security, and aviation management), sewer, gas, electrical, oil refining, roads, highways, public transportation, solid waste collection and removal, internet, telecommunications systems (including essential global, national, and local infrastructure for computing services, business infrastructure, communications, and web-based services), data centers, logistics facilities and providers (including warehouses, trucking, consolidators, fumigators and handlers), distribution facilities, sorting facilities, and the design and construction of supply chain facilities such as logistics distribution and sorting facilities for commerce and food goods;

- I. “Essential Products and Services” means products and services that are necessary for Essential Activities, Essential Government Functions, Essential Infrastructure, Essential Travel, Essential Businesses, Minimum Basic Operations, or Healthcare Operations (including ancillary operations, maintenance, and support activities that are necessary to deliver the Essential Products and Services);
- J. “Essential Travel” means travel that is necessary to serve any of the following purposes:
 - 1. travel related to Essential Activities, Essential Government Functions, Essential Infrastructure, Essential Travel, Essential Businesses, Minimum Basic Operations, or Healthcare Operations;
 - 2. travel to care for elderly, minors, dependents, persons with disabilities, or other vulnerable or High Risk people;
 - 3. travel to an Essential Business to purchase goods or services from the Essential Business;
 - 4. travel to or from educational institutions for purposes of receiving materials for distance learning, for receiving meals, and any other related services;
 - 5. travel to return to a place of Residence from outside the jurisdiction;
 - 6. travel required by court order;
 - 7. travel required by directions from law enforcement personnel with authority; and
 - 8. travel required for non-residents to return to their place of Residence outside the County.
- K. “Gathering” means an occasion when people come together as a group, whether formal or informal and whether public or private;
- L. “Health” means the physical, mental, psychological, or psychiatric health of any person;

- M. "Healthcare Operations" means hospitals, clinics, dentists, doctors, physicians, nurses, medical assistants, social workers, speech pathologists, diagnostic and therapeutic technicians and technologists, respiratory therapists, occupational and physical therapists, public health and community health workers, blood donation-related organizations, organizations collecting blood, organizations collecting plasma, organizations collecting platelets, reproductive health care providers, eye care centers (including those that sell glasses and contact lenses), substance abuse counselors, pharmacies, pharmaceutical and biotechnology companies, doctor offices, dentist offices, healthcare facilities, healthcare suppliers, home healthcare services providers, mental health providers, any ancillary healthcare services, research and laboratory services, hospital and laboratory personnel, walk-in health facilities, elder care, medical wholesale and distribution, veterinary care, veterinarians, animal health services, workers providing COVID-19 testing, workers that perform critical clinical research needed for the COVID-19 response, facilities licensed pursuant to state constitutional amendment, the design and construction of healthcare and research-related facilities including businesses that support the function and care for healthcare entities, and manufacturers and distributors of personal protective equipment, durable medical equipment, or other equipment used in the provision of healthcare. This definition shall be construed broadly to avoid any impacts to the delivery of healthcare, broadly defined, however "Healthcare Operations" does not include fitness and exercise gyms, esthetician services, tattoo parlors, tanning facilities, spas, massage facilities, or similar facilities;
- N. "High Risk" means a person who is any one of the following: (a) over sixty years of age; (b) has a chronic health condition such as heart disease, lung disease, or diabetes; (c) is immune-compromised; or (d) is pregnant;
- O. "Intentional" means an act done with a purpose or with deliberation;
- P. "Minimum Basic Operations" means the minimum necessary activities to maintain the value of a business's inventory, provide security, process payroll or employee benefits, or to facilitate employees of the business being able to continue to work remotely from their Residences.
- Q. "Necessary Services or Supplies" means services, supplies, or funds needed to engage in Essential Activities and support Essential Infrastructure;
- R. "Organizes" means intentionally coordinate, to make arrangements for, or to make preparations for an event or an activity;
- S. "Prohibited Activities" means any of the following:
1. any gathering of ten or more people in a single space or room, unless otherwise specifically permitted by this Order; or
 2. activities regarding places of public amusement, whether indoors or outdoors, including but not limited to locations with amusement rides, carnivals, amusement parks, water parks, aquariums, zoos, museums, arcades, fairs, children's play

centers, playgrounds, funplexes, theme parks, bowling alleys, movie and other theatres, concert and music halls, country clubs, golf clubs (with the narrow exceptions of playing golf and driving ranges where Social Distancing Requirements are strictly followed and enforced), social clubs, and athletic clubs.

- T. "Residences" means a house, a condominium unit, an apartment unit, a dwelling, a hotel room, a motel room, a shared rental unit, shelters, or similar facilities but extends only within the bounds of the person's ownership, the person's leasehold interest, or the space occupied in a hotel, motel or shared rental unit and does not include common areas;
- U. "Social Distancing Requirements" means maintaining at least six-foot social distancing from other individuals, washing hands with soap and water for at least twenty seconds as frequently as possible or using hand sanitizer with more than sixty percent alcohol, covering coughs or sneezes with something other than hands, regularly cleaning high-touch surfaces, and not shaking hands, or as otherwise defined by order; and
- V. "Travel" means moving from place to place.

IV. Stay at Home Requirements

A. Allowed Conduct

1. A person may be outside their Residence only to engage in Essential Activities. Otherwise, every person in St. Louis County, including incorporated and unincorporated areas, shall be and shall remain within their Residence.
2. Any person who is outside their Residence to engage in an Essential Activity shall reasonably comply with Social Distancing Requirements.
3. All public parks and open outdoor recreation areas are encouraged to remain open. Because playgrounds may increase the spread of COVID-19, all playgrounds shall be closed with appropriate notices posted.
4. Individuals experiencing homelessness are exempt from Section IV(A)(1), but are strongly urged to obtain shelter, and governmental and other entities are strongly urged to make such shelter available as soon as possible and to the maximum extent practicable. Individuals whose residences are unsafe or become unsafe, such as victims of domestic violence, are permitted and urged to leave their home and stay at a safe alternative location.

B. Gatherings

1. No person shall organize or attend an Intentional Gathering of any number of people occurring outside a Residence, Essential Business, or while engaging in an Essential Activity.

2. Nothing in this Order shall be interpreted to prohibit Gatherings of members of a single household.

C. Businesses

1. Essential Businesses may continue necessary activities so long as they comply, to the maximum extent possible, with Social Distancing Requirements for both employees and members of the public, including but not limited to, customers standing in line. All Essential Businesses are strongly encouraged to remain open.
2. All businesses other than Essential Businesses shall cease all activities within the County except:
 - i. Minimum Basic Operations; and
 - ii. business activities consisting of employees or contractors performing activities at their own Residences (*i.e.*, working from home). Businesses may provide pickup or delivery services so long as they otherwise comply with this Order.
3. No businesses or persons may operate or engage in a Prohibited Activity.

D. Travel

1. Any person may engage in Essential Travel and travel necessary to engage in Essential Activities. All other travel is prohibited.
2. People shall use public transit only for purposes of performing Essential Activities or to travel to and from work to operate Essential Businesses, Healthcare Operations, or to maintain Essential Governmental Functions or Minimum Basic Operations. People riding on public transit must comply with Social Distancing Requirements.
3. This Order allows travel into or out of the County to perform Essential Activities, operate Essential Businesses, or maintain Essential Governmental Functions or Minimum Basic Operations.

E. Schools and Social Services Providing Food: Schools and other entities that ordinarily provide food services to students or members of the public may continue to do so under this Order provided that the food is provided to students or members of the public on a pick-up and take-away basis only. Schools and other entities, other than childcare facilities, that provide food services under this paragraph shall not permit the food to be eaten onsite.

F. Exemptions: All 911 call center employees, fire personnel, corrections personnel, Fusion Center employees, hazardous material responders from government or the private sector, workers maintaining digital systems infrastructure supporting law

enforcement and emergency service operations, first responders, emergency management personnel, emergency dispatchers, court personnel, law enforcement personnel, and people designated by the County Executive who are necessary in the performance of Essential Government Functions are exempt from this Order to the extent such people are performing these functions.

- G. Access to Essential Governmental Functions: Nothing in this Order shall prohibit any individual from performing or accessing Essential Governmental Functions.
- H. Application with Other Laws: Unless otherwise specifically provided or suspended in this Order, any order of the Director of the Department of Public Health, or any Executive Order, this Order shall not supplant, supersede, replace, rescind, amend, or modify any other law, ordinance, rule, regulation, or permit condition or requirement, including but not limited to those that may apply to Essential Business or Essential Activities.
- I. Enforcement: In addition to the criminal enforcement authority of the Prosecuting Attorney, the County Counselor is delegated the authority to take appropriate actions with respect to any person or business that has failed to comply or attempted to fail to comply with this Order, including, after offering notice and an opportunity to be heard that are reasonable in the circumstances, reclassifying an Essential Business as a Disqualified Business, or other actions the County Counselor may deem appropriate to ensure compliance with this Order, to address non-compliance, or to deter non-compliance by others. For purposes of this paragraph, notice to an Essential Business is presumptively reasonable if it is in writing, gives the Essential Business an opportunity to respond within a time that is reasonable in the circumstances (not to be less than two hours), and is addressed either to the chief executive, general counsel, counsel of record, or registered agent of the Essential Business. The County Counselor may also seek emergency injunctive or other civil relief as the County Counselor deems appropriate. Any action by the County Counselor, if taken after consulting the Director of the Department of Public Health, shall be considered an emergency proceeding that is necessary to protect the public health and safety.

V. Effective Date

This Order shall become effective at 12:01 A.M. on Monday, March 23, 2020, and continue in effect through 11:59 P.M. on April 22, 2020. This Order shall not be enforced with respect to any person travelling to or at their place of business, work, or employment on March 23, 2020, so long as every such person shall reasonably comply with Social Distancing Requirements.

VI. Savings Clause

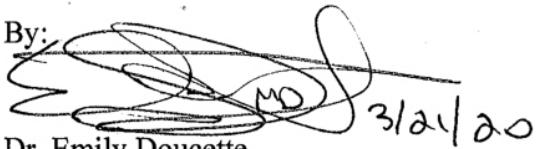
If any provision of this Order or its application to any person or circumstance is held to be invalid, then the remainder of the Order, including the application of such part or provision to other persons or circumstances, shall not be affected and shall continue in full force and effect. To this end, the provisions of this Order are severable.

VII. Authorization

This Order is authorized pursuant to Executive Orders 10 through 15, which are incorporated herein by reference, and to Missouri and St. Louis County law, including §§ 192.006, 192.200 and 192.300, RSMo., 19 CSR 20-20.050 of the Rules of the Department of Health and Senior Services.

So Ordered:

By:

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to be "MD" followed by a stylized flourish, with the date "3/24/20" written to the right.

Dr. Emily Doucette
Acting Director
Chief Medical Officer
St. Louis County Department of Public Health

STAY HOME - ESSENTIAL ACTIVITIES ONLY ORDER
HEALTH COMMISSIONER'S ORDER NO. 5

This Order shall become effective at 6:00 p.m., on March 23, 2020 and will continue to be in effect until 6:00 p.m. on April 22, 2020, or until it is extended, rescinded, superseded, or amended in writing by me.

My intent is to ensure that the maximum number of people stay at home to slow the spread of COVID-19. All provisions of this Order shall be interpreted to effectuate this intent.

In all cases, including the exceptions described herein, individuals must adhere to social distancing recommendations, that include maintaining at least six-feet social distancing from other individuals.

In all cases, individuals should adhere to preventive recommendations that include washing hands with soap and water for at least twenty seconds as frequently as possible or using hand sanitizer, covering coughs or sneezes (into the sleeve or elbow, not hands), regularly cleaning high-touch surfaces, not shaking hands, and staying home if you feel ill.

By the authority vested in me by Article XIII, Section 14-C (c) of the Charter of the City of St. Louis and by 19 CSR 20-20.050 (c) of the Code of State Regulations, I hereby order as follows:

I. Individuals

All individuals living within the City of St. Louis are ordered to remain at home except as needed for the following activities:

- (a) To perform tasks essential to the health and safety of individuals, their family, household members and pets, such as obtaining medical supplies or medication, visiting a health care professional, or obtaining supplies necessary to work from home.
- (b) To obtain or deliver necessary foods, services or supplies for themselves, household members or others necessary to maintain safety and sanitation.
- (c) Outdoor walking or exercise provided they maintain social distancing of at least six feet from any other person.
- (d) Going to work wherein allowed.

II. Businesses and Governmental Operations

All businesses are allowed to maintain the value of inventory and infrastructure, provide security, process payroll or employee benefits, or facilitate employees working remotely, but are required to cease all other activities.

The following businesses, not-for-profits, institutions, are exempt from the above requirements:

- (a) Healthcare facilities and businesses that produce or provide medical care, supplies or medicine. This provision does not include fitness centers or gyms, massage parlors, tattoo parlors, salons, barbershops, nail salons or similar establishments;
- (b) Grocery stores, convenience stores, or other establishments engaged in the retail sale of food or other household consumer products;
- (c) Restaurants and bars, but only for pickup/curbside/carry-out/take-out/delivery;
- (d) Businesses, not-for-profits, or institutions that ship or deliver groceries, food, or goods;
- (e) Businesses, not-for-profits, or institutions that provide food, shelter, utilities, social services, or other necessities;
- (f) Food cultivation, including farming, livestock, and fishing;
- (g) Food and beverage wholesaling, storage, warehousing, and distribution businesses;
- (h) Newspapers, television, radio and other media;
- (i) Gas stations, vehicle-supply, vehicle-repair, and related facilities;
- (j) Banks and financial institutions;
- (k) Hardware stores;
- (l) Businesses, not-for-profits, or institutions providing mailing and shipping services, including post office boxes;
- (m) Laundromats and laundry service providers;
- (n) Transportation services including rental, taxis and rideshares;

- (o) Home-based care for seniors, adults, or children;
- (p) Facilities and shelters for adults and children;
- (q) Long-term care facilities, including hospice;
- (r) Hotels and other commercial lodging;
- (s) Professional services (e.g. accountants, lawyers, engineers);
- (t) Construction;
- (u) Childcare facilities providing services to first responders, and all emergency personnel;
- (v) Manufacture, distribution, and supply chain for exempt businesses;
- (w) Federal, state, and local government; and
- (x) Such other exceptions as I may specifically designate.

Date:

3/21/2020

SO ORDERED:



Fredrick Echols, M.D.
Director of Health & Hospitals/Health Commissioner

STATE OF INDIANA

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT INDIANAPOLIS

EXECUTIVE ORDER 20-08

FOR: DIRECTIVE FOR HOOSIERS TO STAY AT HOME

TO ALL WHOM THESE PRESENTS MAY COME, GREETINGS:

WHEREAS, on March 6, 2020, I issued Executive Order 20-02, which declared that a public health emergency exists throughout the State of Indiana as result of the coronavirus disease 2019 ("COVID-19") outbreak in the United States and a confirmed report that a single Hoosier, living in one county, had contracted the virus;

WHEREAS, since then, on March 11, 2020, the World Health Organization declared COVID-19 to be a global pandemic, and, on March 13, 2020, the President of the United States declared a national emergency with respect to this dangerous virus;

WHEREAS, as of the date of this Executive Order, the virus has now spread to more than forty (40) counties throughout Indiana and caused several deaths, with these numbers expected to increase in the days ahead;

WHEREAS, on March 16, 2020, I issued Executive Order 20-04 which, among other things: (a) established that Indiana would adhere to the guidance of the Centers for Disease Control & Prevention ("CDC") for large events and gatherings; (b) encouraged all Indiana residents to heed the advice of the CDC, the Indiana State Department of Health ("ISDH"), the Indiana Department of Homeland Security ("IDHS"), as well as other healthcare and emergency officials in connection with this public health emergency; and (c) proclaimed it to be the duty of every person in our State and every entity doing business in Indiana, including all governmental bodies, agencies, authorities and officials of any nature, to cooperate fully with the Commissioner of the ISDH and the Executive Director of IDHS on all matters concerning this public health emergency;

WHEREAS, despite significant steps being taken in our State, this virus remains a serious threat to the health, safety, and welfare of all residents of Indiana, and further efforts are needed to address, control, and reduce the evolving threat posed by COVID-19;

WHEREAS, as Governor, I have broad authority and powers under Indiana law to declare and respond to public health emergencies on behalf of our State, including, but not limited to: (a) making, amending, and rescinding the necessary orders, rules, and regulations to carry out Indiana's Emergency Management & Disaster Law and its purposes, Ind. Code ch. 10-14-3 (the "Emergency Disaster Law"); (b) employing any measure and giving any direction to the ISDH and local boards of health as is reasonably necessary for securing compliance with the Emergency Disaster Law or with the findings or recommendations of the ISDH or local boards of health because of conditions arising from the actual or threatened emergency; and (c) controlling ingress to and egress from a disaster area (here, the entire State of Indiana), the movement of persons within said area, and the occupancy of premises in said area;

WHEREAS, the ISDH, which reports to me as the Governor, also has broad legal authority and powers in connection with public health emergencies (Ind. Code ch. 16-19-3), including, for example, the powers to do what is reasonable and necessary for the prevention and suppression of disease, to forbid public gatherings when necessary to prevent and stop epidemics, to bring actions in the courts for the enforcement of health laws, and all powers necessary to fulfill the duties prescribed by law; and

WHEREAS, in light of the above, and after consultation with and the concurrence of the ISDH and its Commissioner, it is necessary and proper to take further actions to protect the health, safety and welfare of all Hoosiers in connection with the continuing and evolving threat posed by COVID-19, as more particularly described herein;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Eric J. Holcomb, by virtue of the authority vested in me as Governor by the Indiana Constitution and the laws of the State of Indiana, do hereby order:

1. Defined Terms and Phrases

In order to properly understand the full, complete and proper meaning of this Executive Order, please read and consult the definitions of the terms and phrases which are shown by underlining and found throughout this Executive Order, as follows:

- a. Essential Activities: Page 3
- b. Essential Businesses and Operations: Pages 5-8
- c. Essential Governmental Functions: Page 5
- d. Essential Infrastructure: Pages 4-5
- e. Essential Travel: Page 8
- f. Healthcare & Public Health Operations: Page 4
- g. Human Services Operations: Page 4
- h. Minimum Basic Operations: Page 8
- i. Social Distancing Requirements: Page 9

2. Duration

This Executive Order shall be effective at 11:59 p.m. on March 24, 2020, and remain in full force and effect until 11:59 p.m. on April 6, 2020, unless the I rescind, modifies, or extend this Executive Order.

3. Stay at Home or Place of Residence

With exceptions as outlined below, all individuals currently living in the State of Indiana are ordered to stay at home or their place of residence, except as allowed in this Executive Order.

To the extent that individuals are using shared or outdoor spaces when outside of their homes or residences, they must at all times, and as much as reasonably possible, maintain social distancing of at least six (6) feet from any other person, with the exception of family or household members, consistent with the Social Distancing Requirements set forth in this Executive Order. All persons may leave their homes or residences only for Essential Activities, Essential Governmental Functions, or to participate in Essential Businesses and Operations, all as defined below.

Individuals experiencing homelessness are exempt from this provision, but are strongly urged to obtain shelter, and governmental and other entities are strongly urged to make such shelter available as soon as reasonably possible and to the maximum extent practicable (and to use, in their operation, COVID-19 risk mitigation practices recommended by the CDC and the ISDH).

With respect to individuals whose residences are unsafe or become unsafe, such as, by way of example, victims of domestic violence, they are expressly permitted and urged to leave their home and stay at a safe alternative location.

For purposes of this Executive Order, the terms “homes” and “residences” include hotels, motels, shared rental units, shelters, and similar facilities.

4. Non-Essential Business and Operations Must Cease

All businesses and operations in the State of Indiana, except for Essential Businesses and Operations (as defined below), are hereby required to cease all activities within the State, except, however, for Minimum Basic Operations (as defined below). For purposes of clarity, businesses (which includes home-based businesses) may also continue operations consisting exclusively of employees or contractors performing activities at their own homes or residences (i.e., working from home).

All Essential Businesses and Operations are hereby encouraged to remain open. Further, Essential Businesses and Operations shall comply with the Social Distancing Requirements defined in this Executive Order, including by maintaining six-foot social distancing for both employees and members of the general public at all times, including, but not limited to, when any customers are standing in line.

5. Prohibited Activities

All public and private gatherings of any number of people that occur outside of a single household or living unit, are hereby prohibited, except, however, for the limited purposes permitted by this Executive Order. Any gathering of more than ten (10) people is hereby prohibited, unless exempted by this Executive Order. This is in accordance with the President's coronavirus guidelines issued on March 16, 2020. Nothing in this Executive Order prohibits the gathering of members of a household or residence.

All places of public amusement, whether indoors or outdoors, including, but not limited to, locations with amusement rides, carnivals, amusement parks, water parks, aquariums, zoos, museums, arcades, fairs, children's play centers, playgrounds, funplexes, theme parks, bowling alleys, movie and other theaters, concert and music halls, and country clubs or social clubs, shall be closed.

6. Prohibited and Permitted Travel

Only Essential Travel and Essential Activities (as defined herein) are permitted. People riding on public transit must comply with Social Distancing Requirements to the greatest extent feasible. This Executive Order allows travel into, or out of, the State of Indiana in order to maintain Essential Businesses and Operations and Minimum Basic Operations.

7. Leaving the Home for Essential Activities is Permitted

For purposes of this Executive Order, individuals may leave their homes or residences only to perform any of the following, which are deemed to be "Essential Activities" hereunder:

a. For Health and Safety

To engage in activities or perform tasks essential to their health and safety, or to the health and safety of their family or household members or persons who are unable or should not leave their home (including, but not limited to, pets), such as, by way of example and without limitation, seeking emergency services, obtaining medical supplies or medication, or visiting a health care professional.

b. For Necessary Supplies and Services

To obtain necessary services or supplies for themselves and their family or household members or persons who are unable or should not leave their home, or to deliver those services or supplies to others, such as, by way of example and without limitation, groceries and food, household consumer products, supplies they need in order to work from home, automobile supplies (including dealers, parts, supplies, repair and maintenance), and products necessary to maintain the safety, sanitation, and/or essential operation of homes or residences.

c. For Outdoor Activity

To engage in outdoor activity, provided that they comply with the Social Distancing Requirements (as defined below), such as, by way of example and without limitation, walking, hiking, running, or biking. Individuals may go to public parks and open outdoor recreation areas. However, public access playgrounds may increase spread of COVID-19, and therefore shall be closed.

d. For Certain Types of Work

To perform work providing essential products and services at Essential Businesses or Operations (which, as defined below, includes Essential Governmental Functions, Healthcare and Public Health Operations, Human Services Operations, and Essential Infrastructure) or to otherwise carry out activities specifically permitted or allowed by this Executive Order, including Minimum Basic Operations.

e. To Take Care of Others

To care for a family member, friend, or pet in another household, and to transport family members, friends, or pets as allowed by this Executive Order.

8. Elderly People & Those Vulnerable as a Result of Illness Should Take Additional Precautions

People at high risk of severe illness from COVID-19, including elderly people and those who are sick, are urged to stay in their residence to the extent possible, except as necessary to seek medical care. Nothing in this Executive Order prevents the ISDH or local health departments from issuing and enforcing isolation and quarantine orders.

9. Healthcare and Public Health Operations

For purposes of this Executive Order, individuals may leave their residences to work for, or to obtain services through, Healthcare and Public Health Operations.

The phrase “Healthcare and Public Health Operations” includes, but is not limited to, the following: hospitals; clinics; dental offices; pharmacies; public health entities, including those that compile, model, analyze and communicate public health information; pharmaceutical, pharmacy, medical device and equipment, and biotechnology companies (including operations, research and development, manufacture, and supply chain); organizations collecting blood, platelets, plasma, and other necessary materials; obstetricians and gynecologists; eye care centers, including those that sell glasses and contact lenses; home healthcare services providers; mental health and substance use providers; other healthcare facilities and suppliers and providers of any related and/or ancillary healthcare services; entities that transport and dispose of medical materials and remains; and veterinary care and all healthcare services provided to animals.

Also included in Healthcare and Public Health Operations are manufacturers, technicians, logistics, and warehouse operators and distributors of medical equipment, personal protective equipment (“PPE”), medical gases, pharmaceuticals, blood and blood products, vaccines, testing materials, laboratory supplies, cleaning, sanitizing, disinfecting or sterilization supplies, and tissue and paper towel products.

Fitness and exercise gyms, spas, salons, barber shops, tattoo parlors, and similar facilities are not included in Healthcare and Public Health Operations.

Further, the phrase “Healthcare and Public Health Operations” shall be construed broadly in order to avoid any impacts to the delivery of healthcare, broadly defined.

10. Human Services Operations

For purposes of this Executive Order, individuals may leave their homes and residences to work for or obtain services at any Human Services Operations, including any provider funded by the ISDH, Indiana Family and Social Services Administration, Indiana Medicaid, Indiana Division of Mental Health and Addiction, Indiana Department of Child Services, Indiana Department of Veterans Affairs and other similar governmental entities, that are providing services to the general public and including state-operated, institutional, or community-based settings providing human services to the public.

The phrase “Human Services Operations” includes, but is not limited to, the following: long-term care facilities; day care centers, day care homes, group day care homes; residential settings and shelters for adults, seniors, children, and/or people with developmental disabilities, intellectual disabilities, substance use disorders, and/or mental illness; transitional facilities; home-based settings to provide services to individuals with physical, intellectual, and/or developmental disabilities, seniors, adults, and children; field offices that provide and help to determine eligibility for basic needs including food, cash assistance, medical coverage, child care, vocational services, rehabilitation services; developmental centers; adoption agencies; businesses that provide food, shelter, and social services, and other necessities of life for economically disadvantaged individuals, individuals with physical, intellectual, and/or developmental disabilities, or otherwise needy individuals.

Further, the phrase “Human Services Operations” shall be construed broadly to avoid any impacts to the delivery of human services, broadly defined.

11. Essential Infrastructure

For purposes of this Executive Order, individuals may leave their homes and residences in order to provide any services or to perform any work necessary to offer, provision, operate, maintain, and repair Essential Infrastructure.

The phrase “Essential Infrastructure” includes, but is not limited to, the following: food production, distribution, fulfillment centers, storage facilities, marinas, and sale; construction (including, but not limited to, construction required in response to this public health emergency, hospital construction, construction of long-term care facilities, public works construction, school construction, essential business construction, and housing construction); building management and maintenance; airport operations; operation and maintenance of utilities, including, for example, water, sewer, and gas; electrical (including power generation, distribution, and production of raw materials); distribution centers; oil and biofuel refining; roads, highways, railroads, and public transportation; ports; cybersecurity operations; flood control; solid waste and recycling collection and removal; and internet, video, and telecommunications systems (including the provision of essential global, national, and local infrastructure for computing services, business infrastructure, communications, and web-based services).

Further, the phrase “Essential Infrastructure” shall be construed broadly in order to avoid any impacts to essential infrastructure, broadly defined.

12. Essential Governmental Functions

For purposes of this Executive Order, all first responders, law enforcement, emergency dispatchers and management personnel, legislators, judges, court personnel, jurors and grand jurors, corrections personnel, hazardous materials responders, child protection and child welfare personnel, housing and shelter personnel, military, and other governmental employees working for, or to support, Essential Businesses and Operations, are hereby categorically exempt from this Executive Order.

The phrase “Essential Governmental Functions” means all services provided by the State of Indiana or any municipality, township, county, political subdivision, board, commission or agency of government and needed to ensure the continuing operation of government agencies or to provide for or support the health, safety and welfare of the public, and including contractors performing Essential Governmental Functions. Each governmental body shall determine its Essential Governmental Functions and identify employees and/or contractors necessary to the performance of those functions.

This Executive Order does not apply to the United States government.

13. Businesses Covered by this Order

For the purposes of this Executive Order, covered businesses include any for-profit, non-profit, or educational entities, regardless of the nature of the service, the function it performs, or its corporate or entity structure.

14. Essential Businesses and Operations

For the purposes of this Executive Order, the phrase “Essential Businesses and Operations” means Healthcare and Public Health Operations, Human Services Operations, Essential Governmental Functions, and Essential Infrastructure, as well as the following:

a. CISA List

On March 19, 2020, the U.S. Department of Homeland Security, Cybersecurity & Infrastructure Security Agency (“CISA”), issued a Memorandum on Identification of Essential Critical Infrastructure Workers During COVID-19 Response. The definition of Essential Businesses and Operations in this Executive Order includes all of the workers identified in that Memorandum, which may be found or accessed at the following link: <https://www.cisa.gov/sites/default/files/publications/CISA-Guidance-on-Essential-Critical-Infrastructure-Workers-1-20-508c.pdf>.

b. Stores That Sell Groceries and Medicine

Grocery stores, pharmacies, certified farmer’s markets, farm and produce stands, supermarkets, convenience stores, and other establishments engaged in the retail sale of groceries, canned food, dry goods, frozen foods, fresh fruits and vegetables, pet supplies, fresh meats, fish, and poultry, prepared food, alcoholic and non-alcoholic beverages, any other household consumer products (such as cleaning and personal care products), and specifically includes their supply chain and administrative support operations. This includes stores that sell groceries, medicine (including medication not requiring a medical prescription), and also that sell other non-grocery products, and products necessary to maintaining the safety, sanitation, and essential operation of residences and Essential Businesses and Operations.

c. **Food, Beverage, and Agriculture**

Food and beverage manufacturing, production, processing, cultivation, including farming, livestock, fishing, baking, and other production agriculture, including cultivation, marketing, production, and distribution of animals and goods for consumption; and businesses that provide food, shelter, and other necessities of life for animals, including animal shelters, rescues, shelters, kennels, and adoption facilities.

d. **Organizations That Provide Charitable and Social Services**

Businesses and religious and secular non-profit organizations, including food banks, when providing food, shelter, and social services, and other necessities of life for economically disadvantaged or otherwise needy individuals, individuals who need assistance as a result of this emergency, and people with disabilities.

e. **Religious Entities**

Religious facilities, entities and groups, and religious gatherings, provided they adhere to the CDC's guidance on social gatherings.

f. **Media**

Newspapers, television, radio, and other media services.

g. **Gas Stations and Businesses Needed for Transportation**

Gas stations and auto supply, auto-repair, farm equipment, construction equipment, boat repair, and related facilities, and bicycle shops and related facilities.

h. **Financial and Insurance Institutions**

Banks, currency exchanges, consumer lenders, including, but not limited to, credit unions, pawnbrokers, consumer installment lenders and sales finance lenders, title companies, appraisers, financial markets, trading and futures exchanges, payday lenders, affiliates of financial institutions, entities that issue bonds, related financial institutions, and institutions selling financial products. Also, insurance companies, underwriters, agents, brokers, and related insurance claims and agency services.

i. **Hardware and Supply Stores**

Hardware stores and businesses that sell electrical, plumbing, and heating material.

j. **Critical Trades**

Building, construction, and other trades, including, but not limited to, plumbers, electricians, exterminators, operating engineers, cleaning and janitorial staff for commercial and governmental properties, security staff, HVAC, painting, moving and relocation services, and other service providers who provide services that are necessary to maintaining the safety, sanitation, and essential operation of residences, Essential Activities, and Essential Businesses and Operations.

k. **Mail, Post, Shipping, Logistics, Delivery, and Pick-Up Services**

Post offices and other businesses that provide shipping and delivery services, as well as businesses that ship or deliver groceries, food, goods, vehicles, alcoholic and non-alcoholic beverages, or services to end users or through commercial channels.

l. **Educational Institutions**

Educational institutions (including public and private pre-K-12 schools, colleges, and universities) for purposes of facilitating distance learning, performing critical research, or performing essential functions, provided that social distancing of six-feet per person is maintained to the greatest extent possible.

This Executive Order is consistent with, and does not amend or supersede, any prior Executive Order regarding the closure of schools.

m. **Laundry Services**

Laundromats, dry cleaners, industrial laundry services, as well as laundry service providers.

n. **Restaurants for Consumption Off-Premises**

Restaurants, bars, taverns, and other facilities that prepare and serve food, but only for consumption off-premises, through such means as in-house delivery, third-party delivery, drive-through, curbside pick-up, and carryout. The foregoing is addressed in Executive Orders 20-04 and 20-10. The in-person dining prohibition shall be enforced under and pursuant to the process described in Executive Order 20-10.

Schools and other entities that typically provide food services to students or members of the public may continue to do so under this Executive Order on the condition that the food is provided to students or members of the public on a pick-up and takeaway basis only. Schools and other entities that provide food services under this exemption shall not permit the food to be eaten at the site where it is provided, or at any other gathering site due to the virus's propensity to physically impact surfaces and personal property. This Executive Order is consistent with, and does not amend or supersede, prior Executive Orders regarding the closure of restaurants.

o. **Supplies to Work from Home**

Businesses that sell, manufacture, or supply products needed for people to work from home.

p. **Supplies for Essential Businesses and Operations**

Businesses that sell, manufacture, and/or supply other Essential Businesses and Operations with the support or materials necessary to operate, including computers, audio and video electronics, household appliances; IT and telecommunication equipment; hardware, paint, flat glass; electrical, plumbing and heating material; sanitary equipment; personal hygiene products; food, food additives, ingredients and components; medical and orthopedic equipment; optics and photography equipment; diagnostics, food and beverages, chemicals, soaps and detergent; and firearm and ammunition suppliers and retailers for purposes of safety and security.

q. **Transportation**

Airlines, taxis, transportation network providers (such as Uber and Lyft), vehicle rental services, paratransit, marinas, docks, boat storage, and other private, public, and commercial transportation and logistics providers necessary for the Essential Activities and other purposes expressly authorized in this Executive Order.

r. **Home-Based Care and Services**

Home-based care for adults, seniors, children, and/or people with developmental disabilities, intellectual disabilities, substance use disorders, and/or mental illness, including caregivers such as nannies who may travel to the child's home to provide care, and other in-home services including meal delivery.

s. **Residential Facilities and Shelters**

Residential facilities and shelters for adults, seniors, children, pets, and/or people with developmental disabilities, intellectual disabilities, substance use disorders, or mental illness.

t. **Professional Services**

Professional services, such as legal services, accounting services, insurance services, and real estate services (including appraisal and title services).

u. **Manufacture, Distribution, and Supply Chain for Critical Products and Industries**

Manufacturing companies, distributors, and supply chain companies producing and supplying essential products and services in and for industries, such as healthcare, pharmaceutical, technology, biotechnology, chemicals and sanitization, agriculture, waste pickup and disposal, food and beverage, transportation, energy, steel and steel products, petroleum, fuel, mining, construction, national defense, communications, and products used by other Essential Businesses and Operations.

v. **Critical Labor Union Functions**

Labor union essential activities, including the administration of health and welfare funds and personnel checking on the well-being and safety of members providing services in Essential Businesses and Operations, provided that these checks should be done by telephone or remotely where possible.

w. **Hotels and Motels**

Hotels and motels, to the extent they are used for lodging and delivery or carryout food services.

x. **Funeral Services**

Funeral, mortuary, cremation, burial, cemetery, and related services.

15. **Minimum Basic Operations**

For the purposes of this Executive Order, the term “Minimum Basic Operations” includes the following, provided that employees comply with Social Distancing Requirements, to the extent possible, while carrying out such operations:

- a. The minimum necessary activities to maintain the value of the business’s inventory, preserve the condition of its physical plant and equipment, ensure security, process payroll and employee benefits, or for related functions.
- b. The minimum necessary activities to facilitate employees of the business being able to continue to work remotely from their residences.

16. **Essential Travel**

For the purposes of this Executive Order, the phrase “Essential Travel” includes travel for any of the following purposes. Individuals engaged in any Essential Travel must comply with all Social Distancing Requirements (as defined herein).

- a. Any travel that is related to the provision of, or access to, Essential Activities, Essential Governmental Functions, Essential Businesses and Operations, or Minimum Basic Operations.
- b. Travel to care for the elderly, minors, dependents, persons with disabilities, or other vulnerable persons.
- c. Travel to or from educational institutions for purposes of receiving materials for distance learning, for receiving meals, and any other related services.
- d. Travel in order to return to a place of residence from outside the jurisdiction.
- e. Travel required by law enforcement or court order, including to transport children pursuant to a custody agreement.
- f. Travel required for non-residents to return to their place of residence outside of the State of Indiana. However, individuals are strongly encouraged to verify that their transportation out of Indiana remains available and functional prior to commencing such travel.

17. Social Distancing Requirements

For purposes of this Executive Order, the phrase “Social Distancing Requirements” shall include maintaining at least six-feet of social distancing from other individuals, washing hands with soap and water for at least twenty seconds as frequently as possible or using hand sanitizer, covering coughs or sneezes (into the sleeve or elbow, not hands), regularly cleaning high-touch surfaces, and not shaking hands. With respect to Essential Businesses and Operations as well as businesses engaged in Minimum Basic Operations, they must take proactive measures to ensure compliance with the Social Distancing Requirements, including, where possible, the following:

a. Designate Six-Foot Distances

Designating with signage, tape or by other means, six-feet of spacing for employees and customers in line to maintain appropriate distance.

b. Hand Sanitizer and Sanitizing Products

Having hand sanitizer, and sanitizing products, readily available for employees and customers.

c. Separate Operating Hours for Vulnerable Populations

Implementing separate operating hours for the elderly and vulnerable customers.

d. Online and Remote Access

Posting online whether a facility is open and how best to reach the facility and to continue services by phone or remotely.

18. Intent of this Executive Order

The intent of this Executive Order is to ensure that the maximum number of people self-isolate in their homes or residences to the maximum extent feasible, while also enabling essential services to continue, in order to slow the spread of COVID-19 to the greatest extent possible. When individuals need to leave their homes or residences, whether to perform Essential Activities or to otherwise facilitate authorized activities necessary for continuity of social and commercial life, they should at all times, and as much as reasonably possible, comply with the Social Distancing Requirements. All provisions of this Executive Order should be interpreted to effectuate this intent.

19. Enforcement

This Executive Order may be enforced by State and local law enforcement, as well as other governmental entities (such as state and local departments of health), to the extent set forth in Indiana law, including, but not limited to, the Emergency Disaster Law.

However, with respect to the in-person dining prohibition that was set forth in Executive Order 20-04, it shall be enforced pursuant to the process described in Executive Order 20-10.

20. COVID-19 Information and Checklist for All Businesses/Employers

All businesses and employers, whether or not they are deemed to be essential under this Executive Order, are hereby ordered to take the following actions:

- a. Allow as many employees as possible to work from home by implementing policies in areas such as teleworking and video conferencing.
- b. Actively encourage sick employees to stay home until they are free of fever (without the use of medication) for at least 72 hours (three full days) AND symptoms have improved for at least 72 hours AND at least seven days have passed since symptoms first began. Do not require a healthcare provider's note to validate the illness or return to work of employees sick with acute respiratory illness; healthcare provider offices and medical facilities may be extremely busy and not able to provide such documentation in a timely way.
- c. Ensure that your sick leave policies are up to date, flexible, and non-punitive in order to allow sick employees to stay home to care for themselves, children, or other family members. Consider encouraging employees to do a self-assessment each day in order to check if they have any COVID-19 type symptoms (fever, cough, or shortness of breath).

- d. Separate employees who appear to have acute respiratory illness symptoms from other employees and send them home immediately. Restrict their access to the business until they have recovered.
- e. Reinforce key messages to all employees (including stay home when sick, use cough and sneeze etiquette, and practice hand hygiene), and place posters in areas where they are most likely to be seen. Provide protection supplies such as soap and water, hand sanitizer, tissues, and no-touch disposal receptacles for use by employees.
- f. Frequently perform enhanced environmental cleaning of commonly-touched surfaces, such as workstations, countertops, railings, door handles, and doorknobs. Use the cleaning agents that are usually used in these areas and follow the directions on the label. Provide disposable wipes so that commonly used surfaces can be wiped down by employees before each use.
- g. Be prepared to change business practices, if needed, in order to maintain critical operations (e.g., identify alternative suppliers, prioritize customers, or temporarily suspend some of your operations).

21. No Limitation on Authority

Nothing in this Executive Order shall, in any way, alter or modify any existing legal authority allowing the State, any local health department, or any other proper entity from ordering: (a) any quarantine or isolation that may require an individual to remain inside a particular residential property or medical facility for a limited period of time, including the duration of this public health emergency; or (b) any closure of a specific location for a limited period of time, including the duration of this public health emergency.

22. Savings Clause

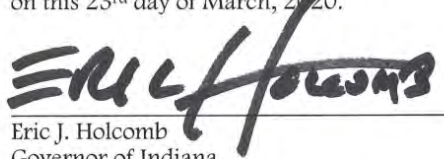
If any provision of this Executive Order, or its application to any person or circumstance, is held invalid by any court of competent jurisdiction, this invalidity does not affect any other provision or application of this Executive Order, which can be given effect without the invalid provision or application. To achieve this purpose, the provisions of this Order are hereby declared to be severable.

This Executive Order is a supplement to, and deemed to be part of, Executive Order 20-02.

IT IS SO ORDERED.



IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I, Eric J. Holcomb, have hereunto set my hand and caused to be affixed the Great Seal of the State of Indiana, on this 23rd day of March, 2020.


Eric J. Holcomb
Governor of Indiana



ATTEST: Connie Lawson
Secretary of State

STATE OF WEST VIRGINIA

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT

At Charleston

EXECUTIVE ORDER NO. 9-20

By the Governor

WHEREAS, a State of Emergency was declared on the Sixteenth Day of March, Two Thousand Twenty for all counties in West Virginia (the “State of Emergency Declaration”), to allow agencies to coordinate and create necessary measures to prepare for and respond to the outbreak of respiratory disease caused by a novel coronavirus now known as COVID-19; and

WHEREAS, Chapter 15, Article 5, Section 6 of the Code of West Virginia authorizes the Governor to, among other things, control ingress and egress to and from a disaster area or an area where large-scale threat exists, the movement of persons within the area, and the occupancy of premises therein; and

WHEREAS, Executive Order 2-20, Executive Order 3-20, Executive Order 6-20, and Executive Order 8-20 have ordered closed or otherwise limited occupancy of businesses and establishments such as casinos, restaurants, bars, fitness centers, gymnasiums, recreation centers, barber shops, nail salons, hair salons, state park lodges, and the Hatfield McCoy Trail, all to protect public health, safety, and welfare; and

WHEREAS, further measures are necessary to protect the health, safety, and welfare of the public, to disrupt the spread of the virus, and to mitigate the impact of COVID-19, including the closure of additional businesses and facilities throughout the state; and

WHEREAS, the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (“CDC”) and the West Virginia Department of Health and Human Resources have recommend the public practice of social distancing, meaning staying home whenever possible and otherwise maintaining a six feet distance from other individuals, to minimize the transmission of COVID-19; and

WHEREAS, locations where people congregate unnecessarily and/or fail to follow adequate social distancing practices are therefore areas of large-scale threat and emergency; and

WHEREAS, businesses that are to remain open will need to reduce their operations to continue with minimum contact with members of the public and only essential employees, and must require proper social distancing at all times; and

WHEREAS, these measures relating to the closure of certain businesses and to limit the operation of non-essential businesses are necessary because of the propensity of the COVID-19 virus to spread via personal interactions and because of physical contamination of property due to its ability to remain on surfaces for prolonged periods of time; and

WHEREAS, it is the duty of every West Virginian to practice proper social distancing and to comply with these measures in order to protect our people, our families, and each other, against this terrible epidemic.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, JIM JUSTICE, pursuant to the authority vested in me pursuant to the provisions of Chapter 15, Article 5, Section 6 and Chapter 15, Article 5, Section 1 of the Code of West Virginia, hereby **DECLARE** and **ORDER**, effective as of 8:00 PM, Eastern Standard Time, on the Twenty-fourth day of March, Two Thousand Twenty, as follows:

1. **Stay at home or your place of residence.** To preserve public health and safety, and to ensure the healthcare system in West Virginia is capable of serving all citizens in need, especially those at high risk and vulnerable to COVID-19, all individuals within the State of West Virginia are under a general stay-at-home order and are directed to stay at home or their place of residence unless performing an essential activity. An activity is essential if the purpose of the activity is one of the following:

- a. Obtaining food, medicine, and other similar goods necessary for the individual or a family member of the individual.
- b. Obtaining non-elective medical care and treatment and other similar vital services for an individual or a family member of the individual.
- c. Going to and from an individual's workplace if such workplace and/or work is included in the definition of Essential Businesses and Operations as outlined in Section 3, below.
- d. Going to and from the home of a family member.
- e. Going to and from the home of another individual who, under the terms of a parenting plan or similar agreement, is entitled to visitation with or the care of a child.
- f. Going to and from an individual's place of worship.
- g. Engaging in outdoor activity, provided that individuals at all times and as much as reasonably possible maintain social distancing of six feet from one another and abide by a 10-person limitation on gathering size.

2. **Non-essential businesses and operations must temporarily cease operations.** In addition to those businesses directed to close or limit occupancy pursuant to previous executive orders, all businesses and operations in West Virginia, except Essential Businesses and Operations as defined below, are required to cease all activities within the state except for such minimum basic operations as are necessary to maintain the value of the business's inventory, preserve the condition of the business's physical plant and equipment, ensure security, process payroll and employee benefits, or related functions, and the minimum necessary activities to facilitate employees of the business being able to continue to work remotely from their residences. Businesses such as home-based businesses may continue to operate, so long as any employees or contractors of such businesses perform activities from their own residences. Further, small businesses that do not invite in the general public and which have five or less employees in the office may continue to operate, but must ensure that proper social distancing and hygiene practices are maintained.

3. **Essential businesses and operations shall continue to operate.** Essential Businesses and Operations, as described below, shall remain open, and individuals may leave their

residence to provide any services or to perform any work necessary to offer, provision, supply, operate, maintain, and/or repair Essential Businesses and Operations. The term “Essential Businesses and Operations” includes those industries and workers described in the U.S. Department of Homeland Security’s Cybersecurity and Infrastructure Security Agency’s March 19, 2020, *Memorandum on Identification of Essential Critical Infrastructure Workers During COVID-19 Response* and its “Guidance on the Essential Critical Infrastructure Workforce: Ensuring Community and National Resilience in COVID-19 Response” attached thereto (the “CISA Guidance”). In addition to those industries and workers identified in the CISA Guidance, the following industries, businesses, and/or workers employed in such industries and businesses are specifically included as Essential Businesses and Operations under this Order:

a. Healthcare, public health operations, and health insurance companies.

Healthcare, public health operations, and healthcare insurance companies include without limitation hospitals, clinics, dental offices, pharmacies, public health entities, including those that compile, model, analyze, and communicate public health information, pharmaceutical, pharmacy, medical device and equipment, and biotechnology companies (including operations, research and development, manufacture, and supply chain), managed care organizations and related entities and attendant or related services, Medicaid providers, healthcare insurers, organizations collecting blood, platelets, plasma, and other necessary materials (including organizations hosting blood drives, provided that appropriate precautions are taken, including proper social distancing and hygiene measures during any such drive), obstetricians and gynecologists, eye care centers, including those that sell or provide glasses and contact lenses, home healthcare providers, mental health and substance use providers, other healthcare facilities and suppliers and providers of any related and/or ancillary healthcare services, and entities that transport and dispose of medical materials and remains. This includes manufacturers, technicians, logistics, and warehouse operators and distributors of medical equipment, personal protective equipment, medical gases, pharmaceuticals, blood and blood products, vaccines, testing materials, laboratory supplies, cleaning, sanitizing, disinfecting, or sterilization supplies, and tissue and

paper towel products. This category of industry shall be construed very broadly to avoid any impacts to the delivery of healthcare, broadly defined. Healthcare and public health operations does not include fitness and exercise gyms, spas, salons, barber shops, tattoo parlors, and similar facilities limited or closed under previous executive order.

- b. Grocery stores and pharmacies.** Grocery stores, pharmacies, farmers' markets, farm and produce stands, supermarkets, convenience stores, and other establishments engaged in the retail sale of groceries, canned food, dry goods, frozen foods, fresh fruits and vegetables, pet supplies, fresh meats, fish, and poultry, prepared food, alcoholic and non-alcoholic beverages, any other household consumer products (such as cleaning and personal care products), specifically including their supply chain and administrative support operations. This includes stores that sell groceries, medicine, including over-the-counter medication not requiring a medical prescription, and also those that sell other non-grocery products, and products necessary to maintaining the safety, sanitation, and essential operation of residences and Essential Businesses and Operations.
- c. Food, beverage, and agriculture.** Food and beverage manufacturing, production, processing, and cultivation, including farming, livestock, seed and feed stores, fishing, baking, and other production agriculture, including cultivation, marketing, production, and distribution of animals and goods for consumption, and businesses that provide food, shelter, and other necessities of life for animals, including animal shelters, rescues, shelters, kennels, and adoption facilities. Restaurants and other facilities that prepare and serve food and/or drinks, but only for consumption off-premises, through such means as take-away, delivery, or drive-through/drive in. Schools and other entities that typically provide food services to students or members of the public may continue to do so under this Order on the condition that the food is provided to students or members of the public on a pick-up or take-away basis only. Schools and other entities that provide food services under this exemption shall not permit the food to be eaten at the site where it is provided, or at any other gathering site due to the virus's propensity to physically impact surfaces and personal property.

d. Essential governmental functions. For purposes of this Order, all first responders, emergency management personnel, emergency dispatchers, legislators, judges, court personnel, jurors and grand jurors, law enforcement and corrections personnel, hazardous materials responders, child protection and child welfare personnel, housing and shelter personnel, military, and other governmental employees working for or to support Essential Businesses and Operations, and all state governmental employees deemed essential employees by their respective agency head, are categorically exempt from this Order. Essential government functions means all services provided by the State or any municipality, township, county, political subdivision, board, commission, or agency of government and needed to ensure the continuing operation of the government agencies or to provide for or support the health, safety, and welfare of the public, and including contractors performing such essential government functions. Each government body shall determine its essential government functions and identify employees and/or contractors necessary to the performance of those functions. This Order does not apply to the United States government. Nothing in this Order shall prohibit any individual from performing or accessing essential government functions.

e. Human services organizations and childcare facilities and providers. Human services operations includes without limitation long-term care facilities, day care centers, day care homes, group day care homes, residential settings and shelters for adults, seniors, children, and/or people with developmental disabilities, intellectual disabilities, substance use disorders, and/or mental illness, transitional facilities, home-based settings to provide services to individuals with physical, intellectual, and/or developmental disabilities, seniors, adults, and children, field offices that provide and help determine eligibility for basic needs including food, cash assistance, medical coverage, child care, vocational services, rehabilitation services, development centers, adoption agencies, businesses that provide food, shelter, and social services, and other necessities of life for economically disadvantaged individuals, individuals with physical, intellectual, and/or developmental disabilities, or otherwise needy individuals, and child care centers, day care centers, and those engaged in caretaking for children.

- f. **Essential infrastructure.** Businesses, entities, or workers engaged in food production, distribution, fulfillment centers, storage facilities, preparation, and sale, construction (including without limitation construction required in response to this public health emergency, hospital construction, construction of long-term care facilities, public works construction, school construction, essential business construction, and housing construction), business management and maintenance, airport operations, operation, maintenance, and supply of utilities, including water, sewer, and gas, electrical (including power generation, distribution, and production of raw materials including without limitation coal and oil and natural gas), distribution centers, oil and biofuel refining, roads, highways, railroads, and public transportation, cyber and other security operations and services, flood control, solid waste and recycling collection and removal, and internet, video, and telecommunications systems (including the provision of global, national, and local infrastructure for computing services, business infrastructure, communications, and web-based services) and telecommunications workers. Essential infrastructure shall be construed broadly to avoid any impacts to essential infrastructure, broadly defined.
- g. **Coal mining and coal-fired electric generation facilities.** Coal mining and coal-fired electric generation facilities, as well as all ancillary and support functions ranging from transportation, maintenance, equipment, and supply vendors.
- h. **Manufacture, distribution, and supply chain for critical products and industries.** Manufacturing companies, distributors, and supply chain companies producing and supplying essential products and services in and for industries such as pharmaceutical, technology, biotechnology, healthcare, chemicals and sanitization, waste pickup and disposal, agriculture, food and beverage, transportation, energy, iron ore, steel and steel products, aluminum and aluminum products, petroleum, propane, and fuel, mining, construction, national defense, communications, as well as products used by other Essential Businesses and Operations including without limitation filters and filtration products and services.
- i. **Transportation and travel related businesses and gas stations.** Travel related businesses facilitating access to or provision of essential activities or any Essential

Businesses and Operations, including without limitation , airlines, taxis, transportation network providers (such as Uber and Lyft), vehicle rental services, paratransit, and other private, public, and commercial transportation and logistics providers, travel or transport of agricultural products, foodstuffs, or related items, or other governmental travel needs, and gas stations and automobile dealers and other suppliers, auto repair, farm equipment, construction equipment, and related facilities and related facilities.

- j. Financial and insurance institutions.** Banks and banking services including without limitation ATM services, currency exchanges, consumer lenders, credit unions, appraisers, title companies, financial markets, trading and futures exchanges, payday lenders, affiliates of financial institutions, professional debt collectors and related creditor service workers, workers engaged in payment clearing and settlement, wholesale funding, and capital markets activities, entities that issue bonds, related financial institutions, institutions selling financial products, insurance companies, underwriters, agents, brokers, and related insurance claims and agency services.
- k. Hardware and supply stores.** Hardware and supply stores and businesses that sell construction, electrical, plumbing, and heating materials.
- l. Critical trades.** Building and construction tradesmen and tradeswomen, and other trades including without limitation plumbers, electricians, exterminators, filtration technicians, cleaning and janitorial staff for commercial and governmental properties, security staff, operating engineers, HVAC engineers, painting, moving, and relocation services, and other service providers who provide services that are necessary to maintain the safety, sanitation, and essential operation of residences, essential activities, and Essential Businesses and Operations.
- m. Mail, post, shipping, logistics, delivery, and pick-up services.** Post offices and other businesses that provide shipping and delivery services, and businesses that ship or deliver groceries, food, alcoholic and non-alcoholic beverages, goods, vehicles, or services to end users or through commercial channels.
- n. Religious entities.** Religious facilities, entities, and groups and religious gatherings, including weddings and funerals; provided that such gatherings should

still practice proper social distancing of six feet between persons to the greatest extent possible.

- o. Educational institutions.** Educational institutions including public and private pre-K-12 schools, colleges, and universities for purposes of facilitating distance learning, performing critical research, or performing essential functions including providing for the delivery or pick-up of food for school age children; provided that proper social distancing of six feet between persons is maintained to the greatest extent possible.
- p. Laundry services.** Laundromats, dry cleaners, industrial laundry services, and laundry service providers.
- q. Supplies to work from home.** Businesses that sell, manufacture, or supply products needed for people to work from home, including IT and telecommunications services and product companies.
- r. Supplies for Essential Businesses and Operations.** Businesses that sell, manufacture, or supply other Essential Businesses and Operations with the support of materials necessary to operate, including computers, audio and video electronics, household appliances, IT and telecommunications equipment, cybersecurity software or services, hardware, paint, flat glass, electrical, plumbing, and heating material, sanitary equipment, personal hygiene products, food, food additives, ingredients, and components, medical and orthopedic equipment, optics and photography equipment, diagnostics, food and beverages, chemicals, soaps and detergents, tent and other temporary structure suppliers, and firearm and ammunition suppliers and retailers.
- s. Home-based care and services.** Home-based care for adults, seniors, children, and/or people with developmental disabilities, intellectual disabilities, substance use disorders, and/or mental illness, including caregivers such as nannies who may travel to the child's home to provide care, and other in-home services including meal delivery.
- t. Residential facilities and shelters.** Residential facilities and shelters for adults, seniors, children, pets, and/or people with developmental disabilities, intellectual disabilities, substance use disorders, and/or mental illness.

- u. **Professional services.** Professional services, such as legal services, accounting services, insurance services, real estate services (including appraisal and title services).
 - v. **Media and first amendment protected speech.** Newspapers, television, radio, and other media services.
 - w. **Hotels and motels.** Hotels and motels, to the extent used for lodging and delivery or carry-out food delivery.
 - x. **Funeral services.** Funeral, mortuary, cremation, burial, cemetery, and related services; provided that proper social distancing of six feet between persons is maintained to the greatest extent possible.
4. **Prohibited activities.** All places of public amusement, whether indoors or outdoors, including but not limited to locations with amusement rides, carnivals, zoos, museums, arcades, fairs, pool halls, bingo halls, malls (except where stores in a mall that have a direct outdoor entrance and exit that provide essential services and products under the terms of this Order), children's play centers, playgrounds, bowling alleys, movie and other theaters, concert and music halls, adult entertainment venues, racetracks, social clubs, and other similar businesses shall be closed.
5. **Avoid social gatherings.** All public and private gatherings of any number of people occurring outside a single household or living unit are prohibited, except for the limited purposes permitted by this Order. Any gathering of more than 10 people is prohibited unless exempted by this Order. Nothing in this Order prohibits the gathering of members of a household or residence.
6. **Intent of this Order.** The intent of this Order is to ensure that the maximum number of people self-isolate in their places of residence to the maximum extent feasible, while enabling essential services to continue, to slow the spread of COVID-19 to the greatest extent possible. When people need to leave their places of residence, whether to perform essential activities, or to otherwise facilitate authorized activities necessary for continuity of social and commercial life, they should at all times and as much as reasonably possible properly socially distance themselves from others. All provisions of this Order should be interpreted and implemented to effectuate this intent.

7. **Enforcement.** This Order may be enforced by State and local law enforcement and by state and local regulatory and/or licensing bodies to the extent possible under West Virginia law.
8. **Duration.** The provisions of this Order, and all previous executive orders relating to COVID-19, are effective until terminated by subsequent executive order.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of West Virginia to be affixed.



By the Governor

DONE at the Capitol in the City of Charleston, State of West Virginia, this Twenty-third day of March, in the year of our Lord, Two Thousand Twenty in the One Hundred Fifty-seventh year of the State.

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read "James I. Gooden".

GOVERNOR

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read "Mpc Warner".

SECRETARY OF STATE

**CIVIL EMERGENCY PROCLAMATION AND EXECUTIVE ORDER
REGARDING SAFER AT HOME DIRECTIVE AND CLOSURE OF NON-ESSENTIAL
SERVICES AND BUSINESSES**

BY MAYOR JIM STRICKLAND, CITY OF MEMPHIS

No. 03-2020

WHEREAS, Coronavirus Disease 2019 (“COVID-19”) is a communicable respiratory disease that can lead to serious illness or death, particularly in the case of elderly adults and persons with serious chronic medical conditions; and

WHEREAS, on January 21, 2020, following the guidance of Centers for Disease Control and Prevention, the Tennessee Department of Health designated COVID-19 as a reportable disease in Tennessee; and

WHEREAS, on March 11, 2020, the World Health Organization declared the COVID-19 outbreak a global pandemic; and

WHEREAS, on March 12, 2020, the Governor for the State of Tennessee issued an Executive Order to facilitate the treatment and containment of COVID-19, pursuant to Tennessee Code Annotated § 58-2-107(e)(1); and

WHEREAS, on March 13, 2020, the President of the United States declared a national state of emergency in response to the COVID-19 pandemic; and

WHEREAS, on March 17, 2020, I declared a state of emergency for the City of Memphis, pursuant to Tennessee Code Annotated § 38-9-101 et seq. and § 58-2-101 et seq. and City of Memphis Code §§ 9-8-4 and 2-58-7 in response to the COVID-19 pandemic; and

WHEREAS, pursuant to the authority invested in the Mayor under Tennessee Code Annotated § 38-9-101, et seq. and City of Memphis Code §9-24, et seq., the Mayor may proclaim in writing the existence of a civil emergency, as defined therein; and

WHEREAS, after proclamation of a civil emergency, the Mayor, in the interest of public safety and welfare, may make all orders necessary for the protection of life and property, including but not limited to, the closure of certain establishments; and

WHEREAS, on March 19, 2020, the Governor for the State of Tennessee issued Executive No. 15 and declared that “a state of emergency and major disaster exists to facilitate the response to COVID-19”; and

WHEREAS, on March 19, 2020, pursuant to the authority invested in the Mayor under Tennessee Code Annotated § 38-9-101, et seq. and City of Memphis Code §9-24, et seq., I issued Civil Emergency Proclamation and Executive Order No. 01-2020 (“Executive Order No. 01-2020”) closing restaurants and bars for on-site consumption as well as closing gyms and exercise facilities; and

WHEREAS, on March 21, 2020, I issued Civil Emergency Proclamation and Executive Order No. 02-2020, providing for the additional closures of entertainment and recreational establishments; and

WHEREAS, on March 22, 2020, the Governor of the State of Tennessee issued Executive Order No. 17, temporarily suspending select state laws and limiting social gatherings, dine-in service, gym use, exposure to nursing and retirement homes, and adjusting state law regarding the sale of alcohol in restaurants; and

WHEREAS, as of March 22, 2020, the Shelby County Health Department has reported 66 confirmed cases of COVID-19 in Shelby County and that community transmission is occurring; and

WHEREAS, as of March 22, 2020, there were at least 505 positive COVID-19 tests reported in the state of Tennessee; and

WHEREAS, COVID-19 continues to present a severe danger to public health.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, JIM STRICKLAND, MAYOR OF THE CITY OF MEMPHIS, by virtue of the powers vested in me, do hereby proclaim that a civil emergency continues to exist in the City of Memphis, Tennessee and I hereby direct and order the following:

1. Safer at Home. All individuals currently living within the City are required to stay at their place of residence unless engaged in Essential Activities as outlined in this Order. For purposes of this

Order, residences include, but are not limited to, hotels, motels, shared rental units, and similar facilities. To the extent individuals are using shared or outdoor spaces, they must at all times as reasonably possible maintain social distancing of at least six feet from any other person when they are outside their residence. All persons may leave their residences only for Essential Activities, Essential Governmental Functions, or to operate Essential Businesses as defined in this Order. Individuals experiencing homelessness are exempt from this section, but are strongly urged to seek safe shelter, and governmental and other entities are strongly urged to make such shelter available as soon as possible and to the maximum extent practicable (and to use COVID-19 risk mitigation practices in their operation). Individuals whose residences are unsafe or become unsafe, such as victims of domestic violence, are permitted and urged to leave their home and stay at a safe alternative location.

2. Travel Restrictions. All travel, including, but not limited to, travel on foot, bicycle, scooter, motorcycle, automobile, or public transit, except Essential Travel and travel for Essential Activities as defined in this Order, is prohibited. People must use public transit only for purposes of performing Essential Activities or to travel to and from work to operate Essential Businesses or maintain Essential Governmental Functions. People riding on public transit must comply with Social Distancing Requirements as defined in this Order, to the greatest extent feasible. This Order allows travel into or out of the City to perform Essential Activities, operate Essential Businesses, or maintain Essential Governmental Functions.
3. Mass Gatherings Prohibited. All public and private gatherings of more than ten people occurring outside a single household or living unit are prohibited, except for the limited purposes as expressly permitted by this Order. Nothing in this Order prohibits the gathering of members of a household or living unit.
4. Closure of Non-Essential Businesses. All businesses with a facility in the City, except Essential Businesses as defined in this Order, are required to cease all activities at facilities located within the City except Minimum Basic Operations, as defined in this Order. For clarity, businesses may continue operations consisting exclusively of employees or contractors performing activities at their own residences (i.e., working from home). All Essential Businesses are strongly encouraged to remain open. To the greatest extent feasible, Essential Businesses shall comply with Social Distancing Requirements as defined in this Order, including by maintaining six-foot social distancing for both employees and members of the public, including, but not limited to, when any customers are standing in line.
5. Essential Activities. For purposes of this Order, individuals may leave their residence only to perform any of the following "Essential Activities."
 - i. To engage in activities or perform tasks essential to their health and safety, or to the health and safety of their family or household members (including, but not limited to, pets), such as, by way of example only and without limitation, obtaining medical supplies or medication, visiting a health care professional, or obtaining supplies they need to work from home.
 - ii. To obtain necessary services or supplies for themselves and their family or household members, or to deliver those services or supplies to others.
 - iii. To engage in outdoor activity, provided the individuals comply with Social Distancing Requirements as defined in this Order, such as, by way of example and without limitation, walking, hiking, dog walking, or running.
 - iv. To perform work providing essential products and services at an Essential Business or to otherwise carry out activities specifically permitted in this Order, including Minimum Basic Operations.
 - v. To perform payroll and other critical administrative functions for any business, including businesses not defined as essential.
 - vi. To care for a family member or pet in another household.

However, people at high risk of severe illness from COVID-19 and people who are sick are urged to stay in their residence to the extent possible except as necessary to seek medical care.

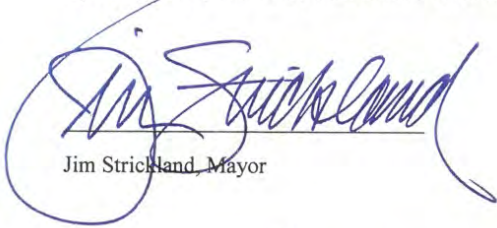
6. Essential Businesses. For the purposes of this Order, "Essential Businesses" means:
 - i. Healthcare Operations and Essential Infrastructure as defined in this Order;
 - ii. Grocery and beverage stores, certified farmers' markets, farm and produce stands, supermarkets, food banks, convenience stores, catering, and other similar establishments. This includes stores that sell groceries and also sell other non-grocery products, and products necessary to maintaining the safety, sanitation, and essential operation of residences;

- iii. Food cultivation, including farming, livestock, and fishing;
- iv. Businesses that provide food, shelter, and social services, and other necessities of life for economically disadvantaged or otherwise needy individuals;
- v. Newspapers, television, radio, and other media services;
- vi. Gas stations and auto-supply, auto-repair, and related facilities;
- vii. Banks and related financial institutions;
- viii. Hardware stores, home and business repair, construction (commercial and residential), and facilities design businesses;
- ix. Insurance businesses and services;
- x. Plumbers, electricians, exterminators, cleaning, janitorial, property management, and other service providers who provide services that are necessary to maintaining the safety, sanitation, and essential operation of residences, Essential Activities, and Essential Businesses;
- xi. Businesses providing mailing, shipping and logistic services, including post office boxes;
- xii. Laundromats, dry cleaners, and laundry service providers;
- xiii. Electronic, cell phone, and internet retail businesses;
- xiv. Restaurants and other facilities that prepare and serve food, but only for delivery or carry out. Schools and other entities that typically provide free food services to students or members of the public may continue to do so under this Order on the condition that the food is provided to students or members of the public on a pick-up and take-away basis only. Schools and other entities that provide food services under this exemption shall not permit the food to be eaten at the site where it is provided, or at any other gathering site;
- xv. Manufacturing companies, distributors, and supply chain companies producing, storing, shipping, and supplying essential products and services in and for industries such as pharmaceutical, technology, biotechnology, healthcare, medical supplies, shipping and paper supplies, chemicals and sanitization, waste pickup and disposal, agriculture, food and beverage, transportation, energy, steel and steel products, petroleum and fuel, mining, construction, national defense, communications, as well as products used by other Essential Businesses;
- xvi. Businesses that supply other Essential Businesses with the support or supplies necessary to operate or facilitate individuals to work from home, such as office supplies;
- xvii. Businesses that provide goods or services exclusively through curbside pick-up, drive-thru, shipment or delivery. This shall include any business that did not previously provide goods or services in this manner, but develops a procedure to provide its goods and services in this manner;
- xviii. Transportation services including buses, airlines, taxis, and other private transportation providers (such as Uber and Lyft) providing transportation services necessary for Essential Activities and other purposes expressly authorized in this Order;
- xix. Home-based care for seniors, adults, or children, people with developmental disabilities, intellectual disabilities, substance use disorders, and/or mental illness;
- xx. Residential facilities and shelters for seniors, adults, children, people with developmental disabilities, intellectual disabilities, substance use disorders, and/or mental illness;
- xxi. Professional services, such as legal or accounting services, when necessary to assist in compliance with legally mandated activities;
- xxii. Childcare and daycare facilities, prioritizing services to employees of businesses exempted in this Order to work as permitted. Daycare and childcare facilities must use Social Distancing and COVID-19 risk mitigation practices in their operations, and urged to have no more than ten people in the facility;
- xxiii. Hotels and motels, to the extent used for lodging and delivery or carry-out food services;
- xxiv. Funeral homes, crematoriums, mortuary and burial services;
- xxv. Private waste removal and recycling services;
- xxvi. Blood donor operations;
- xxvii. All other critical infrastructure businesses not otherwise listed but identified in the U.S. Department of Homeland Security's Memorandum on Identification of Essential Critical Infrastructure Workers During COVID-19 Response issued on March 19, 2020; and

- xxviii. Any other business or service that the Mayor determines is essential for the safety and public health of the City.
7. Essential Travel. For the purposes of this Order, “Essential Travel” includes travel for any of the following purposes:
- Any travel related to the provision of or access to Essential Activities, Essential Governmental Functions, Essential Businesses, or Minimum Basic Operations.
 - Travel to care for elderly, minors, dependents, persons with disabilities, or other vulnerable persons.
 - Travel to or from educational institutions for purposes of receiving materials for distance learning, for receiving meals, and any other related services.
 - Travel to return to a place of residence from outside the jurisdiction.
 - Travel required by law enforcement or court order.
 - Travel required for non-residents to return to their place of residence outside the City. Individuals are strongly encouraged to verify that their transportation out of the City remains available and functional prior to commencing such travel.
8. Healthcare Operations. For purposes of this Order, individuals may leave their residence to work for or obtain services at any “Healthcare Operations” including hospitals, clinics, dentists, pharmacies, pharmaceutical and biotechnology companies, medical supply companies, other healthcare facilities, healthcare suppliers, home healthcare services providers, mental health providers, or any related and/or ancillary healthcare services. “Healthcare Operations” also includes veterinary care and all healthcare services provided to animals. This exemption shall be construed broadly to avoid any impacts to the delivery of healthcare, broadly defined. “Healthcare Operations” does not include fitness and exercise gyms and similar facilities.
9. Essential Infrastructure. For purposes of this Order, individuals may leave their residence to provide any services or perform any work necessary to the operations and maintenance of “Essential Infrastructure,” including, but not limited to, public works construction, construction of housing (in particular affordable housing or housing for individuals experiencing homelessness), airport operations, water, sewer, gas, electrical, oil refining, roads and highways, public transportation, solid waste collection and removal, grass mowing, internet, and telecommunications systems (including the provision of essential global, national, and local infrastructure for computing services, business infrastructure, communications, and web-based services), provided that they carry out those services or that work in compliance with Social Distancing Requirements as defined this Order, to the extent possible.
10. Essential Governmental Functions. For purposes of this Order, all first responders, emergency management personnel, emergency dispatchers, court personnel, law enforcement personnel, as well as and local, state and federal agencies located within City limits are categorically exempt from this Order. Further, nothing in this Order shall prohibit any individual from performing or accessing Essential Governmental Functions. “Essential Governmental Functions” means all services needed to ensure the continuing operation of the government agencies and provide for the health, safety and welfare of the public as determined by the Mayor of the City of Memphis, even if not explicitly described herein. All Essential Governmental Functions shall be performed in compliance with Social Distancing Requirements as defined this Order, to the extent possible. Employees of the City of Memphis shall follow all current and future directives and orders issued by the Mayor of the City of Memphis that are specifically directed to City employees.
11. Minimum Basic Operations. For the purposes of this Order, “Minimum Basic Operations” include the following, provided that employees comply with Social Distancing Requirements as defined this Order, to the extent possible, while carrying out such operations:
- The minimum necessary activities to maintain the value of the business’s inventory, ensure security, process payroll and employee benefits, or for related functions.
 - The minimum necessary activities to facilitate employees of the business being able to continue to work remotely from their residences.
12. Social Distancing Requirements. All businesses and activities, including those that are designated as Essential under this Order, are required to practice Social Distancing. For purposes of this order Social Distancing Requirements refers to the CDC issued guidelines for COVID-19 prevention measures, which includes: screening of employees for symptoms; maintaining at least six-foot social distancing from other individuals, washing hands with soap and water for at least twenty seconds as frequently as possible or using hand sanitizer, covering coughs or sneezes (into the sleeve or elbow, not hands), regularly cleaning high-touch surfaces, and not shaking hands.

13. For the purposes of this Order, covered businesses include any for-profit, non-profit, or educational entities, regardless of the nature of the service, the function it performs, or its corporate or entity structure.
14. City parks shall remain open, but Social Distancing Requirements shall be observed.
15. The Memphis Police Department and other City and Shelby County officials are authorized to enforce and close those businesses within the City of Memphis in violation of this Order.
16. A determination that any provision of this Order is invalid will not affect the enforceability of any other provision of this Order. The remaining provisions shall remain in full force and effect. Any invalid provision will be modified to the extent necessary for enforceability.
17. This Order will be effective at 6:00 p.m. on March 24, 2020 and shall remain in effect until April 7, 2020, unless otherwise extended.

Upon signature, this Order shall become effective at 6:00 p.m. on March 24, 2020.


Jim Strickland, Mayor

Executed this 23rd day of March, 2020



State of Delaware



FIFTH MODIFICATION OF THE DECLARATION OF A STATE OF EMERGENCY FOR THE STATE OF DELAWARE DUE TO A PUBLIC HEALTH THREAT

WHEREAS, the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (“CDC”) has determined that a novel coronavirus (“COVID-19”) presents a serious public health threat; and

WHEREAS, on March 12, 2020 at 3:00 p.m. E.D.T., I issued a Declaration of a State of Emergency due to the public health threat of COVID-19, which became effective as of 8:00 a.m. E.D.T. on March 13, 2020; and

WHEREAS, on March 16, 2020 at 2:00 p.m. E.D.T., I issued the First Modification of the Declaration of a State of Emergency to advise that the CDC issued new guidance for large events and mass gatherings, including conferences, social events, concerts and other types of assemblies; and

WHEREAS, on March 18, 2020 at 2:00 p.m. E.D.T., I issued the Second Modification of the Declaration of a State of Emergency to further restrict events and gatherings; to restrict food service to only take-out or delivery; to close casinos, bowling alleys, concert venues, movie theaters, sports facilities, fitness centers and health spas; to ensure additional precautions in nursing homes, retirement facilities, or assisted-living facilities; to promote authority to the Delaware

Emergency Management Agency and the Division of Public Health to cancel any gatherings for public health reasons; to authorize the Secretary of Labor to develop emergency rules relating to unemployment insurance; to address requirements for telemedicine services; and to address the sale of alcoholic beverages; and

WHEREAS, on March 21, 2020 at 12:00 p.m. E.D.T., I issued the Third Modification of the Declaration of a State of Emergency to close all Delaware beaches, except to persons using the beaches for exercise or to walk their dogs, subject to certain precautions recommended by the CDC on COVID-19, which became effective as of 5:00 p.m. E.D.T.; and

WHEREAS, on March 22, 2020 at 4:00 p.m. E.D.T., I issued the Fourth Modification of the Declaration of a State of Emergency; and

WHEREAS, because of the risk of the rapid spread of the virus, and the need to protect all Delaware citizens, especially health care providers and citizens most vulnerable to the virus, additional efforts are needed to mitigate community spread of COVID-19; and

WHEREAS, it is critical to ensure that law enforcement and public and private health resources not be unnecessarily diverted from responding to COVID-19-related issues and maintaining public safety and health; and

WHEREAS, Delawareans should refrain from organizing or attending social gatherings of any size, except for regular interactions with immediate family members, members of the same household, caregivers, or individuals with whom you have a close personal relationship; and

WHEREAS, requiring all individuals located in Delaware to shelter in place—that is, to stay at home or at their place of residence—except with respect to certain essential activities and to work to provide essential business and government services, is in the interests of preserving public safety and health and limiting community spread of COVID-19.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, JOHN C. CARNEY, pursuant to Title 20, Chapter 31 of the Delaware Code, do hereby declare that the Declaration of a State of Emergency, as modified through the First Modification, the Second Modification, the Third Modification, and the Fourth Modification shall remain in effect until further notice, with the following modifications:

1. **Shelter in place of residence.** Effective March 24, 2020 at 8:00 a.m. E.D.T., with the exceptions as outlined below, all individuals currently living within the State of Delaware are ordered to shelter in place, at their home or place of residence except as permitted in this Fifth Modification of the Declaration of a State of Emergency. To the extent individuals are using shared or outdoor space when outside their residence, they must at all times and as much as reasonably possible maintain social distancing of at least six feet from any other person, consistent with the Social Distancing Requirements set forth in this Fifth Modification of the Declaration of a State of Emergency and with the guidelines set by the CDC. All persons may leave their homes or places of residence only for Essential Activities or Essential Travel, as defined below.
2. Individuals experiencing homelessness are strongly urged to find shelter, and government agencies are urged to take steps needed to provide shelter for those individuals, in accordance with CDC guidance. Homeless individuals are otherwise not subject to this shelter in place order.
3. Individuals whose residences are unsafe or become unsafe, such as victims of domestic violence, are permitted and urged to leave their homes and stay at a safe alternative home or residence.
4. Individuals at high risk of severe illness from COVID-19 and people who are sick are urged to stay in their residences to the extent possible except as necessary to seek medical care.

Nothing in this Fifth Modification of the Declaration of a State of Emergency prevents DEMA from issuing and enforcing isolation and quarantine orders pursuant to 20 Del. C. § 3136 or DPH from issuing and enforcing isolation and quarantine orders pursuant to 16 Del. C. § 505.

5. For purposes of this Fifth Modification of the Declaration of a State of Emergency, homes and residences include hotels, motels, shared rental units, shelters and similar facilities.
6. **Prohibited and permitted travel.** All travel (including, but not limited to, travel on foot, bicycle, scooter, motorcycle, automobile, and public transit), except Essential Travel or travel for Essential Activities, as defined below, is prohibited. Passengers traveling by public transit must comply with Social Distancing Requirements to the greatest extent feasible.
7. **Leaving your home or residence for Essential Activities is permitted.** Individuals may only leave their residence to carry out Essential Activities or Essential Travel. For purposes of this Order, Essential Activities are defined as follows:
 - a. To engage in activities or perform tasks essential to their health and safety, or to the health and safety of their family or household members (including, but not limited to, pets), such as, by way of example only and without limitation, obtaining medical supplies or medication, visiting a health care professional, or obtaining supplies they need to work from home.
 - b. To obtain necessary services or supplies for themselves and their family or household members, or to deliver those services or supplies to others, such as, food supplies, dry goods, pet supplies and any other household consumer products, and

products necessary to maintain the safety, sanitation, and essential operation of residences.

- c. To engage in outdoor activity, providing the individuals comply with Social Distancing Requirements, as defined below, such as, by way of example and without limitation, walking, running, biking, or fishing. Individuals may go to public parks and open outdoor recreation areas (except beaches, which may be used only as described in my Third Modification of the Declaration of a State of Emergency).
- d. To perform work permitted by the Fourth Modification of the Declaration of a State of Emergency.
- e. To care for a family member, friend, or pet in another household, and to transport family members, friends, pets, or livestock as allowed by this Order.

8. **Leaving your home or residence for Essential Travel is permitted.** For the purposes of this Order, Essential Travel includes travel for any of the purposes set forth in this paragraph. Individuals engaged in any Essential Travel must comply with all Social Distancing Requirements.

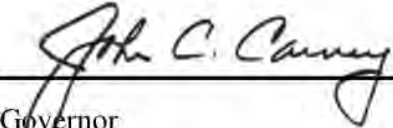
- a. Any travel related to the provision of or access to Essential Activities or Minimum Basic Operations.
- b. Travel to care for elderly persons, minors, dependents, persons with disabilities, other vulnerable persons, pets, or livestock.
- c. Travel to or from educational institutions for purposes of receiving materials for distance learning, for receiving meals, and for receiving any other related services.
- d. Travel to return to a place of residence in Delaware from outside the jurisdiction.

- e. Travel required or authorized by a law enforcement officer or court order.
 - f. Travel required for non-residents to return to their place of residence outside the State.
9. **Social distancing measures are required.** For the purposes of this Order, “Social Distancing Requirements” include maintaining at least six-foot social distancing from individuals, washing hands with soap and water for at least 20 seconds as frequently as possible or using hand sanitizer, covering coughs or sneezes (not with hands), regularly cleaning high-touch surfaces, and not shaking hands. These requirements incorporate any subsequent guidance from the CDC issued after the issuance of this Order.
10. **Minimum Basic Operations.** For the purposes of this Order, Minimum Basic Operations include the following, provided that employees comply with the Fourth Modification of the Declaration of a State of Emergency and Social Distancing Requirements, to the extent possible, while carrying out such operations:
- a. The minimum necessary activities to maintain the value of the business’s inventory, preserve the condition of the business’s physical plant and equipment, ensure security, process payroll and employee benefits, or for related functions.
 - b. The minimum necessary activities to facilitate employees of the business being able to work remotely or continue to work remotely from their residences.
11. **Intent of this Order.** The intent of this Order is to ensure that the maximum number of people self-isolate in their places of residence to the extent feasible, while enabling essential services to continue, in order to slow the spread of COVID-19 to the maximum extent possible. When people need to leave their places of residence, whether to obtain or perform essential services, or to otherwise facilitate Essential Activities and Minimum

Basic Operations necessary for continuity of social and commercial life, they should at all times reasonably possible comply with Social Distancing Requirements. All provisions of this Fifth Modification of the Declaration of a State of Emergency should be interpreted to effectuate this intent.

12. **Testing:** All COVID-19 testing shall be made available to those persons who meet criteria for such testing as established and modified from time to time, by the CDC. All health care providers, facilities and entities that decide to offer testing shall make that testing available to any person presenting at the testing site who meets the CDC criteria without regard to that person's ability to pay, type of health insurance, or participation in any particular provider network. Health care providers shall provide testing to the extent that testing costs are not covered by the payments by individuals and health insurance carriers and will be covered by Delaware's Health Care Connection Program.
13. **Enforcement.** This Order has the force and effect of law. Any failure to comply with the provisions contained in a Declaration of a State of Emergency or any modification to a Declaration of a State of Emergency constitutes a criminal offense. 20 Del. C. §§ 3115 (b); 3116 (9); 3122; 3125. State and local law enforcement agencies are authorized to enforce the provisions of any Declaration of a State of Emergency.

APPROVED this 22d day of March 2020 at 4:02 p.m.


Governor

State of Delaware



Executive Department
Dover

FOURTH MODIFICATION OF THE DECLARATION OF A STATE OF EMERGENCY FOR THE STATE OF DELAWARE DUE TO A PUBLIC HEALTH THREAT

WHEREAS, the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (“CDC”) has determined that a novel coronavirus (“COVID-19”) presents a serious public health threat, and

WHEREAS, the Delaware Department of Health & Social Services’ Division of Public Health (“DPH”) has determined that it is vital for the State of Delaware to prepare for and to take action in response to the community transmission of COVID-19 and to take steps to avoid the transmission of the virus, which may include avoiding public gatherings and assembly; and

WHEREAS, it is in the best interests of the State to protect its citizens from a potential public health emergency that could threaten the lives of those who live and work here; and

WHEREAS, on March 12, 2020 at 3:00 p.m. E.D.T., I issued a State of Emergency due to the public health threat of COVID-19, which became effective as of 8:00 a.m. E.D.T. on March 13, 2020 (the “COVID-19 State of Emergency”); and

WHEREAS, on March 16, 2020 at 2:00 p.m. E.D.T., I issued the First Modification to the COVID-19 State of Emergency declaration to advise that the CDC issued new guidance for large

events and mass gatherings, recommending that organizers halt gatherings of 50 people or more for the next eight weeks due to the public health threat of COVID-19, including conferences, social events, concerts and other types of assemblies; and

WHEREAS, the CDC also recommends that events of any size should continue only if they can be carried out with adherence to guidelines for protecting vulnerable populations, including proper hand hygiene and adequate social distancing; and

WHEREAS, as of Friday, March 13, 2020 at 8:00 a.m. E.D.T., DPH and Delaware Emergency Management Agency (“DEMA”) were authorized to cancel gatherings should it be deemed necessary for public health reasons, and such cancellation shall not constitute a taking and shall not entitle the owner or organizer to just compensation; and

WHEREAS, on March 18, 2020 at 2:00 p.m. E.D.T., I issued the Second Modification to the COVID-19 State of Emergency declaration that modified the limitations on public gatherings of 50 or more people and, among other things, placed certain restriction on the operation of certain businesses and facilities in the State of Delaware; and

WHEREAS, on March 21, 2020 at 12:00 p.m. E.D.T., I issued the Third Modification to the State of Emergency declaration to close all Delaware beaches, except to persons using the beaches for exercise or to walk their dogs, subject to certain precautions recommended by the CDC on COVID-19, which became effective as of 5:00 p.m. E.D.T.; and

WHEREAS, it is in the interests of protecting the citizens and residents of Delaware from the public health threat posed by COVID-19; and

WHEREAS, pursuant to Title 20, Section 3116(b)(13) of the Delaware Code, the Governor of the State of Delaware has the power to take such other actions as the Governor

reasonably believes necessary to help maintain life, health, property or public peace during this State of Emergency; and

WHEREAS, I reasonably believe that it is necessary to control and direct within the State of Delaware the operation of certain businesses, organizations, and enterprises necessary to maintain life, health, property or public peace during the State of Emergency.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, JOHN C. CARNEY, pursuant to Title 20, Chapter 31 of the Delaware Code, in an effort to control and prevent the spread of COVID-19 within the State of Delaware, do hereby order:

1. Effective March 24, 2020 at 8:00 a.m. E.D.T., and until further notice, State offices will remain open, except that all State of Delaware employees able to telecommute are required to telecommute (work from home) wherever possible, in accordance with Department of Human Resource's guidance: <https://dhr.delaware.gov/personnel/faq/DHR-COVID19-FAQ-StateofDelaware-03112020.pdf>, which may be updated from time to time. State of Delaware employees unable to telecommute should report to their normal place of work at the start of their shift.
2. The statutory time periods for responses to requests for public records made pursuant to 29 Del. C. § 10003 and for the filing of and response to petitions filed pursuant to 29 Del. C. § 10005 (e), whether such requests or petitions are presently pending or submitted hereafter, are hereby extended until 15 business days following the termination of any active Declaration of a State of Emergency.

3. I hereby designate certain businesses, establishments, and enterprises operating within the State of Delaware as “Essential Businesses” and “Non-Essential Businesses.”
4. In addition to a delegation of authority to issue emergency regulations consistent with the State of Emergency and Delaware law, the Division of Small Business shall have the discretion to make additions, amendments, clarifications, exceptions, and exclusions to this list of “Essential Businesses” and “Non-Essential Businesses” and should consider information from the U.S. Department of Homeland Security, Cybersecurity & Infrastructure Security Agency’s Guidance on the Essential Critical Infrastructure Workforce: Ensuring Community and National Resilience in COVID-19 Response.
5. Responsibilities of Essential Businesses: “Essential Businesses” as defined herein shall follow the coronavirus guidelines for public safety enumerated by the CDC and DPH, including to:
 - a. Implement flexible and non-punitive sick-leave policies to facilitate compliance with this Order, such policies should follow any guidance from the U.S. CDC and DPH regarding COVID-19.
 - b. Exclude employees who (a) have been diagnosed with COVID-19, (b) are reasonably suspected to have COVID-19, or (c) have symptoms of acute respiratory illness, such as fever, cough, or shortness of breath, shall stay home and not come to work until they are until they are free of fever (100.4 °F [38.0 °C] or greater using an oral thermometer), signs of a fever, and any other symptoms of acute respiratory illness for at least 24 hours, without the use of fever-reducing or other symptom-altering medicines (*e.g.* cough suppressants), these employees should notify their supervisor and stay home if they are sick;
 - c. Exclude employees who reside or intimately interact with persons who (a) have been diagnosed with COVID-19, (b) are reasonably suspected to have COVID-19, or (c) have symptoms of acute respiratory illness, such as fever, cough, or shortness of breath, should stay at home and notify their supervisor of their situation;

- d. Exclude individuals at highest risk of poor outcomes such as those over age 60 and those with chronic underlying conditions from on-premises work (with the exception of healthcare workers);
 - e. Separate sick employees from other individuals immediately;
 - f. Prohibit employees who have been told they must be isolated or quarantined from on-premises work until cleared by DPH or a medical professional;
 - g. Hand wash with warm water and soap when entering and leaving worksite;
 - h. Have hand sanitizer or handwashing stations readily available for all employees throughout the day;
 - i. Enforce cough and sneeze hygiene;
 - j. Follow all State and CDC guidelines and recommendations for social distancing, especially that there must be 6 feet of space between employees at all times (the exception being healthcare workers using appropriate PPE);
 - k. Follow all State and CDC guidelines and recommendations for environmental cleaning;
 - l. Teleworking must be maximized;
 - m. Visitors are not allowed inside worksites unless they are providing essential services.
 - n. Participate and encourage employees to abide by the Governor's shelter in place policies as enumerated in the forthcoming Fifth Modification to the COVID-19 State of Emergency declaration, including limitations on driving for essential travel only.
 - o. All businesses deemed essential by this order shall be subject to inspection by appropriate state officials as necessary. Should any individual company or group of companies be found to not be making best efforts to enforce the standards enumerated in part (a) for their workforce, they will be subject to immediate closure until the State of Emergency is lifted.
6. Definition of Essential Businesses: Essential Businesses are businesses that employ or utilize the following workers:

a. HEALTHCARE / PUBLIC HEALTH

- 1. Workers providing COVID-19 testing; Workers that perform critical clinical research needed for COVID-19 response.
- 2. Caregivers (*e.g.*, physicians, dentists, psychologists, mid-level practitioners, nurses and assistants, infection control and quality assurance personnel, pharmacists, physical and occupational therapists and assistants, social workers, speech pathologists and diagnostic and therapeutic technicians and technologists).
- 3. Hospital and laboratory personnel (including accounting, administrative, admitting and discharge, engineering, epidemiological, source plasma and blood donation, food service, housekeeping, medical records, information technology and operational technology, nutritionists, sanitarians, respiratory therapists, etc.).

4. Workers in other medical facilities (including Ambulatory Health and Surgical, Blood Banks, Clinics, Community Mental Health, Comprehensive Outpatient rehabilitation, End Stage Renal Disease, Health Departments, Home Health care, Hospices, Hospitals, Long Term Care, Organ Pharmacies, Procurement Organizations, Psychiatric Residential, Rural Health Clinics and Federally Qualified Health Centers).
5. Manufacturers, technicians, logistics and warehouse operators, and distributors of medical equipment, PPE, medical gases, pharmaceuticals, blood and blood products, vaccines, testing materials, laboratory supplies, cleaning, sanitizing, disinfecting or sterilization supplies, and tissue and paper towel products.
6. Public health / community health workers, including those who compile, model, analyze and communicate public health information.
7. Blood and plasma donors and the employees of the organizations that operate and manage related activities.
8. Workers that manage health plans, billing, and health information, who cannot practically work remotely.
9. Workers who conduct community-based public health functions, conducting epidemiologic surveillance, compiling, analyzing and communicating public health information, who cannot practically work remotely.
10. Workers performing cybersecurity functions at healthcare and public health facilities, who cannot practically work remotely.
11. Workers conducting research critical to COVID-19 response.
12. Workers performing security, incident management, and emergency operations functions at or on behalf of healthcare entities including healthcare coalitions, who cannot practically work remotely.
13. Workers who support food, shelter, and social services, and other necessities of life for economically disadvantaged or otherwise needy individuals, such as those residing in shelters.
14. Pharmacy employees necessary for filling prescriptions.
15. Workers performing mortuary services, including funeral homes, crematoriums, and cemetery workers.
16. Workers who coordinate with other organizations to ensure the proper recovery, handling, identification, transportation, tracking, storage, and disposal of human remains and personal effects; certify cause of death; and facilitate access to mental/behavioral health services to the family members, responders, and survivors of an incident.
17. Any other workers or support staff related to the delivery of medical, dental, veterinarian, or similar services.

b. LAW ENFORCEMENT, PUBLIC SAFETY, FIRST RESPONDERS

1. Personnel in emergency management, law enforcement, emergency management systems, fire, and corrections, including front line and management.
2. Emergency Medical Technicians.
3. 911 call center employees.
4. Fusion Center employees.
5. Hazardous material responders from government and the private sector.
6. Workers, including contracted vendors, who maintain digital systems infrastructure supporting law enforcement and emergency service operations.

c. FOOD AND AGRICULTURE

1. Workers supporting groceries, pharmacies and other retail that sells food and beverage products.
2. Restaurant carry-out and quick serve food operations, including carry-out and delivery food employees.
3. Food manufacturer employees and their supplier employees—to include those employed in food processing (packers, meat processing, cheese plants, milk plants, produce, etc.) facilities; livestock, poultry, seafood slaughter facilities; pet and animal feed processing facilities; human food facilities producing by-products for animal food; beverage production facilities; and the production of food packaging.
4. Farm workers to include those employed in animal food, feed, and ingredient production, packaging, and distribution; manufacturing, packaging, and distribution of veterinary drugs; truck delivery and transport; farm and fishery labor needed to produce our food supply domestically.
5. Farm workers and support service workers to include those who field crops; commodity inspection; fuel ethanol facilities; storage facilities; and other agricultural inputs.
6. Employees and firms supporting food, feed, and beverage distribution, including warehouse workers, vendor- managed inventory controllers and blockchain managers.
7. Workers supporting the sanitation of all food manufacturing processes and operations from wholesale to retail.
8. Company cafeterias or in-plant cafeterias used to feed employees of Essential Businesses.
9. Workers in food testing labs in private industries and in institutions of higher education.
10. Workers essential for assistance programs and government payments.
11. Employees of companies engaged in the production of chemicals, medicines, vaccines, and other substances used by the food and

- agriculture industry, including pesticides, herbicides, fertilizers, minerals, enrichments, and other agricultural production aids.
12. Animal agriculture workers to include those employed in veterinary health; manufacturing and distribution of animal medical materials, animal vaccines, animal drugs, feed ingredients, feed, and bedding, etc.; transportation of live animals, animal medical materials; transportation of deceased animals for disposal; raising of animals for food; animal production operations; slaughter and packing plants and associated regulatory and government workforce.
 13. Workers who support the manufacture and distribution of forest products, including, but not limited to timber, paper, and other wood products.
 14. Employees engaged in the manufacture and maintenance of equipment and other infrastructure necessary to agricultural production and distribution.

d. ENERGY

1. ELECTRICITY INDUSTRY:

- a. Workers who maintain, ensure, or restore the generation, transmission, and distribution of electric power, including call centers, utility workers, reliability engineers and fleet maintenance technicians.
- b. Workers needed for safe and secure operations at nuclear generation.
- c. Workers at generation, transmission, and electric blackstart facilities.
- d. Workers at Reliability Coordinator (RC), Balancing Authorities (BA), and primary and backup Control Centers (CC), including but not limited to independent system operators, regional transmission organizations, and balancing authorities.
- e. Mutual assistance personnel.
- f. IT and OT technology staff – for EMS (Energy Management Systems) and Supervisory Control and Data Acquisition (SCADA) systems, and utility data centers; Cybersecurity engineers; cybersecurity risk management.
- g. Vegetation management crews and traffic workers who support.
- h. Environmental remediation/monitoring technicians.
- i. Instrumentation, protection, and control technicians.

2. PETROLEUM INDUSTRY:

- a. Petroleum product storage, pipeline, marine transport, terminals, rail transport, road transport.
- b. Crude oil storage facilities, pipeline, and marine transport
- c. Petroleum refinery facilities.
- d. Petroleum security operations center employees and workers who support emergency response services.
- e. Petroleum operations control rooms/centers.
- f. Petroleum drilling, extraction, production, processing, refining, terminal operations, transporting, and retail for use as end-use fuels or feedstocks for chemical manufacturing.
- g. Onshore and offshore operations for maintenance and emergency response.
- h. Retail fuel centers such as gas stations and truck stops, and the distribution systems that support them.

3. **NATURAL AND PROPANE GAS INDUSTRY:**

- a. Natural gas transmission and distribution pipelines, including compressor stations.
- b. Underground storage of natural gas.
- c. Natural gas processing plants, and those that deal with natural gas liquids.
- d. Liquefied Natural Gas (LNG) facilities.
- e. Natural gas security operations center, natural gas operations dispatch and control rooms/centers natural gas emergency response and customer emergencies, including natural gas leak calls.
- f. Drilling, production, processing, refining, and transporting natural gas for use as end-use fuels, feedstocks for chemical manufacturing, or use in electricity generation.
- g. Propane gas dispatch and control rooms and emergency response and customer emergencies, including propane leak calls.
- h. Propane gas service maintenance and restoration, including call centers.
- i. Processing, refining, and transporting natural liquids, including propane gas, for use as end-use fuels or feedstocks for chemical manufacturing.
- j. Propane gas storage, transmission, and distribution centers.

e. **WATER AND WASTEWATER:** Employees needed to operate and maintain drinking water and wastewater/drainage infrastructure, including:

- a. Operational staff at water authorities.
- b. Operational staff at community water systems.
- c. Operational staff at wastewater treatment facilities.

- d. Workers repairing water and wastewater conveyances and performing required sampling or monitoring.
- e. Operational staff for water distribution and testing.
- f. Operational staff at wastewater collection facilities.
- g. Operational staff and technical support for SCADA Control systems.
- h. Chemical disinfectant suppliers for wastewater and personnel protection.
- i. Workers that maintain digital systems infrastructure supporting water and wastewater operations.

f. TRANSPORTATION AND LOGISTICS:

- 1. Employees supporting or enabling transportation functions, including dispatchers, maintenance and repair technicians, warehouse workers, truck stop and rest area workers, and workers that maintain and inspect infrastructure (including those that require cross-border travel).
- 2. Employees of firms providing services that enable logistics operations, including cooling, storing, packaging, and distributing products for wholesale or retail sale or use.
- 3. Public transit workers.
- 4. Workers responsible for operating dispatching passenger, commuter and freight trains and maintaining rail infrastructure and equipment.
- 5. Maritime transportation workers - port workers, mariners, equipment operators.
- 6. Truck drivers.
- 7. Automotive repair and maintenance facilities.
- 8. Manufacturers and distributors (to include service centers and related operations) of packaging materials, pallets, crates, containers, and other supplies needed to support manufacturing, packaging staging and distribution operations.
- 9. Postal and shipping workers, to include private companies.
- 10. Employees who repair and maintain vehicles, aircraft, rail equipment, marine vessels, and the equipment and infrastructure that enables operations that encompass movement of cargo and passengers.
- 11. Air transportation employees, including air traffic controllers, ramp personnel, aviation security, and aviation management.
- 12. Workers who support the maintenance and operation of cargo by air transportation, including flight crews, maintenance, airport operations, and other on- and off- airport facilities workers.

g. PUBLIC WORKS:

1. Workers who support the operation, inspection, and maintenance of essential dams, locks and levees.
2. Workers who support the operation, inspection, and maintenance of essential public works facilities and operations, including bridges, water and sewer main breaks, fleet maintenance personnel, construction of critical or strategic infrastructure, traffic signal maintenance, emergency location services for buried utilities, maintenance of digital systems infrastructure supporting public works operations, and other emergent issues.
3. Workers such as plumbers, electricians, HVACR technicians, exterminators, and other service providers who provide services that are necessary to maintaining the safety, sanitation, and essential operation of residences.
4. Support, such as road and line clearing, to ensure the availability of needed facilities, transportation, energy and communications.
5. Support to ensure the effective removal, storage, and disposal of residential and commercial solid waste and hazardous waste.

h. COMMUNICATIONS AND INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY:

1. COMMUNICATIONS:

- a. Maintenance of communications infrastructure, including privately owned and maintained communication systems, supported by technicians, operators, call-centers, wireline and wireless providers, cable service providers, satellite operations, undersea cable landing stations, Internet Exchange Points, and manufacturers and distributors of communications equipment.
- b. Workers who support radio, television, and media service, including, but not limited to front line news reporters, studio, and technicians for newsgathering and reporting.
- c. Workers at Independent System Operators and Regional Transmission Organizations, and Network Operations staff, engineers and/or technicians to manage the network or operate facilities.
- d. Engineers, technicians and associated personnel responsible for infrastructure construction and restoration, including contractors for construction and engineering of fiber optic cables.
- e. Installation, maintenance and repair technicians that establish, support or repair communication service as needed.
- f. Central office personnel to maintain and operate central office, data centers, and other network office facilities.

- g. Customer service and support staff, including managed and professional services as well as remote providers of support to transitioning employees to set up and maintain home offices, who interface with customers to manage or support service environments and security issues, including payroll, billing, fraud, and troubleshooting.
- h. Dispatchers involved with communication service repair and restoration.

2. INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY:

- a. Workers who support command centers, including, but not limited to Network Operations Command Center, Broadcast Operations Control Center and Security Operations Command Center.
- b. Data center operators, including system administrators, HVAC & electrical engineers, security personnel, IT managers, data transfer solutions engineers, software and hardware engineers, and database administrators.
- c. Client service centers, field engineers, and other technicians supporting critical infrastructure, as well as manufacturers and supply chain vendors that provide hardware and software, and information technology equipment (to include microelectronics and semiconductors) for critical infrastructure.
- d. Workers responding to cyber incidents involving critical infrastructure, including medical facilities, SLTT governments and federal facilities, energy and utilities, and banks and financial institutions, and other critical infrastructure categories and personnel.
- e. Workers supporting the provision of essential global, national and local infrastructure for computing services (incl. cloud computing services), business infrastructure, web-based services, and critical manufacturing.
- f. Workers supporting communications systems and information technology used by law enforcement, public safety, medical, energy and other critical industries.
- g. Support required for continuity of services, including janitorial/cleaning personnel.

i. OTHER COMMUNITY-BASED GOVERNMENT OPERATIONS AND ESSENTIAL FUNCTIONS:

- 1. Workers to ensure continuity of building functions.
- 2. Security staff to maintain building access control and physical security measures.

3. Elections personnel.
4. Federal, State, and Local, Tribal, and Territorial employees who support Mission Essential Functions and communications networks.
5. Trade Officials (FTA negotiators; international data flow administrators).
6. Weather forecasters.
7. Workers that maintain digital systems infrastructure supporting other critical government operations.
8. Workers at operations centers necessary to maintain other essential functions.
9. Workers who support necessary credentialing, vetting and licensing operations for transportation workers.
10. Customs workers who are critical to facilitating trade in support of the national emergency response supply chain.
11. Educators and other necessary to support public and private K-12 schools, colleges, and universities for purposes of facilitating distance learning or performing other essential functions, if operating under rules for social distancing.
12. Hotel Workers and any staff necessary to ensure the safe and proper management of hotel properties, and other forms of lodging and related support staff.

j. MANUFACTURING:

1. Workers necessary for the manufacturing of materials, goods, products, or similar distribution.

k. HAZARDOUS MATERIALS:

1. Workers at nuclear facilities, workers managing medical waste, workers managing waste from pharmaceuticals and medical material production, and workers at laboratories processing test kits.
2. Workers who support hazardous materials response and cleanup.
3. Workers who maintain digital systems infrastructure supporting hazardous materials management operations.

l. FINANCIAL SERVICES AND INSURANCE:

1. Workers who are needed to process and maintain systems for processing financial transactions and services (e.g., payment, clearing, and settlement; wholesale funding; insurance services; and capital markets activities).
2. Workers who are needed to provide consumer access to banking and lending services, including ATMs, and to move currency and payments (e.g., armored car carriers).

3. Workers who support financial operations, such as those engaged in the selling, trading, or marketing of securities, those engaged in giving advice on investment portfolios, and those staffing data and security operations centers.
4. Workers engaged in the underwriting, selling, marketing, or brokering of insurance, and any workers who support those activities or who associated with the investigation and fulfillment of insurance claims.

m. CHEMICAL:

1. Workers supporting the chemical and industrial gas supply chains, including workers at chemical manufacturing plants, workers in laboratories, workers at distribution facilities, workers who transport basic raw chemical materials to the producers of industrial and consumer goods, including hand sanitizers, food and food additives, pharmaceuticals, textiles, and paper products.
2. Workers supporting the safe transportation of chemicals, including those supporting tank truck cleaning facilities and workers who manufacture packaging items.
3. Workers supporting the production of protective cleaning and medical solutions, personal protective equipment, and packaging that prevents the contamination of food, water, medicine, among others essential products.
4. Workers supporting the operation and maintenance of facilities (particularly those with high risk chemicals and/ or sites that cannot be shut down) whose work cannot be done remotely and requires the presence of highly trained personnel to ensure safe operations, including plant contract workers who provide inspections.
5. Workers who support the production and transportation of chlorine and alkali manufacturing, single-use plastics, and packaging that prevents the contamination or supports the continued manufacture of food, water, medicine, and other essential products, including glass container manufacturing.

n. DEFENSE INDUSTRIAL BASE:

1. Workers who support the essential services required to meet national security commitments to the federal government and U.S. Military. These individuals, include but are not limited to, aerospace; mechanical and software engineers, manufacturing/production workers; IT support; security staff; security personnel; intelligence support, aircraft and weapon system mechanics and maintainers.
2. Personnel working for companies, and their subcontractors, who perform under contract to the Department of Defense providing

materials and services to the Department of Defense, and government-owned/contractor-operated and government-owned/government-operated facilities.

o. CONSTRUCTION:

1. Workers who are engaged in the construction of residential, non-residential structures, or infrastructure, and any workers who provide critical maintenance to residential or non-residential structures.
2. Businesses that supply materials and hardware to those engaged in the construction of residential or non-residential structures.
3. Workers involved in activities related to the design and apportionment of residential and non-residential structures.

p. NECESSARY PRODUCTS RETAILERS: Retailers that sell or provide Necessary Products. Such Necessary Products shall include:

1. Medical and hygiene supplies.
2. Dry goods.
3. Agricultural supplies (commercial and residential).
4. Pet and animal food and supplies.
5. Hardware.
6. Products and technological equipment or the maintenance of such products or equipment necessary for people to work from home;
7. Alcohol, beer and wine, and any wholesalers or distributors of those products; and
8. Any other household consumer products or other products necessary to maintain the safety, sanitation, and essential operations of residences.

q. NECESSARY RETAIL AND SERVICES ESTABLISHMENTS:

1. Businesses that sell or supply Necessary Products Retailers or other Necessary Services Establishments.
2. Businesses that ship, sell, or deliver groceries, food, goods or services directly to residences, Necessary Products Retailers or other Necessary Services Establishments, and businesses that may act as wholesalers to those retail establishments.
3. Appliance repair, electricians, exterminators, home repair, plumbers, or any other service providers who provide services or equipment that is necessary to maintaining the safety, sanitation, and essential operation of residences, Necessary Products Retailers, or Necessary Services Establishments.

4. Automobile and bicycle repair facilities or those engaged in the sale or distribution of equipment or parts necessary for the repair of automobiles and bicycles.
 5. Lawn and garden retail facilities or those engaged in the distribution of lawn and garden product.
 6. Businesses that sell or distribute gasoline or road-use diesel in any form.
 7. Businesses that provide for the warehousing and storage of large quantities of goods.
 8. Courier or other express delivery services and any postal services.
 9. Businesses that provide support services for the scientific, technical, or information technology fields.
 10. Certain outdoor recreational activities such as marinas and similar facilities.
 11. Educational institutions (subject to the requirements of the social distancing requirements of the prior modified declarations of the COVID-19 State of Emergency, which requirements are not affected here).
 12. Houses of worship and other place of religious expression or fellowship (subject to the requirements of existing emergency orders, which requirements are not affected by this Order).
 13. Social service providers.
 14. Home-based care for senior, adults, or children.
 15. Residential facilities and shelters for seniors, adults or children.
 16. Childcare facilities.
 17. Chiropractic care facilities.
 18. Physical therapy facilities.
 19. Banks, credit unions, insurance providers, or other financial institutions.
 20. Professional services, such as legal, registered agent, or accounting services and associated support services.
 21. Businesses providing temporary employment placement services.
 22. Laundromats provided they limit occupancy to less than 10 people in the facility and require social-distancing among patrons, dry cleaners or other laundry service providers.
 23. Hotel and commercial lodging.
 24. Taxi or for hire transportation (provided that ride-sharing services are not permitted).
 25. Business, professional, labor, or other similar businesses that act in an organizing capacity, provided they attempt to limit large gatherings to less than 10 members in person.
 26. Pet sitters.
- r. **OPEN AIR RECREATION FACILITIES** appropriate to engaging in outdoor activity (provided they are appropriate to comply with social distancing requirements of my prior modified declarations of the COVID-

19 State of Emergency), such recreation facilities including but not limited to State and local parks or other open air recreation facilities, but specifically excluding swimming facilities.

7. **Non-Essential Businesses:** “Non-Essential Businesses” as used herein means:

1. Hospitality and Recreation Facilities, including but not limited to:
 - a. indoor community and recreation centers.
 - b. casinos and racetracks.
 - c. sporting facilities (professional and amateur), including but not limited to indoor skating rinks (ice and non-ice), martial arts studios, dance studios, indoor tennis and similar indoor athletic facilities.
 - d. gyms, including yoga, barre and spin facilities.
 - e. hair salons, barber shops, nail salons, and spas.
2. Concert halls and venues;
3. Theaters and performing arts venues;
4. Sporting event facilities and venues;
5. Golf courses and shooting ranges, except golf courses and shooting ranges are excluded from Non-Essential Businesses if they conform with the social distancing requirements of my prior modified declarations of the COVID-19 State of Emergency;
6. Realtors of both residential and non-residential properties and associated industries, except that Realtors are permitted to work from home to the extent feasible, to do all necessary showings to perspective buyers/lessors, and to take any action necessary to complete any sales or rentals in progress prior to this Modification of the State of Emergency;
7. Certain Business support services, including customer service call centers and telemarketing operations;
8. Shopping malls, except a shopping mall may be excluded from Non-Essential Business if public access is required so that the public can access any Necessary Retail and Services Establishments located within or adjacent to the shopping mall. In such cases, any public access is subject to the social distancing requirements of my prior modified declarations of the COVID-19 State of Emergency; and
9. Retail stores not included within the definition of Essential Businesses.

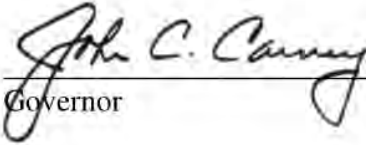
8. **Closure of Non-Essential Businesses.**

All physical locations of Non-Essential Businesses within the State of Delaware shall be closed until after May 15, 2020, or the public health threat of COVID-19 has been eliminated, effective 8:00 a.m. E.D.T. on Tuesday, March 24, 2020, except

that Non-Essential Business may continue to offer goods and services over the internet.

9. **Enforcement.** This Order has the force and effect of law. Any failure to comply with the provisions contained in a Declaration of a State of Emergency or any modification to a Declaration of the State of Emergency constitutes a criminal offense. 20 Del. C. §§ 3115 (b); 3116 (9); 3122; 3125. State and local law enforcement agencies are authorized to enforce the provisions of any Declaration of a State of Emergency.

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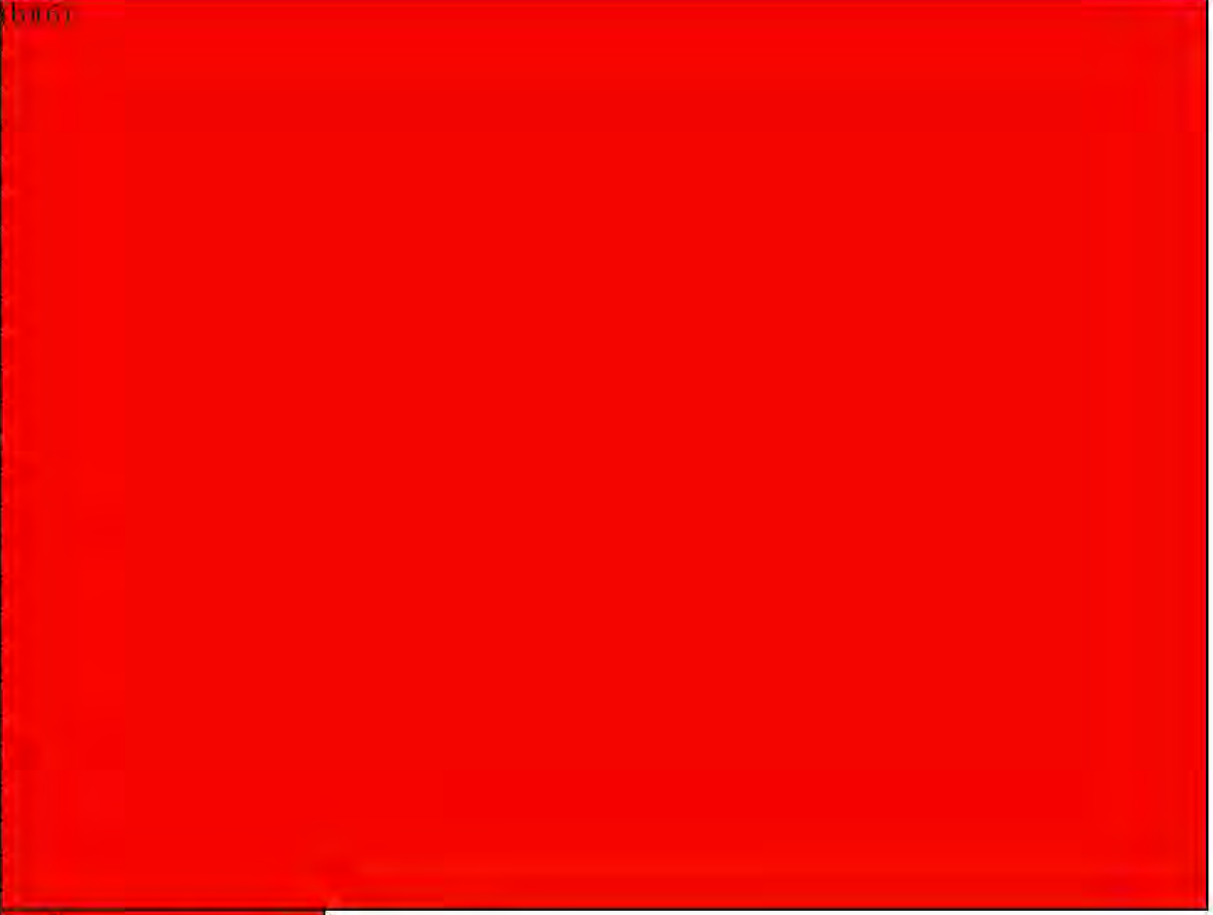
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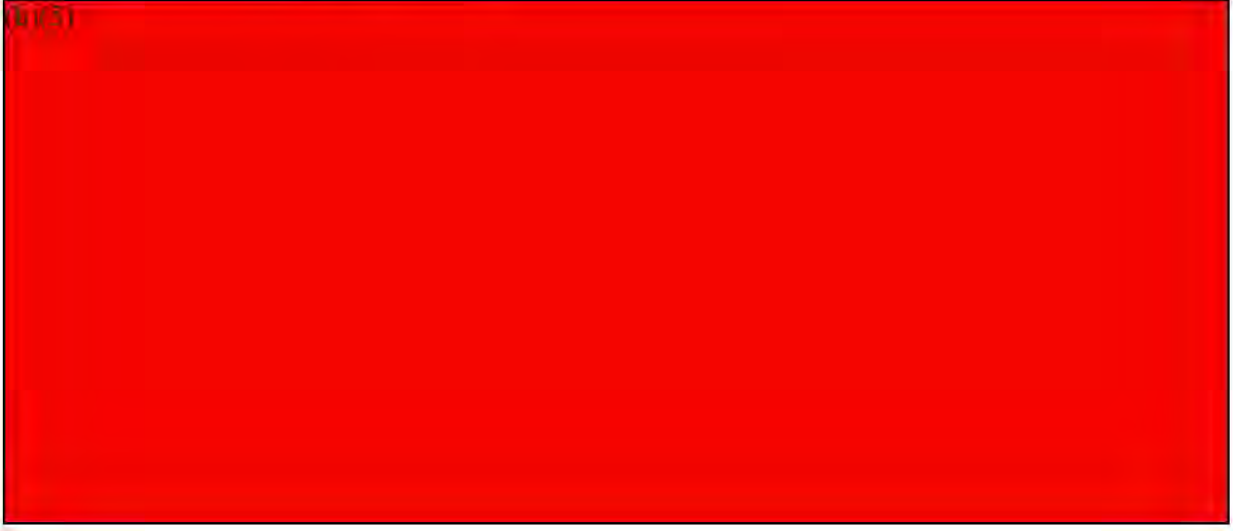
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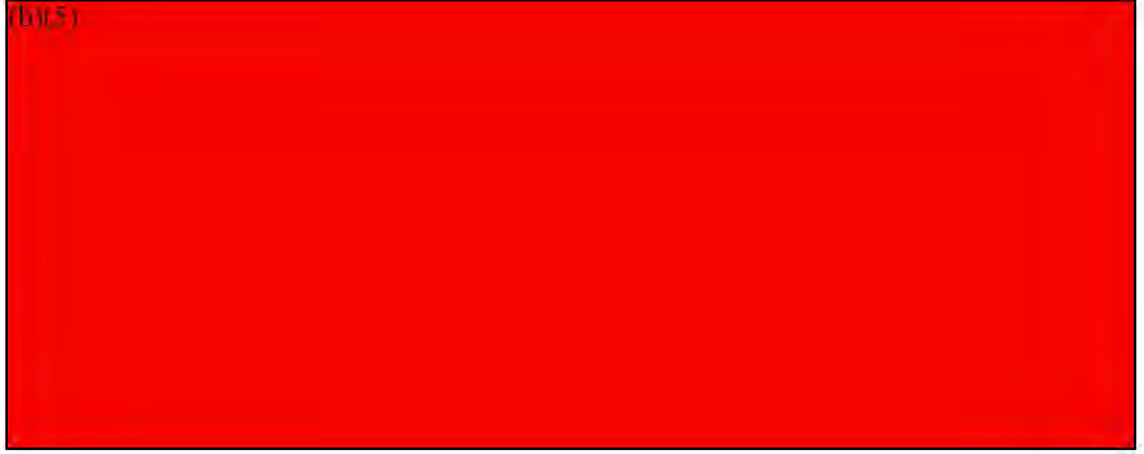
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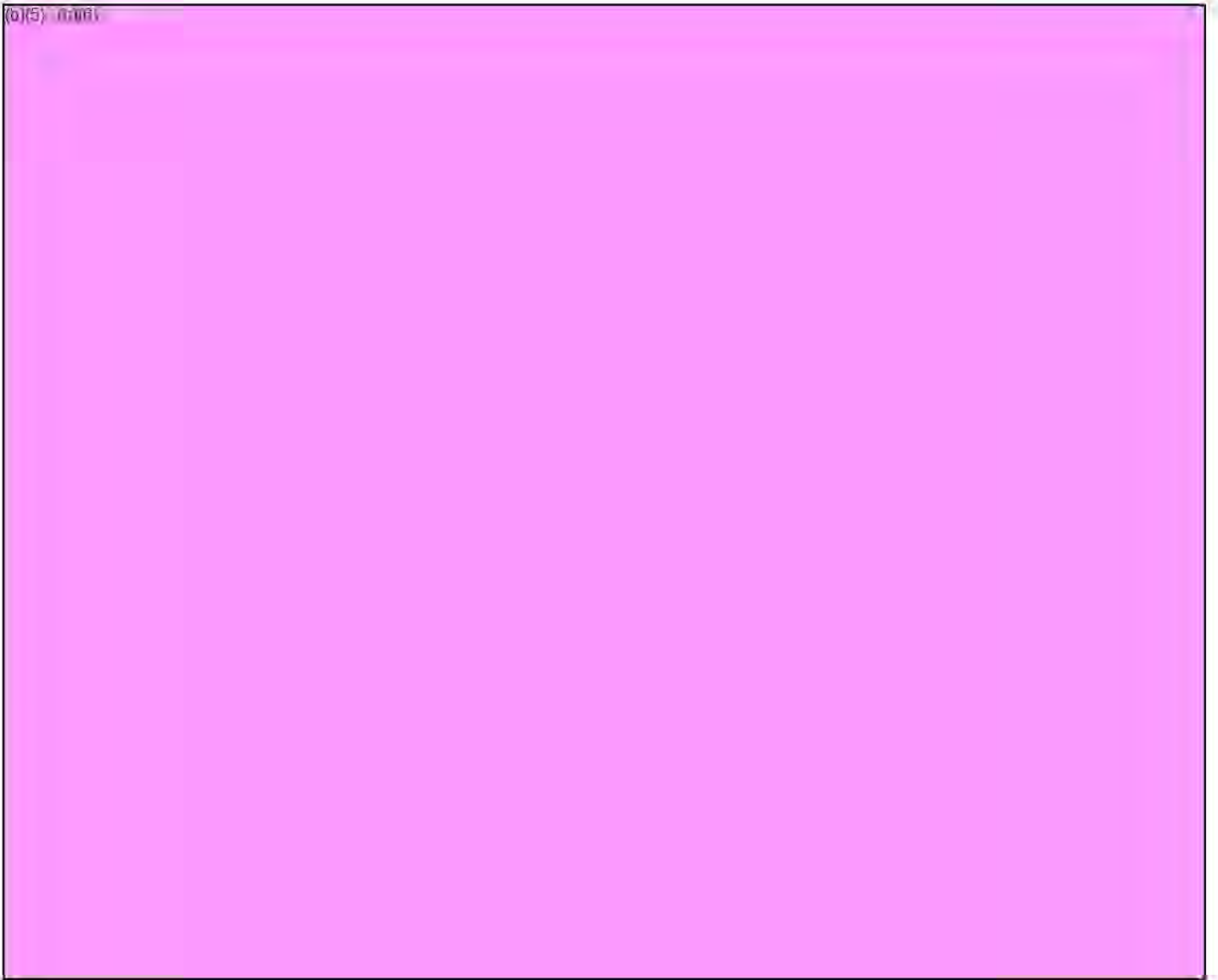
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Good Evening:

Our apologies for getting this to you late. I will create a task in VIEWS in the morning if it is not too late. Please advise how I should move forward.

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FIRM DEADLINE: 9:00PM Thursday (TODAY), Mar 26 2020

Attached for your review, please find a draft Signing Statement on H.R. 748, the Coronavirus Aid, Relief, and Economic Security (CARES) Act. The bill would make emergency supplemental appropriations and other changes to law to help the Nation respond to the coronavirus outbreak. The Senate passed the bill last night by a vote of 96-0, and House action is expected soon thereby clearing the measure for the President. The draft signing statement addresses constitutional concerns with the bill.

Please review and provide any comments/edits by the firm deadline above. Absent a response, OMB will assume that your agency/office has no comments or objections.

Thank you

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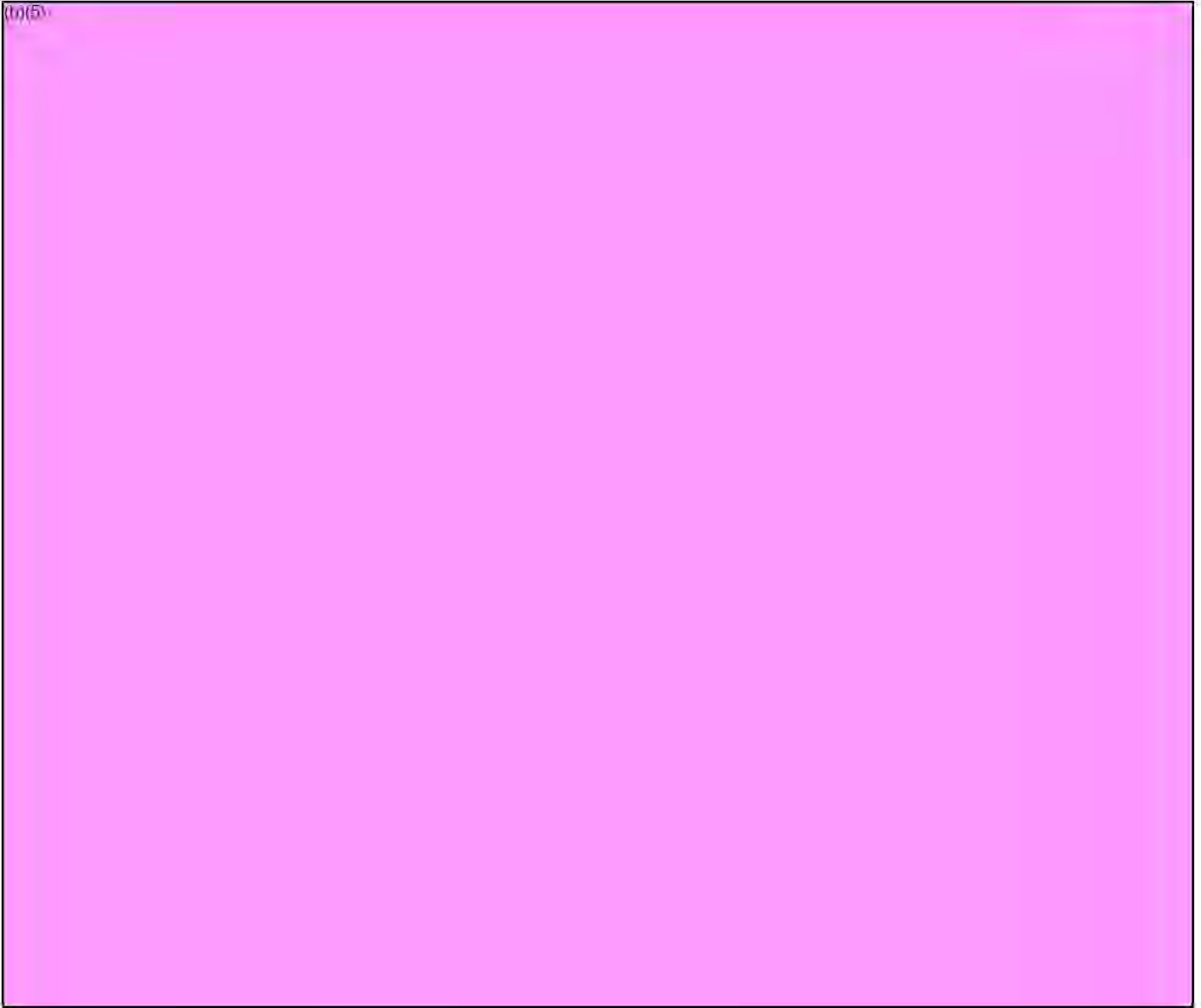
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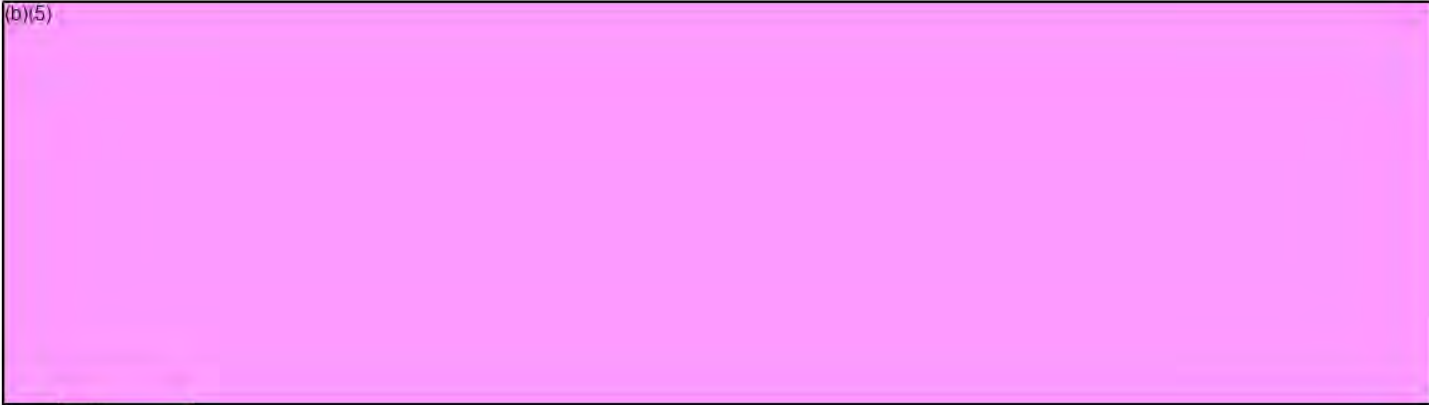
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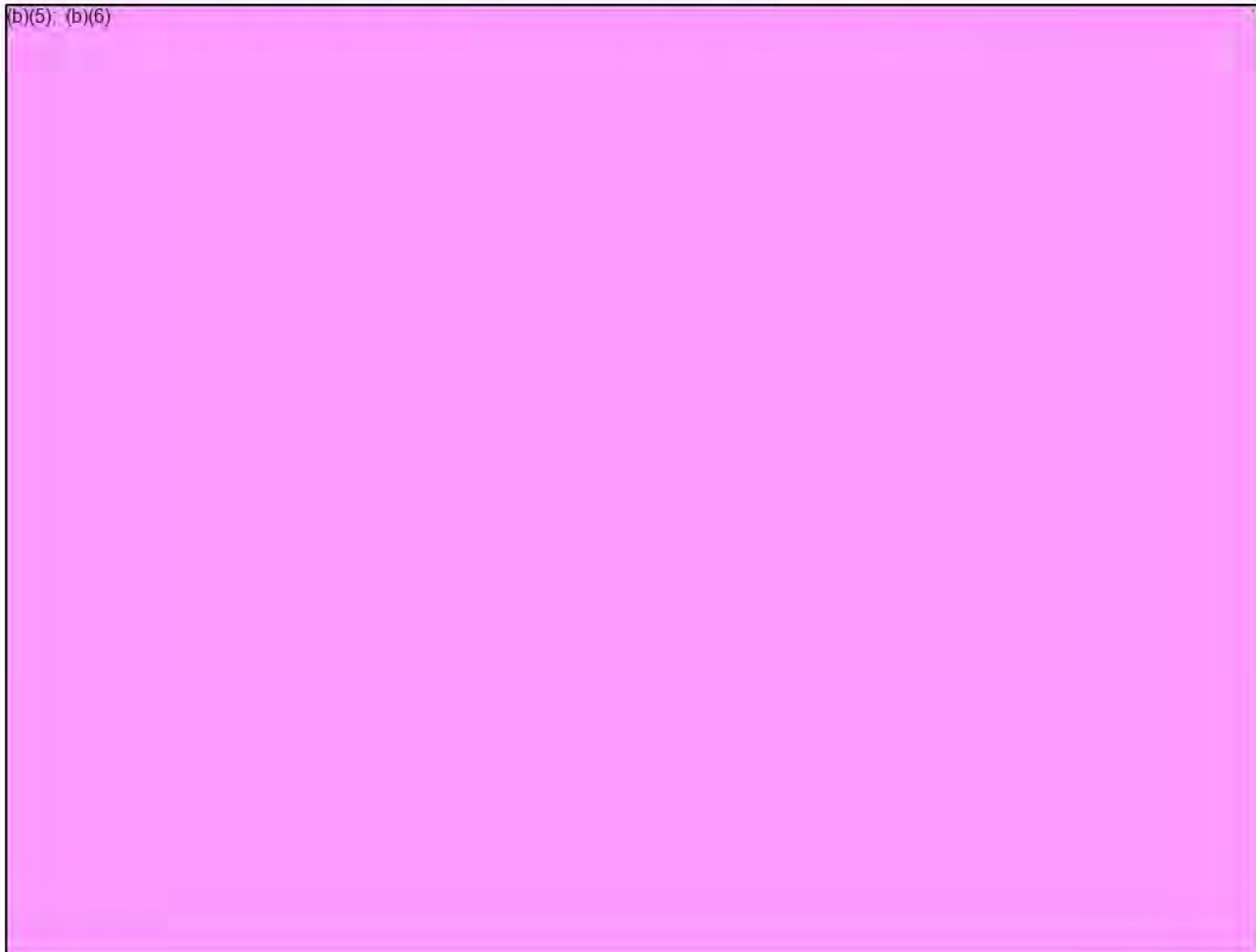
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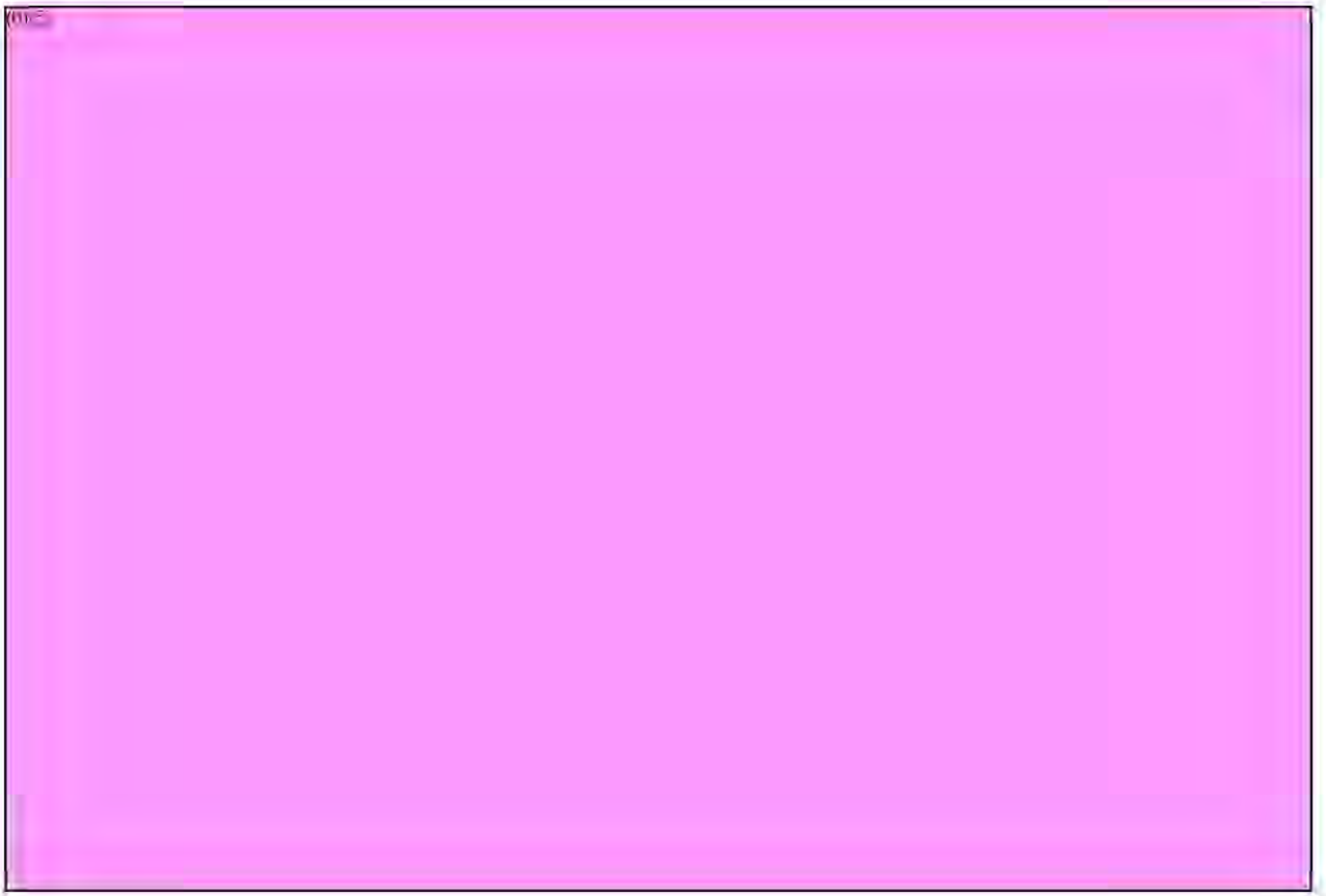
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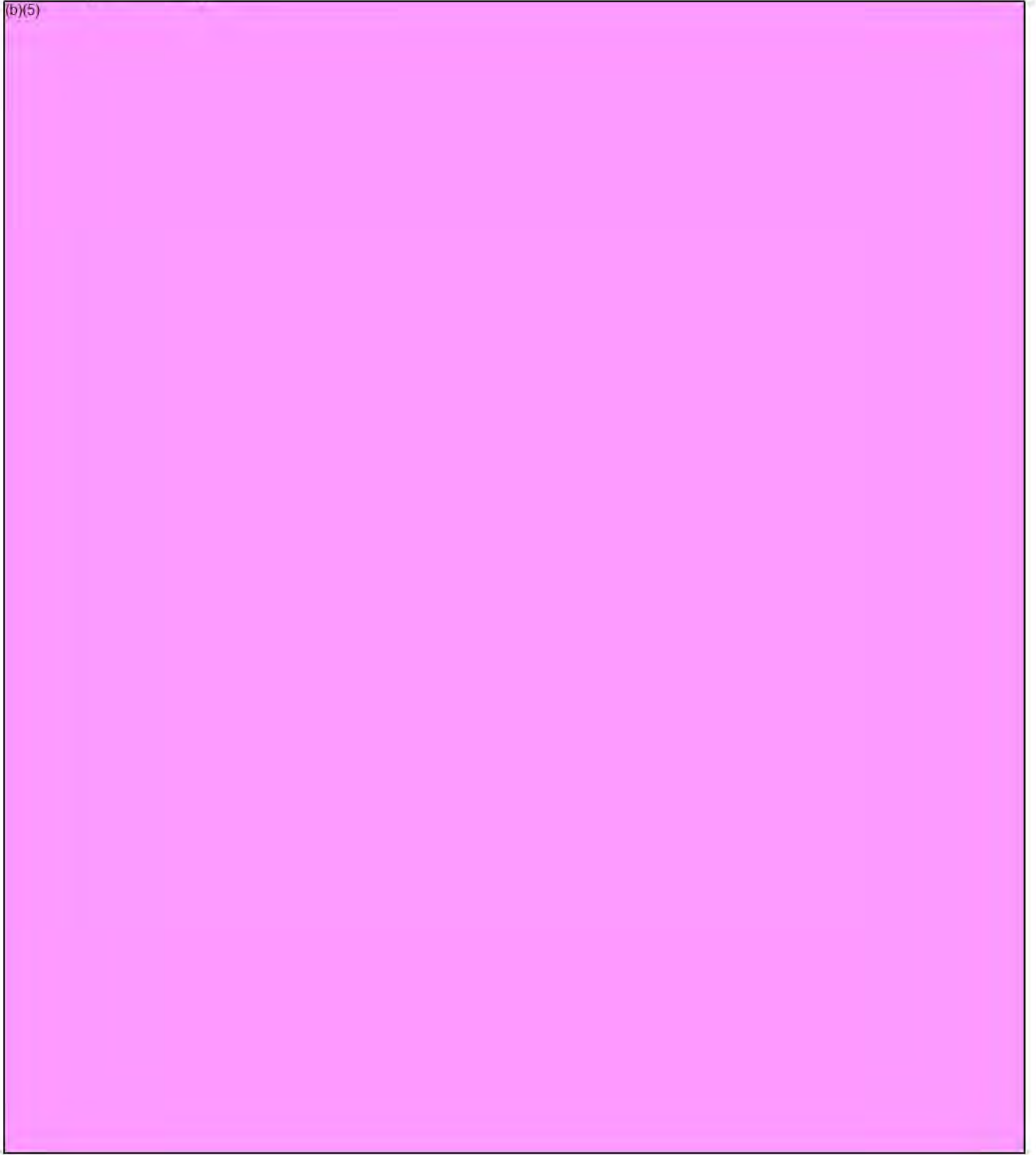
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Subject: final? version of CARES Act

Importance: High

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Sent: Mon, 30 Mar 2020 15:45:45 +0000
To: Parsons, Amelia (OGC)
Subject: RE: Senator Murphy (CT)- VA Authorities -VA health system can give states coronavirus backup, but only on HHS orders

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Susan
Thanks!

Eric Raun

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From: (b)(6) @va.gov>
Sent: Monday, March 30, 2020 11:43 AM
To: Raun, Eric L. (OGC) (b)(6) @va.gov>
Subject: RE: Senator Murphy (CT)- VA Authorities -VA health system can give states coronavirus backup, but only on HHS orders

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Subject: RE: Senator Murphy (CT)- VA Authorities -VA health system can give states coronavirus backup, but only on HHS orders

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Eric Raun

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From: (b)(6) @va.gov>
Sent: Monday, March 30, 2020 11:11 AM
To: Raun, Eric L. (OGC) (b)(6) @va.gov>
Subject: RE: Senator Murphy (CT)- VA Authorities -VA health system can give states coronavirus backup, but only on HHS orders

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Cell:

From: Raun, Eric L. (OGC) <(b)(6)@va.gov>

Sent: Monday, March 30, 2020 11:03 AM

To: (b)(6)@va.gov

Subject: RE: Senator Murphy (CT)- VA Authorities -VA health system can give states coronavirus backup, but only on HHS orders

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Eric Raun

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Sent: Monday, March 30, 2020 10:57 AM

To: Blauert, Susan (OGC) <(b)(6)@va.gov>

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Subject: RE: Senator Murphy (CT)- VA Authorities -VA health system can give states coronavirus backup, but only on HHS orders

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From: Blauert, Susan (OGC) <(b)(6)@va.gov>

Sent: Monday, March 30, 2020 10:26 AM

To: Hipolit, Richard (OGC) <(b)(6)@va.gov>

Cc: (b)(6)@va.gov; Raun, Eric L. (OGC) <(b)(6)@va.gov>

Subject: FW: Senator Murphy (CT)- VA Authorities -VA health system can give states coronavirus backup, but only on HHS orders

Hi Dick,

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Thanks,
Susan

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From: Raun, Eric L. (OGC) (b)(6) @va.gov>

Sent: Friday, March 27, 2020 2:29 PM

To: Blauert, Susan (OGC) (b)(6) @va.gov>

Cc: (b)(6) @va.gov>

Subject: FW: Senator Murphy (CT)- VA Authorities -VA health system can give states coronavirus backup, but only on HHS orders

Susan

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Thanks

Eric

Eric Raun

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Subject: RE: Senator Murphy (CT)- VA Authorities -VA health system can give states coronavirus backup, but only on HHS orders

Good afternoon,

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Thanks,

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Subject: FW: Senator Murphy (CT)- VA Authorities -VA health system can give states coronavirus backup, but only on HHS orders

Good Morning:

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Thank you.

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Subject: RE: Senator Murphy (CT)- VA Authorities -VA health system can give states coronavirus backup, but only on HHS orders

Good morning,

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Thanks.

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Subject: [EXTERNAL] RE: VA health system can give states coronavirus backup, but only on HHS orders

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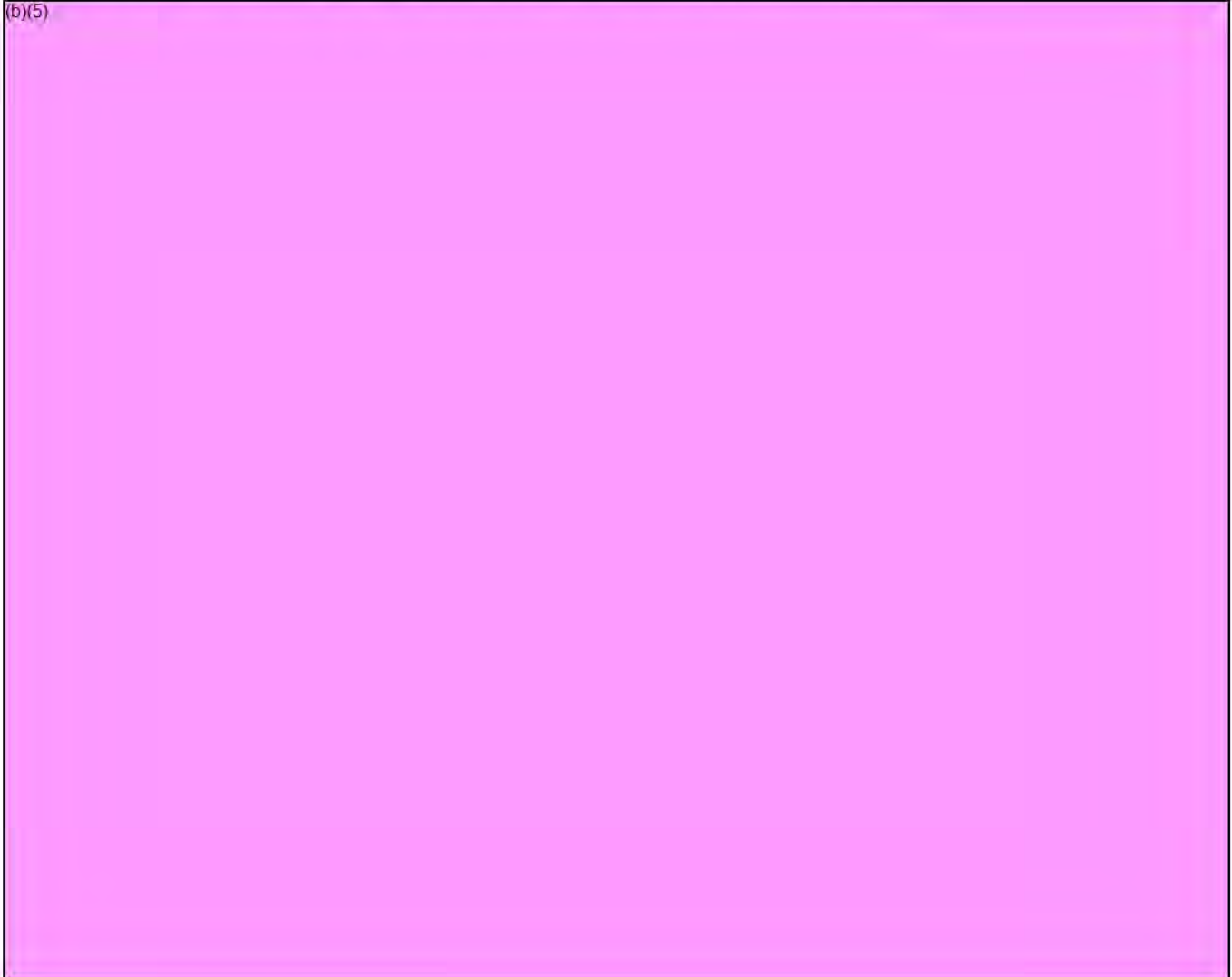
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Thanks
Eric

Eric Raun

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Primary MOC:

Signature Level: SECVA

Task Created By: (b)(6)@va.gov

Office: OGC-02 General Counsel

Organization: OGC

Task Name: (b)(6)

Due Date is on: 2020-03-27 17:00:00

Action Requested: Provide Concurrence

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Thank you!

From: Raun, Eric L. (OGC)
Sent: Thu, 13 Jun 2019 15:26:13 +0000
To: Blauert, Susan (OGC)
Cc: (b)(6) (OGC)
Subject: FW: VIEWS 226326: NATIONAL BIODEFENSE REQUEST FOR INFORMATION
Attachments: (b)(5)
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Thanks
Eric

From: Hardzog, Lisa (OGC)
Sent: Thursday, June 13, 2019 8:47 AM
To: Raun, Eric L. (OGC) <(b)(6)@va.gov>
Cc: (b)(6)@va.gov
Subject: RE: VIEWS 226326: NATIONAL BIODEFENSE REQUEST FOR INFORMATION

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Thanks
Eric

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Cc: (b)(6)@va.gov>
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Thanks
Eric

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Subject: RE: VIEWS 226326: NATIONAL BIODEFENSE REQUEST FOR INFORMATION
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Hi Eric,

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Thank you,

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Cc: Raun, Eric L. (OGC) <(b)(6)@va.gov> <(b)(6)@va.gov>
Subject: RE: VIEWS 226326: NATIONAL BIODEFENSE REQUEST FOR INFORMATION

Good Morning (b)(6)

(b)(5)

Thanks,

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Hi (b)(6)

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Good morning (b)(6)

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Thanks,
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Hi (b)(6)

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Thank you!

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To: (b)(6)@va.gov>

Cc: Raun, Eric L. (OGC) (b)(6)@va.gov>

Subject: RE: VIEWS 226326: NATIONAL BIODEFENSE REQUEST FOR INFORMATION

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Thank you,

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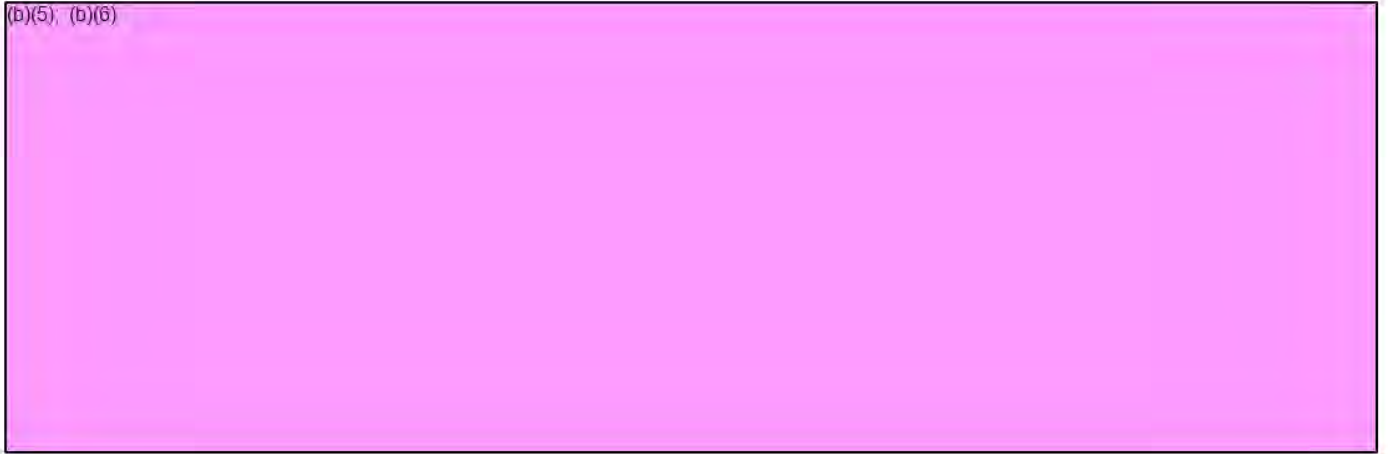
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Sent: Mon, 30 Mar 2020 19:17:49 +0000
To: Hipolit, Richard (OGC)
Cc: Raun, Eric L. (OGC) (b)(6) (OGC); Hogan, Michael R. (OGC)
Subject: FW: MA 314159-4488DRNJVA01 IFMIS Stamped
Attachments: 314159-4488DRNJVA01.IFMIS.pdf

Hi Dick,

(b)(5)

Thanks,
Susan

Susan Blauert

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Office

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Cellphone

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Sent: Monday, March 30, 2020 2:29 PM
To: Blauert, Susan (OGC) (b)(6) @va.gov>
Cc: OGC COVID-19 <ogccovid19@va.gov>
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To: (b)(6) @va.gov> (b)(6) @va.gov>
Cc: Hogan, Michael R. (OGC) (b)(6) @va.gov>; VAIOC <(b)(6) @va.gov>
Subject: FW: MA 314159-4488DRNJVA01 IFMIS Stamped

Good afternoon,

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(b)(6)

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Hello (b)(6)

(b)(5)

Best,

(b)(6)

Data & Analytics Specialist
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From: Hipolit, Richard (OGC)
Sent: Mon, 30 Mar 2020 19:47:06 +0000
To: VAIOC
Cc: Hogan, Michael R. (OGC); Mcilroy, Andrew R.; Barrans, David (OGC); Blauert, Susan (OGC); (b)(6) (OGC); (b)(6) (OGC); Fleck, Robert R. (OGC); Frick, Melinda (OGC); Gruntmeir, Doris (OGC); Hipolit, Richard (OGC); Hogan, Michael R. (OGC); Hughes, Michael D. (OGC); (b)(6) (OGC); Kennedy, Tammy (OGC); McGuire, Dennis (OGC); Mitrano, Catherine (SES) (OGC); (b)(6) (OGC); (b)(6) (OGC); (b)(6) (OGC); Rattray, Daniel (OGC); (b)(6) (OGC); Romaneski, Mark (OGC); Stacey, Jeffrey (OGC); Hudson, William A. (OGC); Wagner, John (Wolf)
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Good afternoon,

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Hello (b)(6)

(b)(5)

Best,

(b)(6)

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To: (b)(6)
Subject: State Homes occupancy rates
Attachments: Senate amend to HR 748 - 3d Supp FINAL.pdf

Hi (b)(6)

(b)(5), (b)(6)

Eric Raun

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From: (b)(6) (OGC)
Sent: Tue, 31 Mar 2020 13:03:32 +0000
To: Raun, Eric L. (OGC)
Subject: RE: Should patients be told if their providers were exposed to Covid?

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Sent: Tuesday, March 31, 2020 9:03 AM
To: (b)(6)@va.gov
Subject: RE: Should patients be told if their providers were exposed to Covid?

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Thanks
Eric

Eric Raun

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Susan Blauert

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Thanks

Susan:

Eric

Eric Raun

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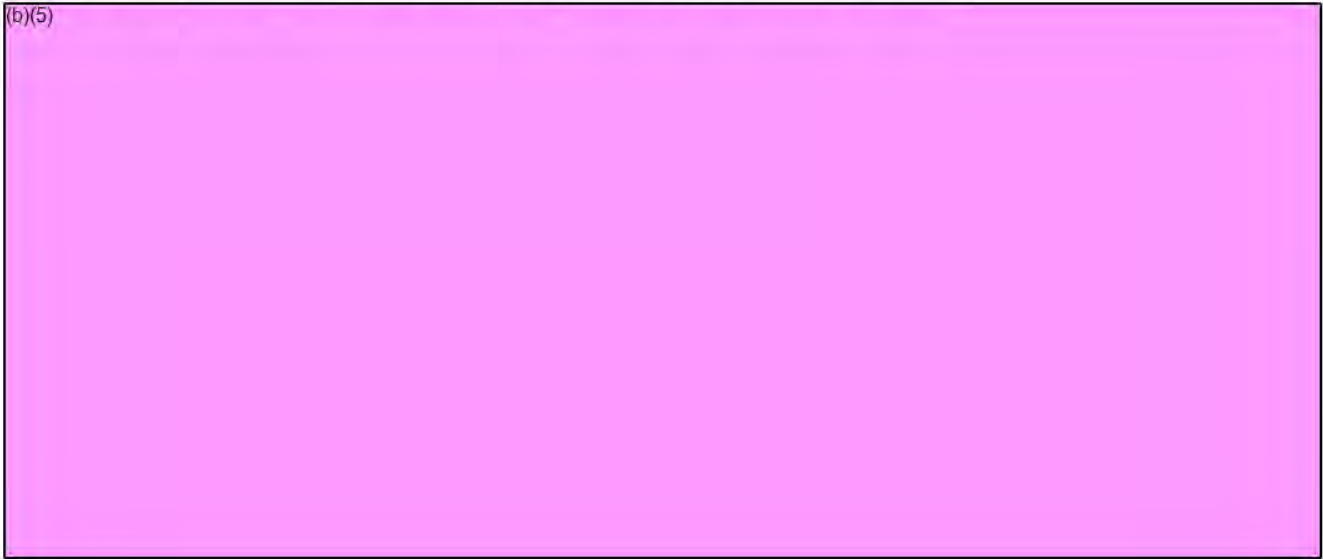
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Cc: Blauert, Susan (OGC) <(b)(6)@va.gov>

Subject: RE: Should patients be told if their providers were exposed to Covid?

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Eric Raun

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From: Blauert, Susan (OGC) <(b)(6)@va.gov>

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To: (b)(6) <(b)(6)@va.gov>

Subject: FW: Should patients be told if their providers were exposed to Covid?

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Susan Blauert

(b)(6)

Office

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To: Blauert, Susan (OGC) (b)(6)@va.gov>

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(b)(6)@va.gov>

Subject: Should patients be told if their providers were exposed to Covid?

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Thanks,

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Cc: Raun, Eric L. (OGC); McGuire, Dennis (OGC)
Subject: RE: OGC opinion re Hotel Donations and 50 mile travel restriction
Attachments: (b)(6)

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Cc: Raun, Eric L. (OGC) (b)(6) @va.gov>; McGuire, Dennis (OGC) (b)(6) @va.gov>
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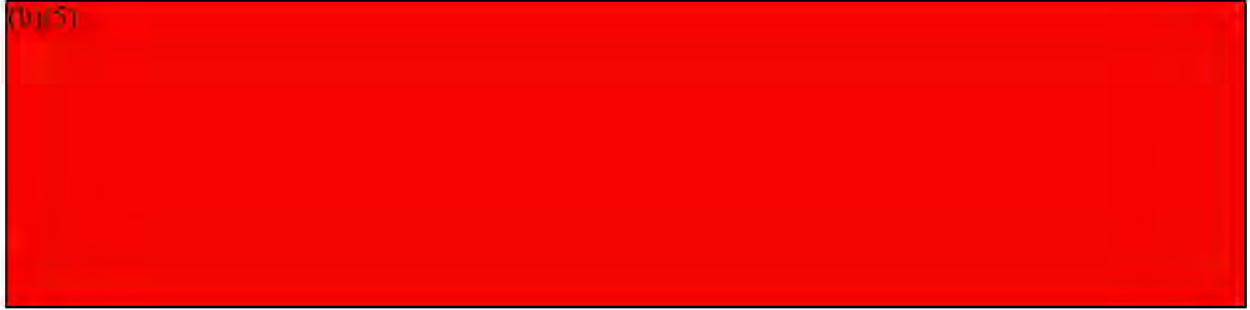
Doris L. Gruntmeir
Chief Counsel, Personnel Law Group
Office of General Counsel
Tel. (b)(6)

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To: Gruntmeir, Doris (OGC) (b)(6) @va.gov>; Raun, Eric L. (OGC) (b)(6) @va.gov>
Subject: OGC opinion re Hotel Donations and 50 mile travel restriction

Doris and Eric –

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Very Respectfully,

(b)(6)



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Deputy Chief Counsel
U.S. Department of Veterans Affairs
Office of Chief Counsel-Midwest District
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To: (b)(6) (OGC); Bradshaw, Doug (OGC) (b)(6) (OGC)
Cc: Raun, Eric L. (OGC); McCallum, Deborah (OGC) (b)(6) (OGC)
Subject: RE: Should patients be told if their providers were exposed to Covid?

Thank you!

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Sent: Tuesday, March 31, 2020 11:42 AM
To: (b)(6) (OGC) (b)(6) @va.gov>; Bradshaw, Doug (OGC) (b)(6) @va.gov>; (b)(6) (OGC) (b)(6) @va.gov>
Cc: (b)(6) @va.gov>; McCallum, Deborah (OGC) (b)(6) @va.gov>
Subject: RE: Should patients be told if their providers were exposed to Covid?

Good morning,

I am looping in Debbie McCallum, PLG Senior EEO Attorney Advisor.

Thanks

Daenia L. Peart

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Personnel Law Group, Office of General Counsel
U.S. Department of Veterans Affairs
810 Vermont Ave., NW
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Good morning,

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(b)(6) <@va.gov>

Subject: Should patients be told if their providers were exposed to Covid?

(b)(5)

Thanks,

(b)(6)

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Attachments: Senate amend to HR 748 - 3d Supp FINAL (003).pdf

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From: (b)(6)
Sent: Tue, 31 Mar 2020 22:00:36 +0000
To: Raun, Eric L. (OGC)
Subject: FW: Senate Coronavirus supplemental
Attachments: Division B- Coronavirus Supp - final agreement.pdf
Importance: High

Hi Eric,

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If you have any other questions, please let me know.

Thanks,

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Sent: Thursday, March 26, 2020 8:53 AM
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Subject: FW: Senate Coronavirus supplemental
Importance: High

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State Home Construction Grant Program Manager , Capital Asset Management (CAM)/10NA5F
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Subject: Senate Coronavirus supplemental

CFOs, budget folks and others

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From: Heapphy, Kathleen A. (OGC)
Sent: Wed, 1 Apr 2020 11:24:20 +0000
To: (b)(6) (OGC); Kirchhoefer, Robert P. (OGC); Peart, Daenia (OGC)
Cc: Raun, Eric L. (OGC)
Subject: RE: Should patients be told if their providers were exposed to Covid?

Thank you, Doug! Stay well and safe!

From: Bradshaw, Doug (OGC) <(b)(6)@va.gov>
Sent: Tuesday, March 31, 2020 3:18 PM
To: Heapphy, Kathleen A. (OGC) <(b)(6)@va.gov>; Kirchhoefer, Robert P. (OGC) <(b)(6)@va.gov>; Peart, Daenia (OGC) <(b)(6)@va.gov>
Cc: Raun, Eric L. (OGC) <(b)(6)@va.gov>
Subject: RE: Should patients be told if their providers were exposed to Covid?

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Thanks
Doug

From: Heapphy, Kathleen A. (OGC) <(b)(6)@va.gov>
Sent: Tuesday, March 31, 2020 9:03 AM
To: Bradshaw, Doug (OGC) <(b)(6)@va.gov>; (b)(6) (OGC) <(b)(6)@va.gov>; (b)(6)@va.gov
Cc: Raun, Eric L. (OGC) <(b)(6)@va.gov>
Subject: FW: Should patients be told if their providers were exposed to Covid?

Good morning,

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Sent: Monday, March 30, 2020 1:36 PM

To: Blauert, Susan (OGC) (b)(6)@va.gov>

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Subject: Should patients be told if their providers were exposed to Covid?

(b)(5)

Thanks,

(b)(6)

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(b)(5)

Thanks,

(b)(6)

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Subject: RE: CARES Act - SVH Occupancy rates
Attachments: Senate amend to HR 748 - 3d Supp FINAL.pdf

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From: Raun, Eric L. (OGC) (b)(6)@va.gov>
Sent: Wednesday, April 1, 2020 9:12 AM
To: (b)(6)@va.gov>
Subject: RE: CARES Act - SVH Occupancy rates

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Eric Raun

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From: (b)(6)@va.gov>
Sent: Wednesday, April 1, 2020 8:10 AM
To: Raun, Eric L. (OGC) (b)(6)@va.gov>
Subject: RE: CARES Act - SVH Occupancy rates

Hi Eric,

(b)(5)

Thanks,

(b)(6)

From: (b)(6)
Sent: Tuesday, March 31, 2020 9:56 AM
To: Raun, Eric L. (OGC) (b)(6)@va.gov>
Subject: RE: CARES Act - SVH Occupancy rates

Hi Eric,

(b)(5)

Thanks,

(b)(6)

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Sent: Monday, March 30, 2020 4:21 PM
To: (b)(6)@va.gov>
Subject: RE: CARES Act - SVH Occupancy rates

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Eric Raun

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From: Raun, Eric L. (OGC)
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To: (b)(6)@va.gov>
Subject: FW: CARES Act - SVH Occupancy rates

Hi (b)(6)

See below about meeting.

Eric Raun

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Sent: Monday, March 30, 2020 4:00 PM
To: Raun, Eric L. (OGC) <(b)(6)@va.gov>
Subject: RE: CARES Act - SVH Occupancy rates

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Susan Blauert

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From: Raun, Eric L. (OGC) <(b)(6)@va.gov>
Sent: Monday, March 30, 2020 3:57 PM
To: Blauert, Susan (OGC) (b)(6)@va.gov>
Subject: RE: CARES Act - SVH Occupancy rates

Hi Susan

(b)(5); (b)(6)

Eric

Eric Raun

(b)(6)

From: Blauert, Susan (OGC) (b)(6)@va.gov>

Sent: Monday, March 30, 2020 3:26 PM

To: Raun, Eric L. (OGC) (b)(6)@va.gov>

Subject: FW: CARES Act - SVH Occupancy rates

Hi Eric,

(b)(5)

Thanks,
Susan

Susan Blauert

(b)(6) Office

(b)(6) Cellphone

From: (b)(6)@va.gov>

Sent: Monday, March 30, 2020 3:24 PM

To: Blauert, Susan (OGC) (b)(6)@va.gov>

Subject: CARES Act - SVH Occupancy rates

Hi Susan,

(b)(5)

Thanks,

(b)(6)

Regulatory Specialist

Office of Regulatory and Administrative Affairs (10B4)

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810 Vermont Ave. NW, 675J | Washington, D.C. 20420

Office: (b)(6)

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From: Blauert, Susan (OGC)
Sent: Wed, 1 Apr 2020 14:05:29 +0000
To: (b)(6) (OGC (b)(6))
Cc: Raun, Eric L. (OGC)
Subject: FW: State Homes
Attachments: Senate amend to HR 748 - 3d Supp FINAL.pdf
Importance: High

Good Morning Uduak and Drew,

(b)(5)

(b)(5) Please keep Eric and I looped.

Thanks,
Susan



Susan Blauert

(b)(6) Office
(b)(6) Cellphone

From: Hipolit, Richard (OGC) (b)(6)@va.gov>
Sent: Wednesday, April 1, 2020 9:45 AM
To: Blauert, Susan (OGC (b)(6))@va.gov>
Subject: State Homes

Susan, (b)(5)

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Richard J. Hipolit
Deputy General Counsel, Veterans Programs
Office: (b)(6)
Cell: (b)(6)

From: (b)(6) (OGC)
Sent: Wed, 1 Apr 2020 11:09:28 +0000
To: (b)(6) (OGC)
Cc: Raun, Eric L. (OGC)
Subject: RE: Should patients be told if their providers were exposed to Covid?
Attachments: FW: (b)(5)

Hi (b)(6)

(b)(5); (b)(6)

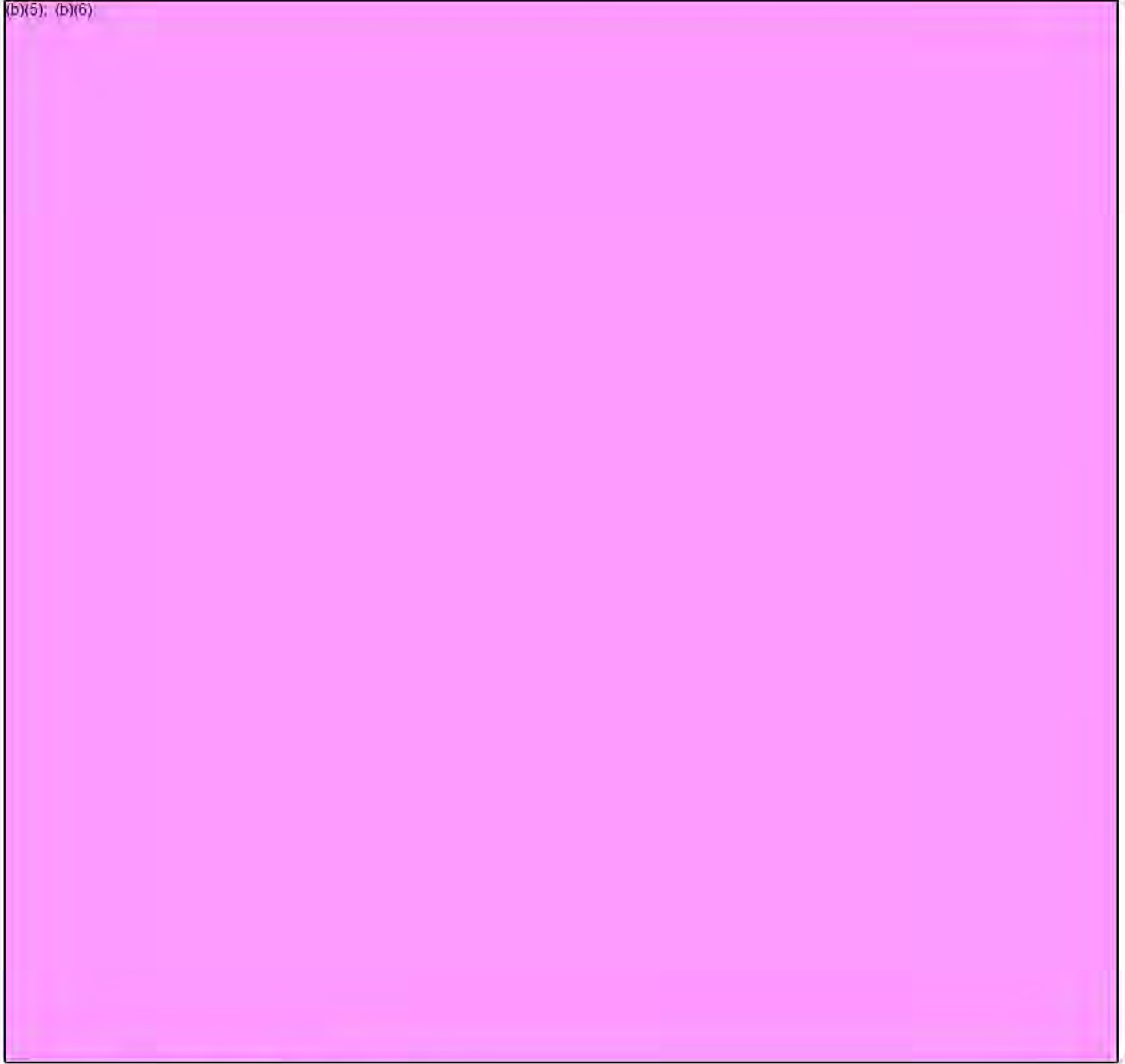
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Subject: FW: Should patients be told if their providers were exposed to Covid?

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(b)(6)@va.gov>

Subject: Should patients be told if their providers were exposed to Covid?

(b)(5) (b)(6)

Thanks,

(b)(6)

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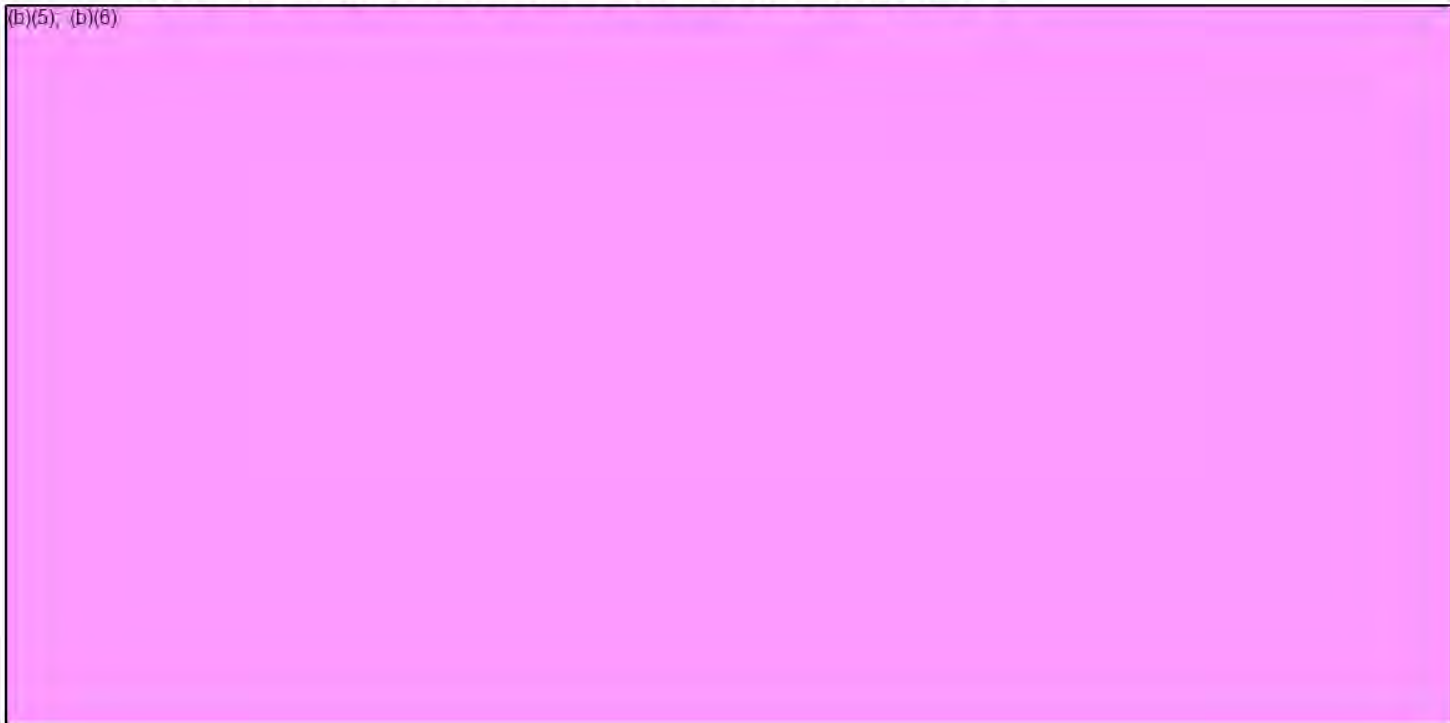


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Thanks,

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Sent: Wed, 1 Apr 2020 15:33:18 +0000
To: Raun, Eric L. (OGC); (b)(6)
Subject: FW: State Homes

FYI,

Susan Blauert

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Office

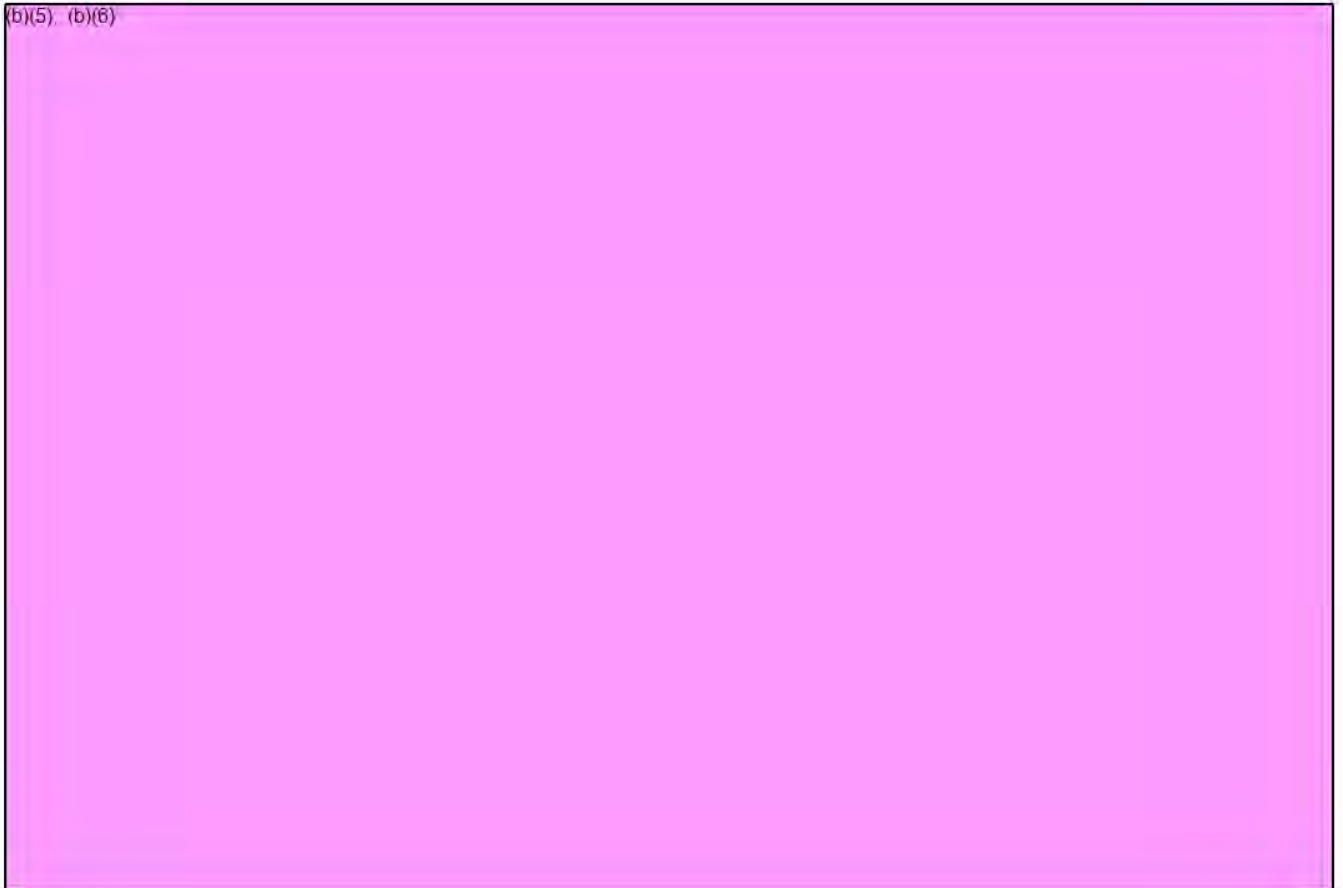
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Cellphone

From: Blauert, Susan (OGC)
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To: Hipolit, Richard (OGC) <(b)(6)@va.gov>
Subject: RE: State Homes

Hi Dick,

(b)(5), (b)(6)

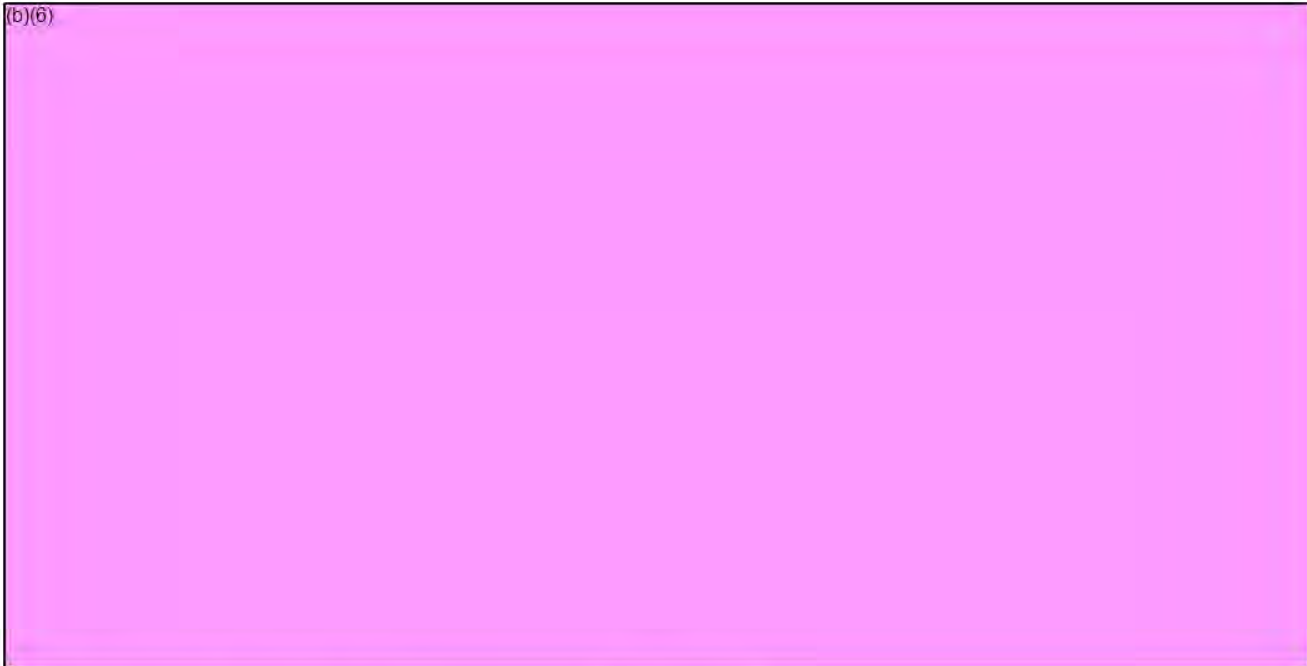


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To: Blauert, Susan (OGC) (b)(6) @va.gov>
Subject: RE: State Homes
Importance: High

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Subject: RE: State Homes

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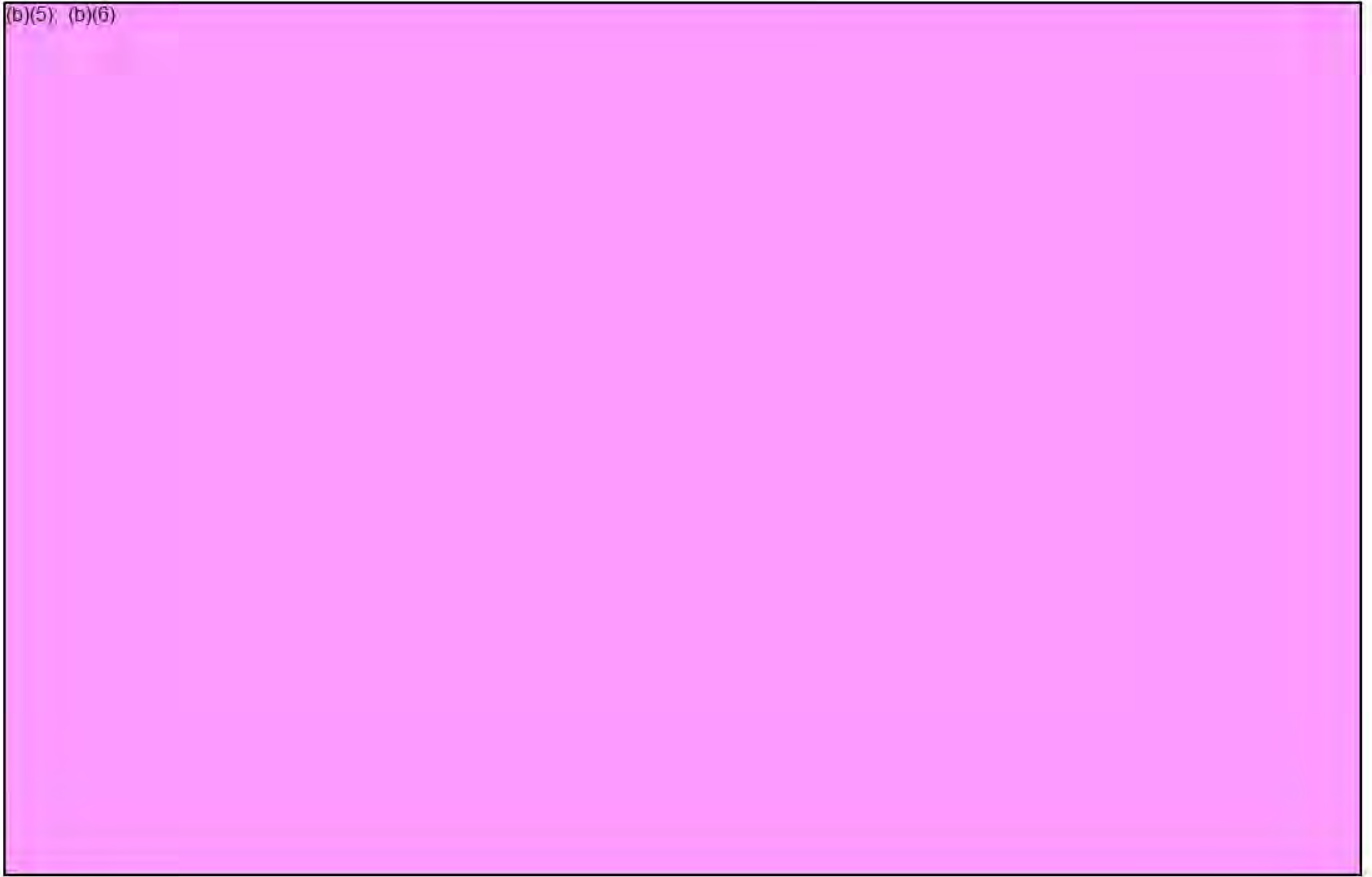
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Cc: Raun, Eric L. (OGC)
Subject: FW: Senate Coronavirus supplemental
Attachments: Division B- Coronavirus Supp - final agreement.pdf
Importance: High

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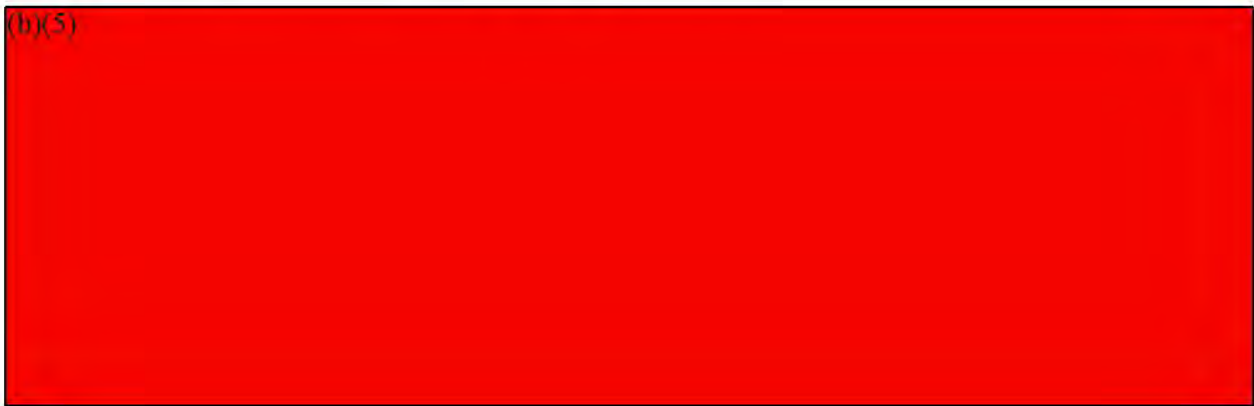
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Subject: Senate Coronavirus supplemental

CFOs, budget folks and others

Here is the latest update on supplemental funding for coronavirus.

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OMB has request review/comments by 10 AM today. Let us know if VHA will have any input.

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Thanks,
Susan

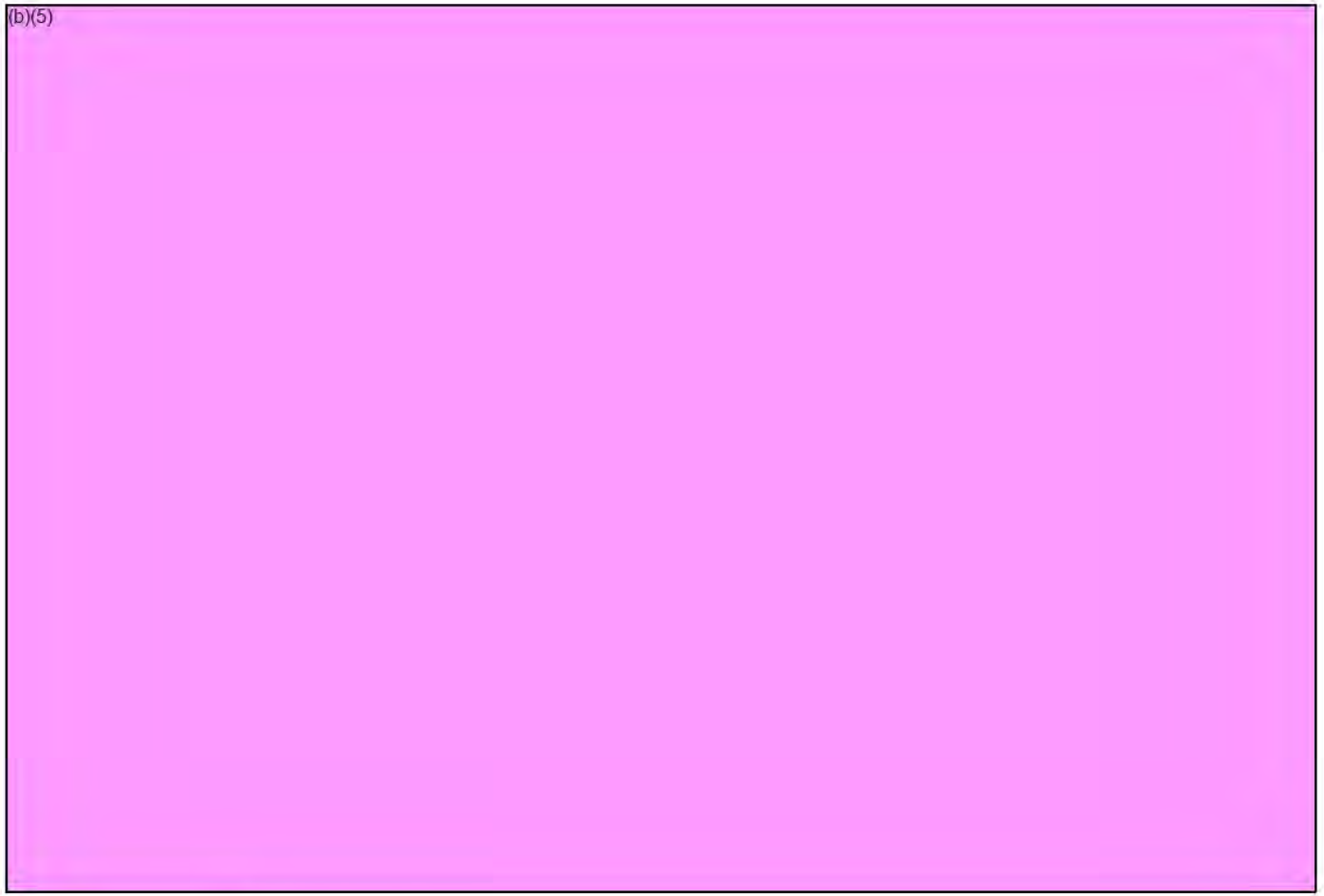
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Subject: RE: Should patients be told if their providers were exposed to Covid?

Good morning, (b)(6)

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I'll be curious how NCEHC Policy responds. 😊

Best always,

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Thank you,

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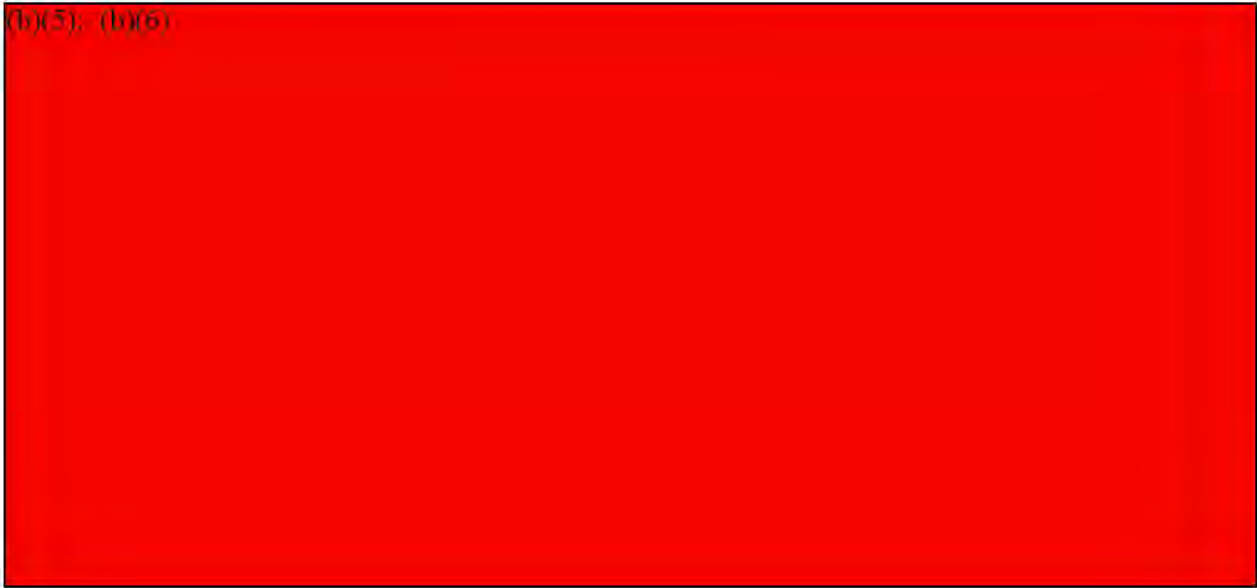
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Best,

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Thanks,

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Staff Attorney
VA Office of General Counsel
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Can you give this a quick review? I don't think we will have anything substantive to add. I did send to VHA for input/awareness.

Thanks,
Susan

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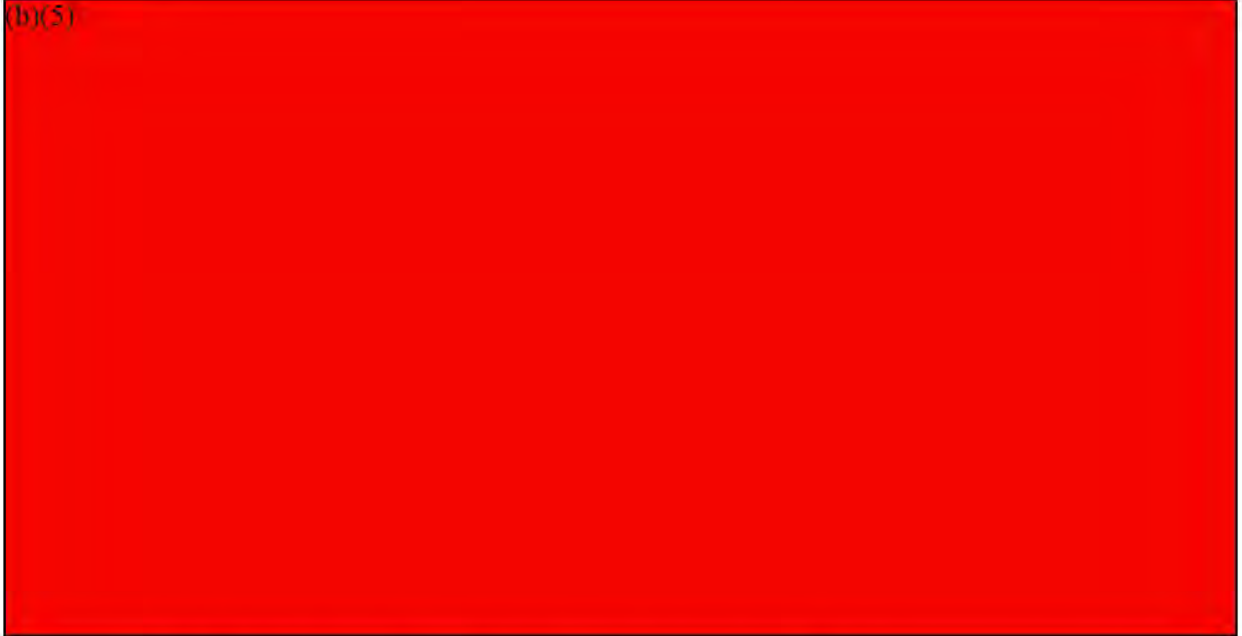
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Good evening,

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Hi (b)(6)
No problem with your taking this over.

Eric Raun

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Thank you,

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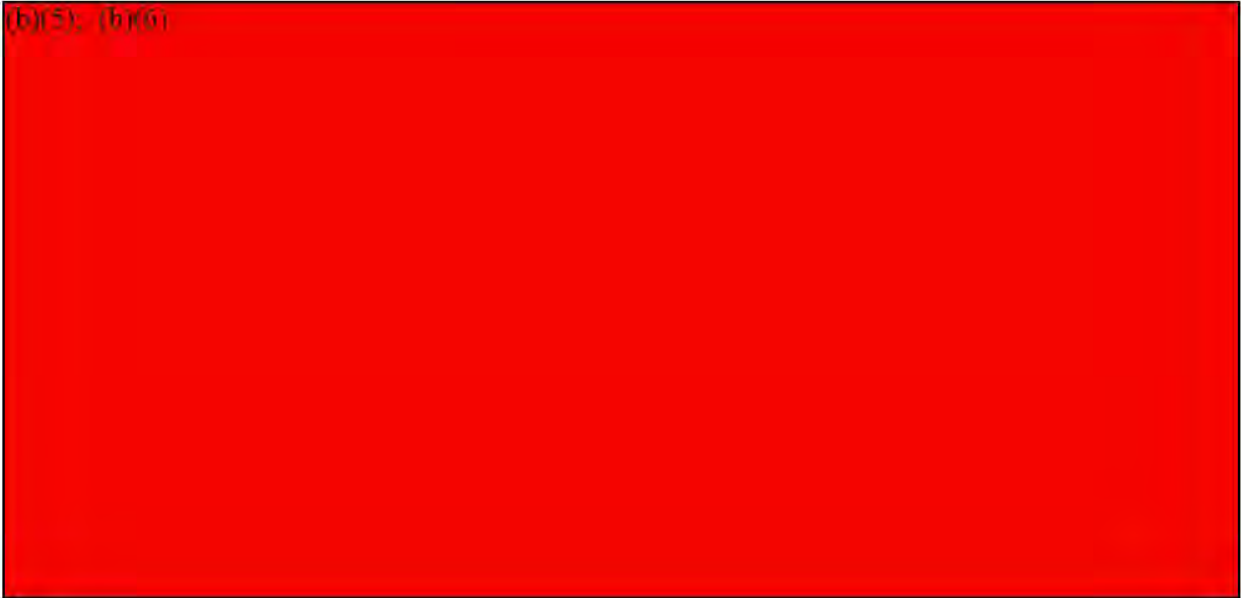
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Attachments: Senate amend to HR 748 - 3d Supp FINAL.pdf

Great – just for the record, this is the enrolled bill version – approps materials for VA begin at 773, authorization provisions begin at 779.

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We will take a look and get back to you.

Thanks,
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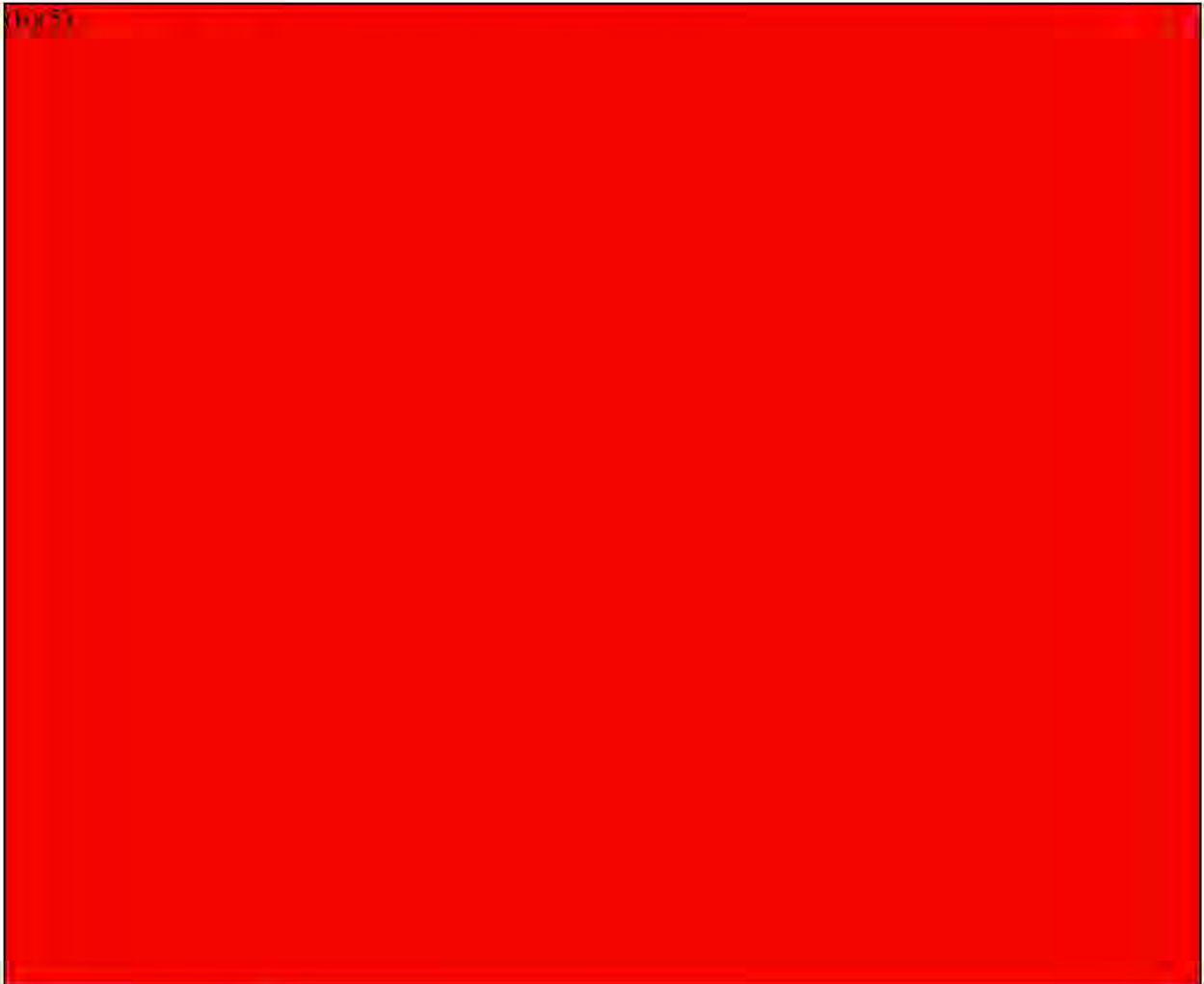
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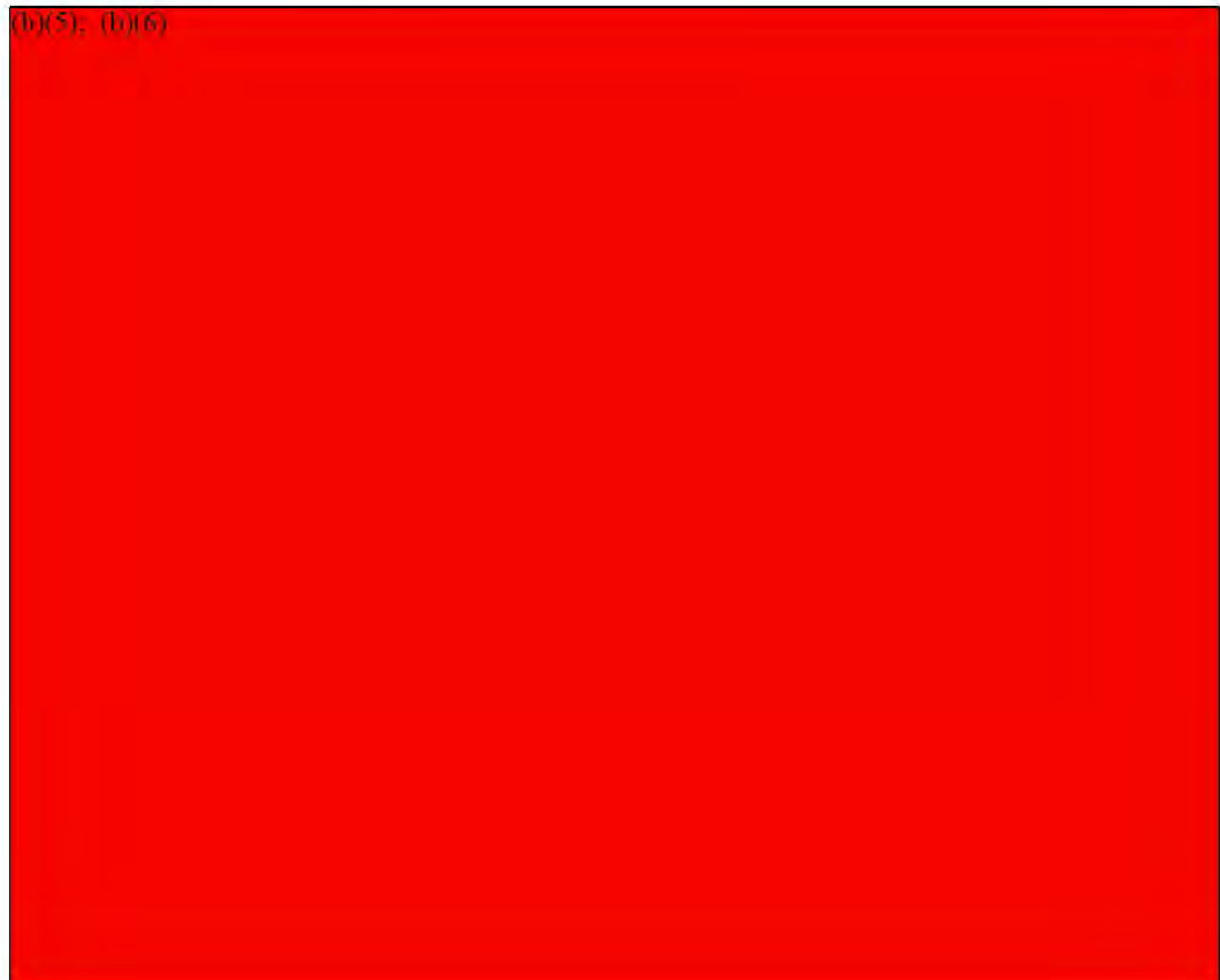
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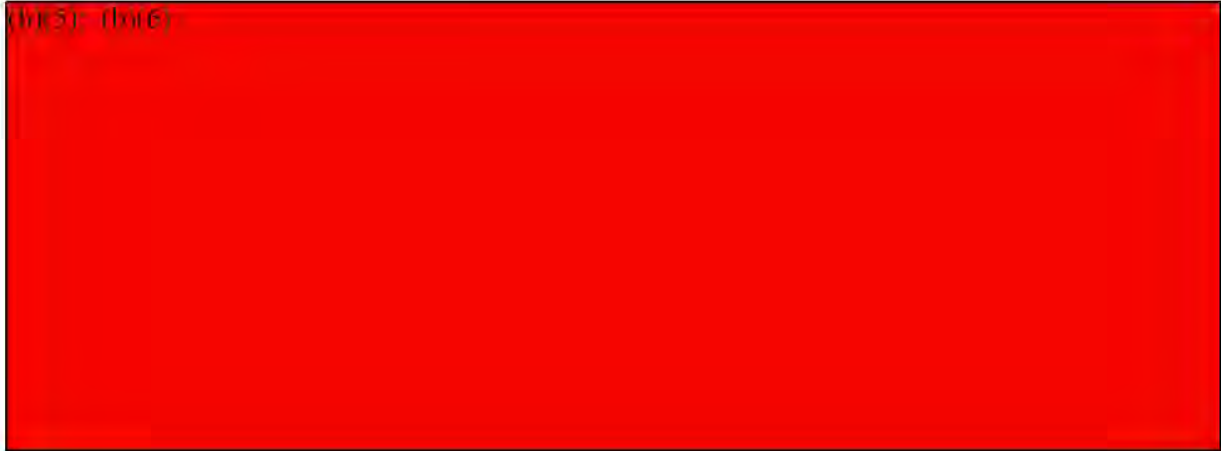
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Sent: Fri, 3 Apr 2020 17:10:50 +0000
To: OGC Health Care Law Group Supervisors; OGC Procurement Law Group Supervisors
Cc: Hipolit, Richard (OGC)
Subject: FW: Authorization for MCD to transfer patients between MCDs
Attachments: summary-covid-19-emergency-declaration-waivers - 3.30.20.pdf

Folks,

Please review and advise whether any of the waivers would apply to VA.

Thank you,

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Hello everyone,

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From: Blauert, Susan (OGC)
Sent: Fri, 3 Apr 2020 22:24:13 +0000
To: (b)(6) (OGC)
Cc: Raun, Eric L. (OGC)
Subject: FW: URGENT / ACTION: Review of MA 3476EM-IDAHO-VA-01
Attachments: (b)(5)

Hi (b)(6)

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Thanks,
Susan

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Re: Idaho lab-testing facilities

Susan/Eric,

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Hi Mike,

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Best,

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Deputy Director
VHA Office of Emergency Management

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From: (b)(6) (VACO)
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(VACO)
Subject: COVID-19 Documents
Attachments: (b)(5)

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Good Evening,

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Thank you,

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Cc: Raun, Eric L. (OGC)
Subject: FW: Fwd: VHA Support For Massachusetts Nursing Homes
Attachments: Nursing Home Support.pdf

Hi Mike,

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Thanks,
Susan

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Thanks.

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Subject: FW: URGENT/ACTION: Review of RRF# 1509-314864 for Mobile Pharmacy
Attachments: VA-02-00 MA for state signature.pdf

Good Evening,

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Thanks,
Susan

Susan Blauert

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Hi Mike,

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Best,

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Deputy Director

VHA Office of Emergency Management

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Thanks
Eric

Eric Raun

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Thank you,

Mike

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Tammy

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To: (b)(6) OGC
Cc: Raun, Eric L. (OGC)
Subject: FW: FLASH CLEARANCE by NOON Monday 4/6: HHS Hoarding TFR

Attachments: (b)(5)

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Hi (b)(6)

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Thanks,
Susan

Susan Blauert

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Subject: FW: FLASH CLEARANCE by NOON Monday 4/6: HHS Hoarding TFR

Please see the attachments above, email below and provide responses **NLT NOON this Monday, 4/6/20.**

Again, any responses after NOON on Monday, 4/6/20, are irrelevant.

If you respond to EOP/OMB directly, please Cc. 00REG.

Thanks

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Jeffrey M <(b)(6)>

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J. EOP/OMB <(b)(6)>; Thallam, Satya P. EOP/OMB <(b)(6)>

Mancini, Dominic J. EOP/OMB <(b)(6)>; Goodenough, Alex W. EOP/OMB

(b)(6); Hunt, Alex T. EOP/OMB <(b)(6)>

Greenwald, Elyse F. EOP/OMB <(b)(6)>; Tatham, Steph J. EOP/OMB

(b)(6); Higgins, Cortney J. EOP/OMB <(b)(6)>

Subject: [EXTERNAL] RE: FLASH CLEARANCE by NOON Monday 4/6: HHS Hoarding TFR

All,

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Thanks,

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Subject: FLASH CLEARANCE by 11 AM tomorrow 4/2: HHS Hoarding TFR

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Good evening Colleagues,

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Thank you,
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Attachments: meeting_the_challenge_of_pan_flu_ethical_guidance_vha_2010_web_posting_2013.pd.pdf

Susan

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Eric

Eric Raun

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Subject: FW: Scarce Resource Allocation Medical Working Group

Good morning,

Please see below. Requesting your advice and consult for the facility.

Regards,

Sophia Haynes
Deputy Chief Counsel, Southeast District
(Alabama, Florida, Georgia, Kentucky, Puerto Rico, South Carolina, Tennessee)

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Hey Team- tracked and reviewed some of this information from the CDC-
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Thanks (b)(6)

Will get more information.

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I will try to attend.

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I have teleclinic, but (b)(6) hopefully can be on.

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That works for me.

Few thoughts :

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Subject: FW: Scarce Resource Allocation Medical Working Group

Dear all,

I would like to organize a VANT call for our working group.

Please let me know if 11.30 am on Monday works for you.

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Subject: Scarce Resource Allocation Medical Working Group

Dear all,

I've attached a tertiary triage protocol from North Texas VA for everyone's review. It's pared down from the pandemic flu document.

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Subject: FW: Crisis Standards of Care GCL 145647
Attachments: COVID Crisis Standards of Care Memo.NCEHC.2020.04.02.docx, RE: Legal/Ethics questions about COVID-19 response
Importance: High

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Thanks
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Good afternoon OGC,
Happy Friday to you and your team. What that means I know is a bit blurry,

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Stay safe and healthy,
Dave

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All,

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Attachments: HR 748 CQ Version 3.25.20 10.15PM.pdf, Draft HR 748 - Signing Statement 023.docx

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Good morning Susan,

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Thank you

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SUBJECT: LRM: [RD-116-176] Due 03/26/2020 Thursday at 9:00PM -- OMB Signing Statement on
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OMB CONTACT: Rody Damis(OMB)

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Subject: FW: Crisis Standards of Care GCL 145647
Attachments: (b)(6)

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Hi Eric,

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Best,

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Thanks

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Subject: Crisis Standards of Care

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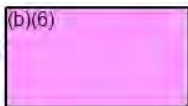
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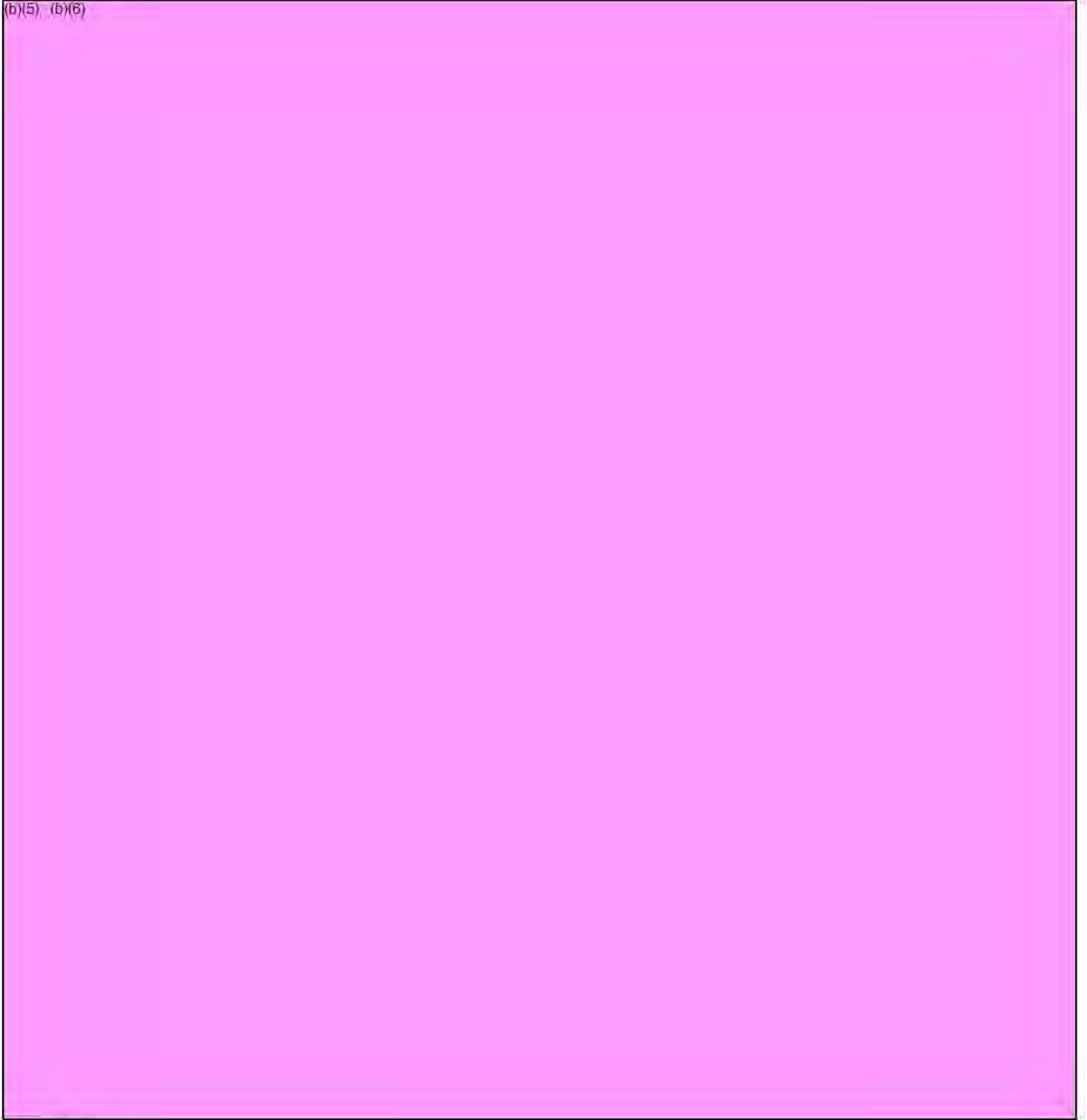
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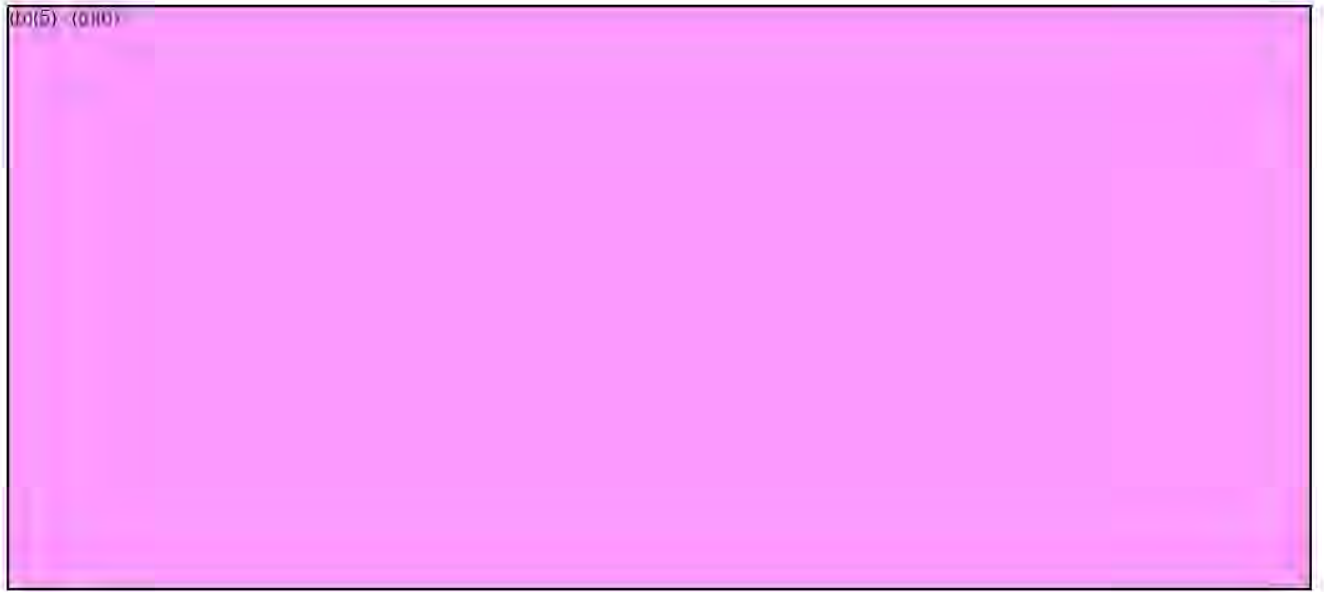


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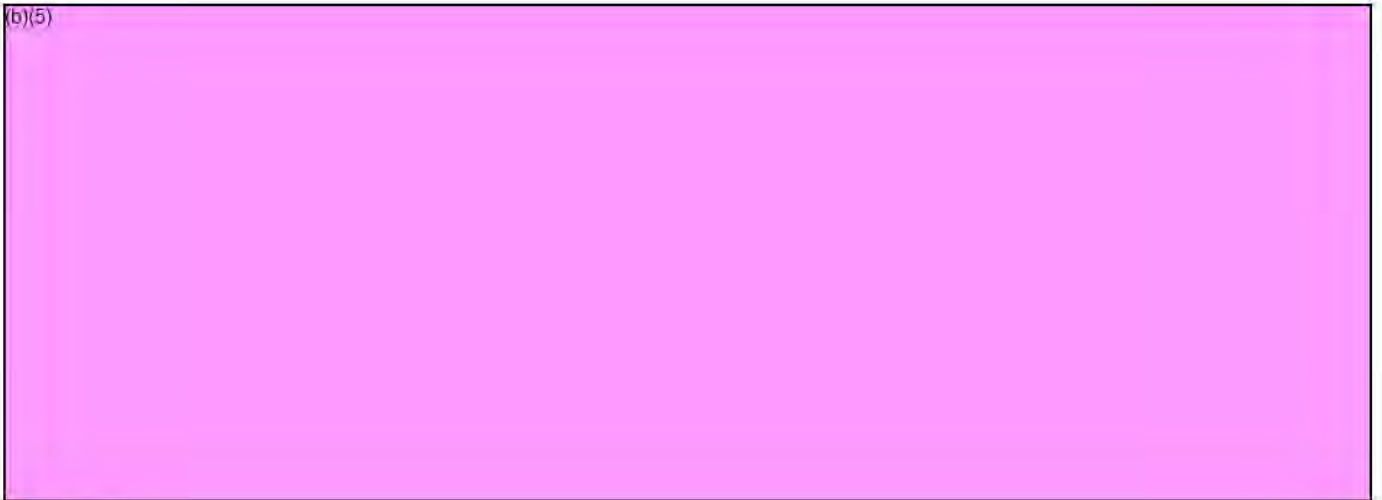
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Subject: RE: FLASH CLEARANCE by NOON Monday 4/6: HHS Hoarding TFR

All,

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Thanks,
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I appreciate you,
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Hello,

National Center for Ethics in Health Care

**COVID-19: Ethical Guidance for
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Eric Raun

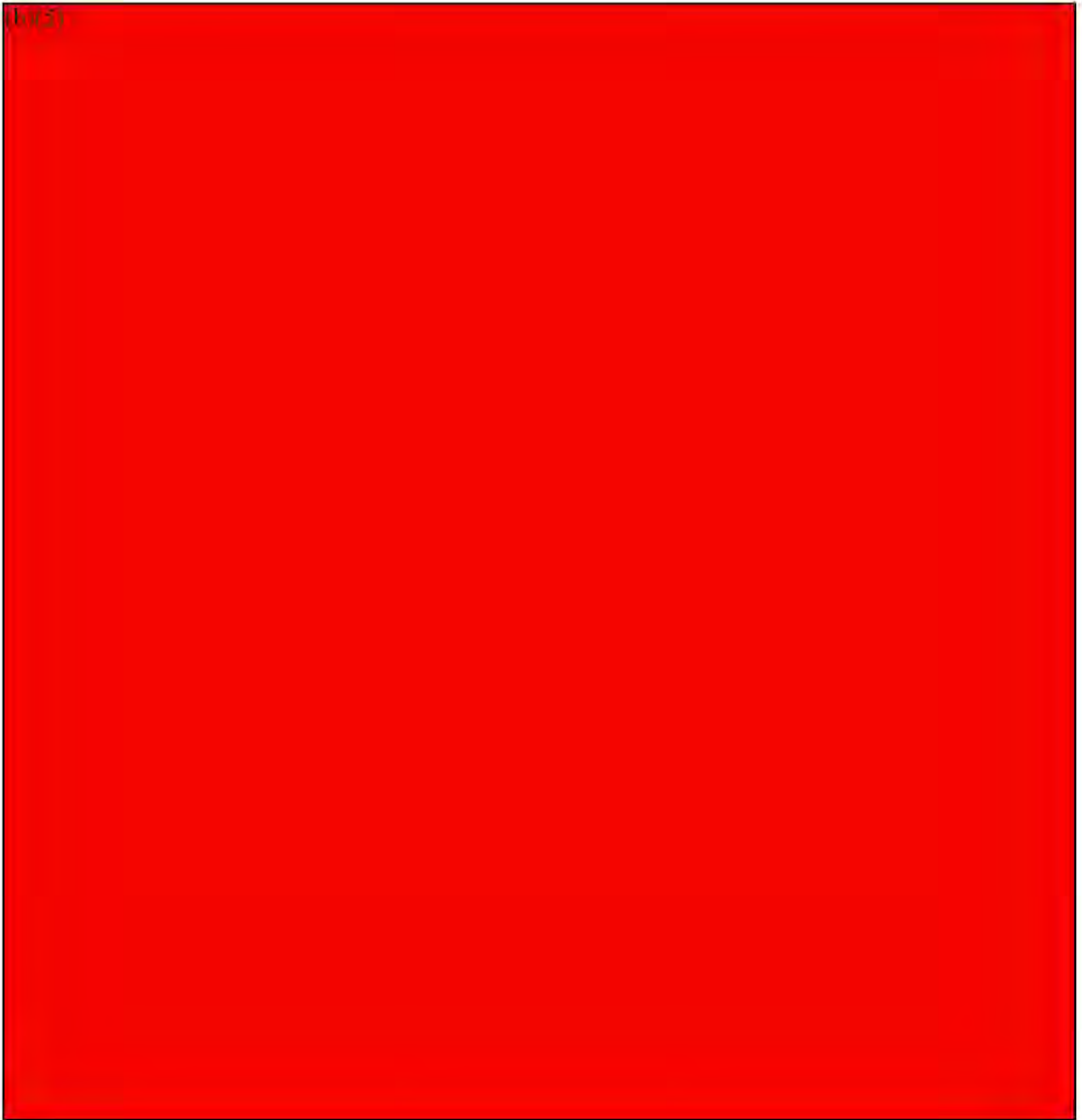
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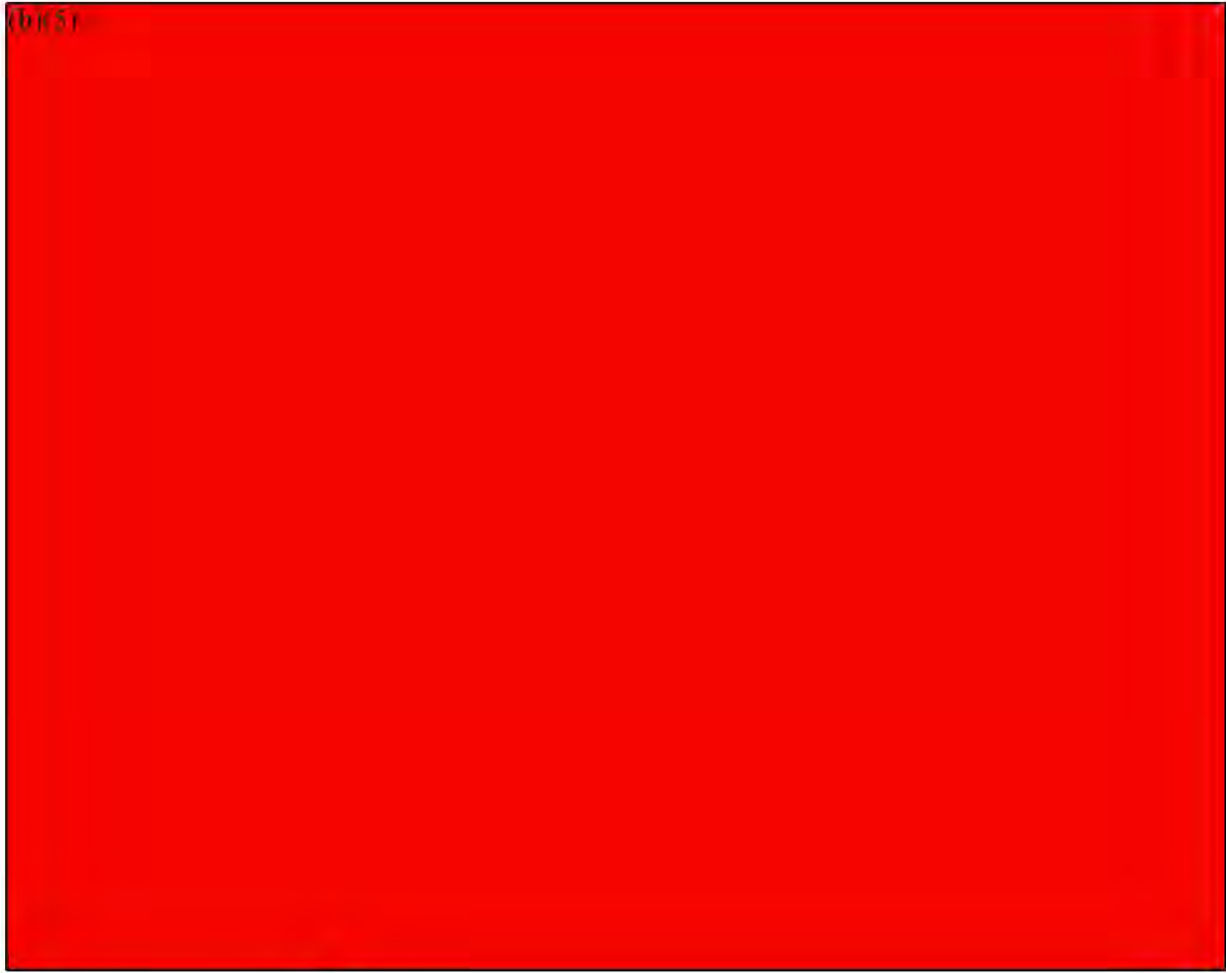
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All,

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VR, Bill

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Dear OGC Colleagues,

Almost a month ago, I wrote to you about the impact this emergency may be having on you and your families. All signs are that the effect has not yet reached its peak. In addition to the emotional toll this may pose to some, a spouse may have lost her/his job due to the state or local stay-at-home orders.

At VA, we are fortunate to have the Employee Assistance Program (EAP) as a resource. EAP can provide counseling and, in some instances, financial assistance. I encourage you to help others when you can during this time - like the Revenue Law Group's Deputy Chief Counsel (b)(6) who is sewing masks for healthcare providers in her community to use (see attached)- but to also be aware when *you* need assistance. When you do, EAP is there for you.

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Please continue to engage in safe social-distancing practices to protect yourself and your loved ones.

I greatly appreciate your efforts on behalf of our Nation's Veterans. Together, we are a resilient group and can overcome this vile pandemic, and we can look to our Nation being open and thriving very soon.

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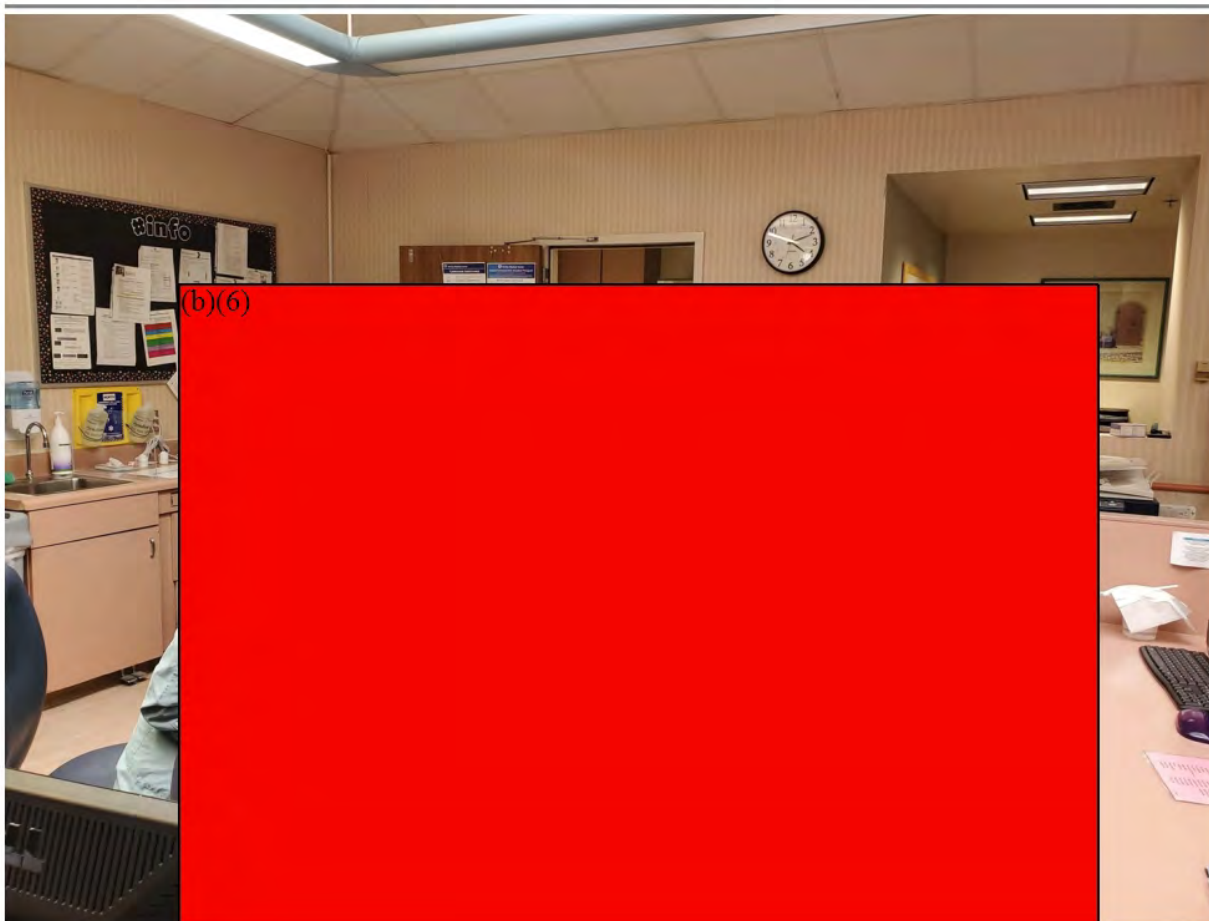
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Good morning (b)(6)

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Research-driven solutions to prevent and end homelessness

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Hi Susan,

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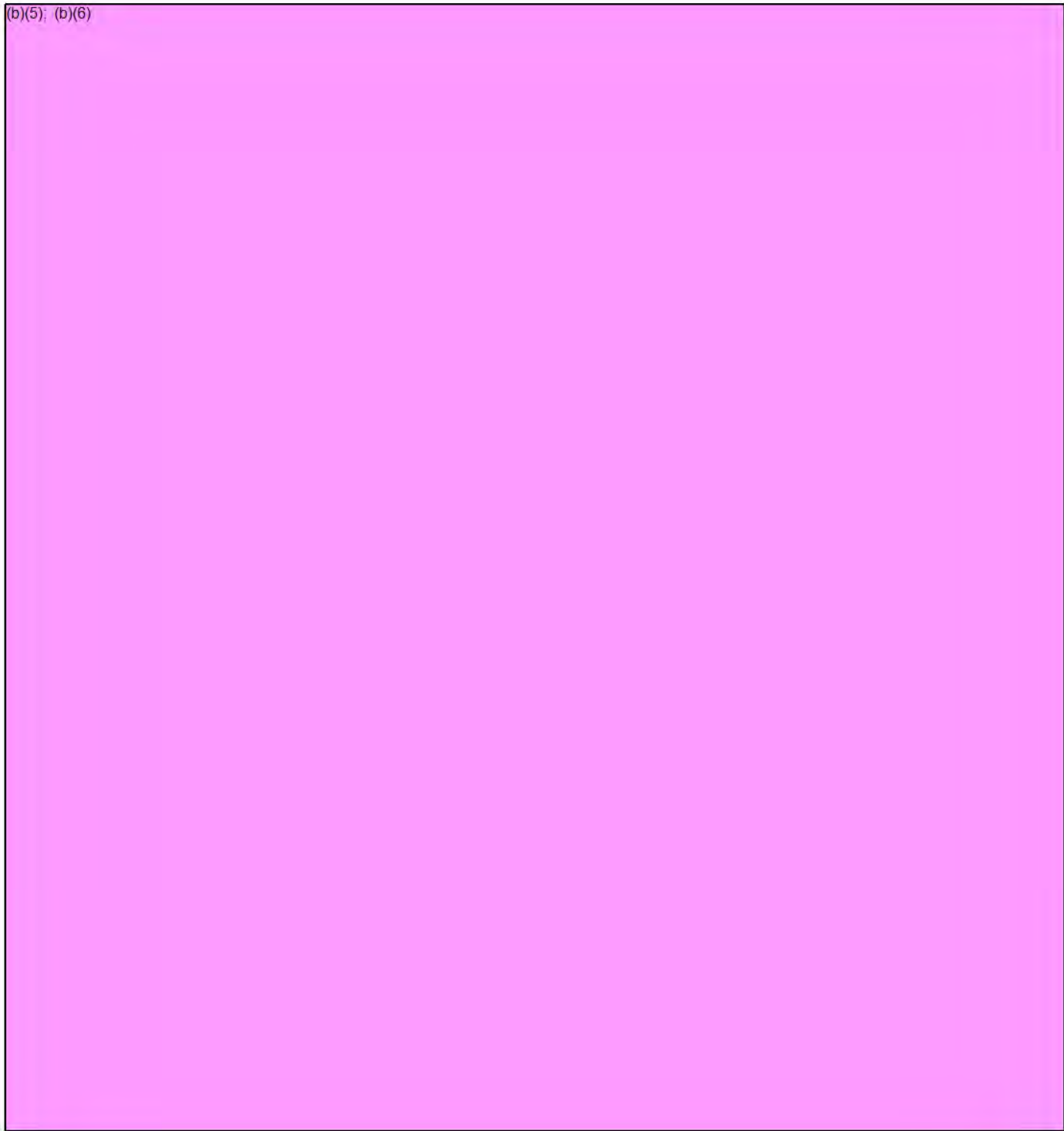
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Hi (b)(6)

Attached please find our proposed points regarding quarantine that may be included in the guide.

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Thank you and let us know if you have any further questions.

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Thank you (b)(6)

Our goal is to have all our content done by April 16th.

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Hi (b)(6)

I will get started on this and get back to you as soon as possible. I will need to clear this through my Chief Counsel (Susan Blauert) though.

Thanks

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Good morning

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(b)(6) and I are HPO COVID19 Response Team.

Thanks again for all your help!

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Bullets on quarantine for clinical resource guide for COVID 19 Assessment and Recovery Centers:

- In most situations, the only authority to involuntarily isolate or quarantine an individual is controlled by state law.
- The Surgeon General, with the approval of the Secretary of the Department of Health and Human Services (HHS) has the authority to carry out a federal quarantine in order to control communicable diseases. Only HHS has the ability to enforce federal quarantine orders.

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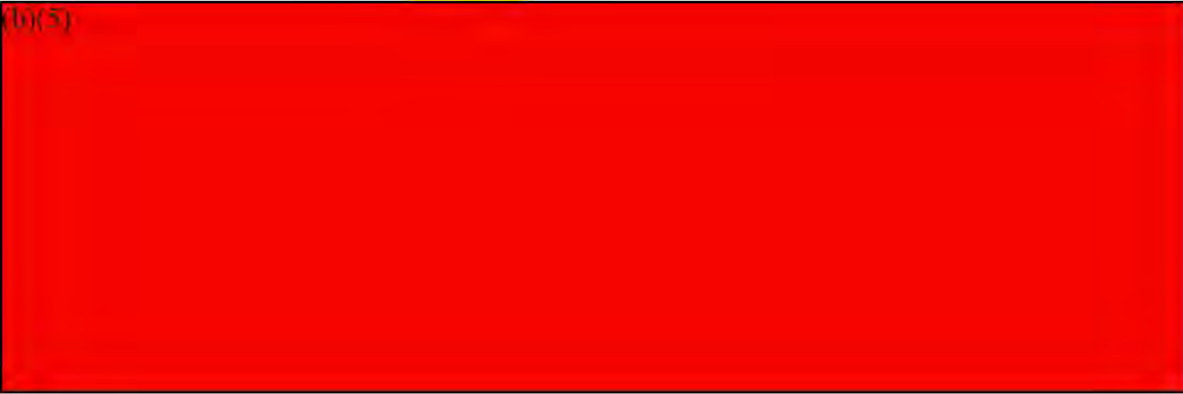
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Thanks,

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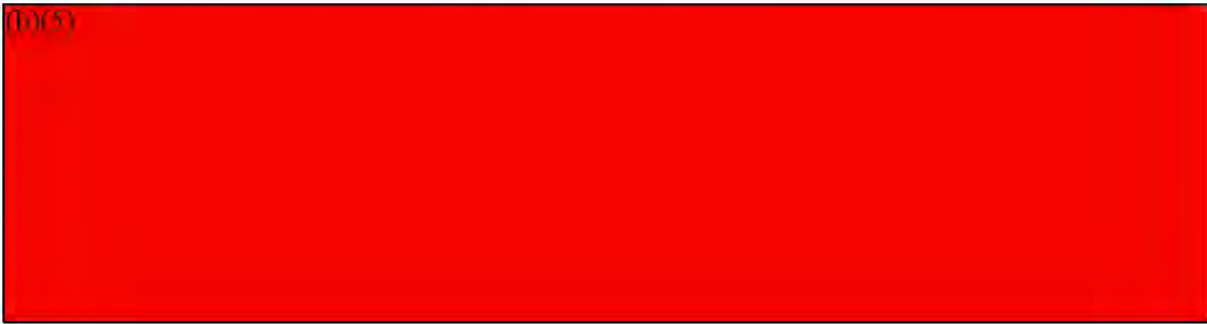
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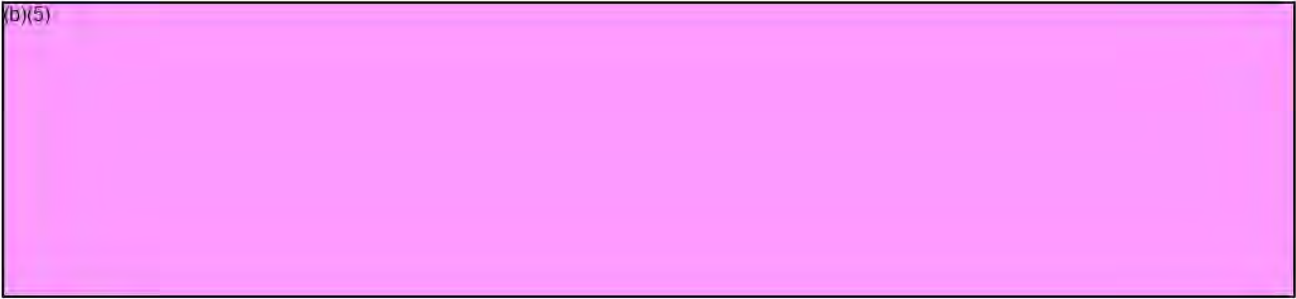
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Sent: Wed, 8 Apr 2020 17:22:01 +0000
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Subject: FW: RRF for Albuquerque VAMC Ventilator
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Susan/Eric,

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Thank you.

Mike

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Mr. Hogan

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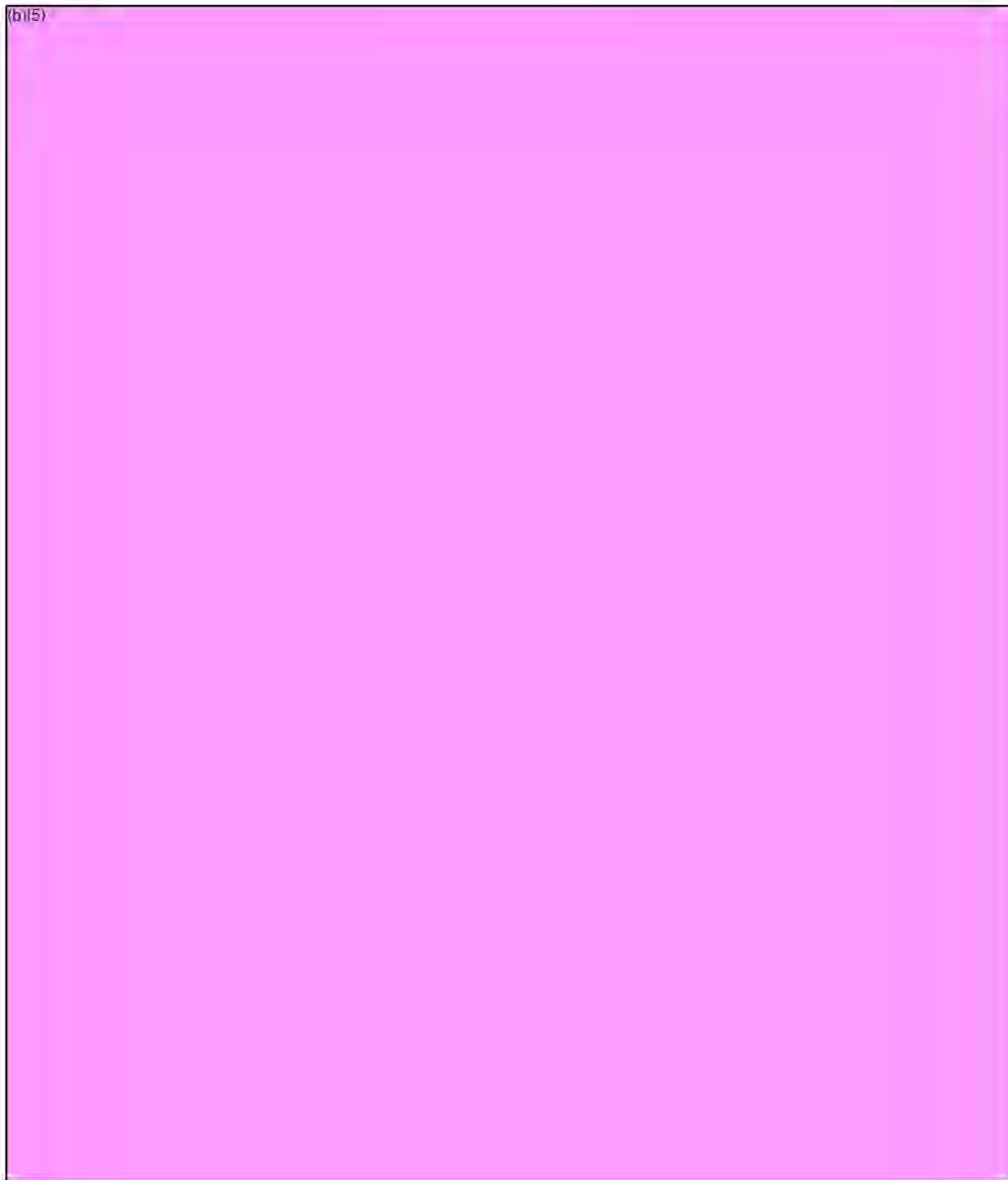
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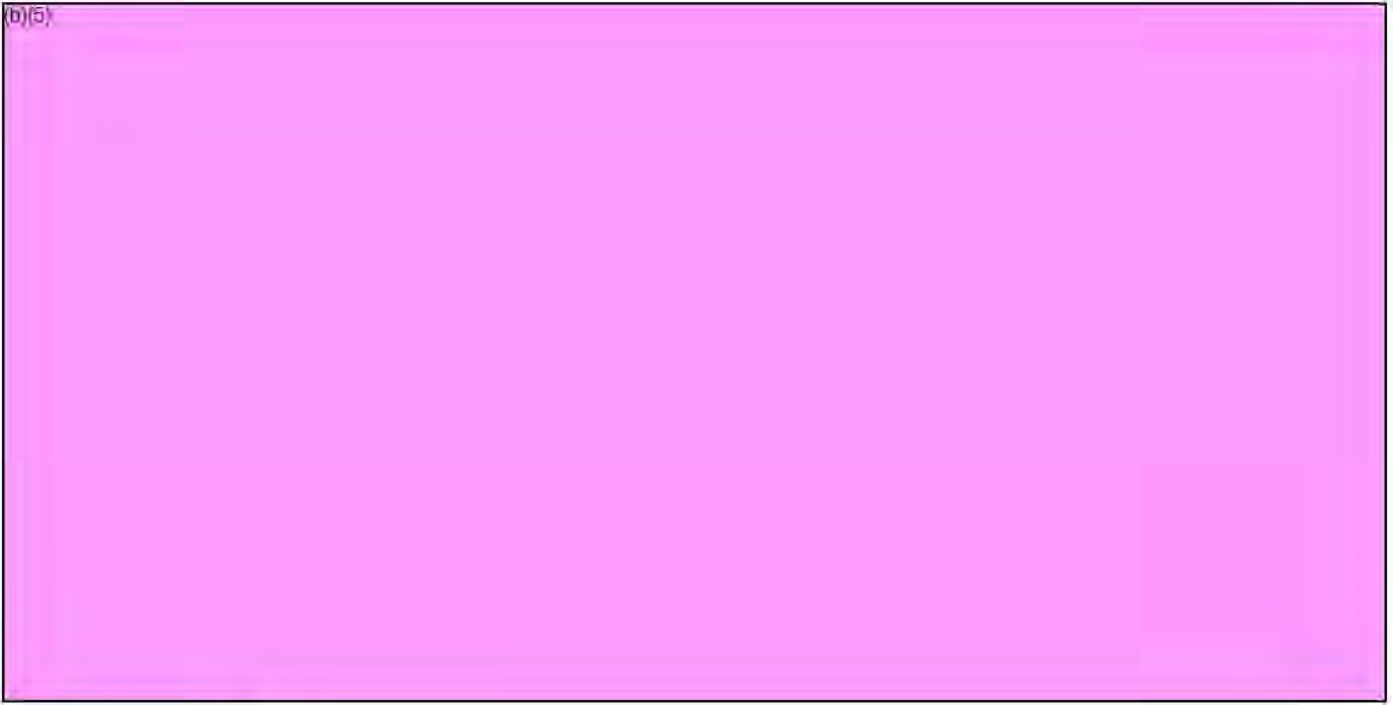
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Subject: Authorization for MCD to transfer patients between MCDs GCL 145646

Hi Eric,

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Hi Eric,

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Thanks,
Susan

Susan Blauert

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Eric Raun

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Susan/Eric,

An RRF for Louisiana.

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Stokes-Sumrall, Sonya L. (b)(6)@va.gov>; Eason, Homer (Danny)

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EMCC,

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Regards,
Billy

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Sent: Wednesday, April 8, 2020 11:49 AM

To: (b)(6)@va.gov>; ASPR Region 6 (HHS/ASPR/OEM)

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Cc: (b)(6)@va.gov>

Subject: FW: RRF - LA request

HHS partners,

(b)(5)

Respectfully,

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VHA Office of Emergency Management
LNO – FEMA Region VI RRC (Denton, TX)

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Thanks,

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FEMA, Region 6

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Sent: Thu, 9 Apr 2020 00:04:02 +0000
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Hi VHA –

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Hi (b)(6)

I have sent to VHA. I am hoping you are feeling better and can take a quick look in the AM.

Thanks,
Susan

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Attachments: Action Steps to Support Homeless Individuals as of 3-25-20.docx, IQR FAQs rev. 3-24-20.docx, ACRC one-pager.docx, KC COVID Response IQACRC Presentation Federal Partners.pptm

Additional information from (b)(6) on Assessment and Recovery Centers.

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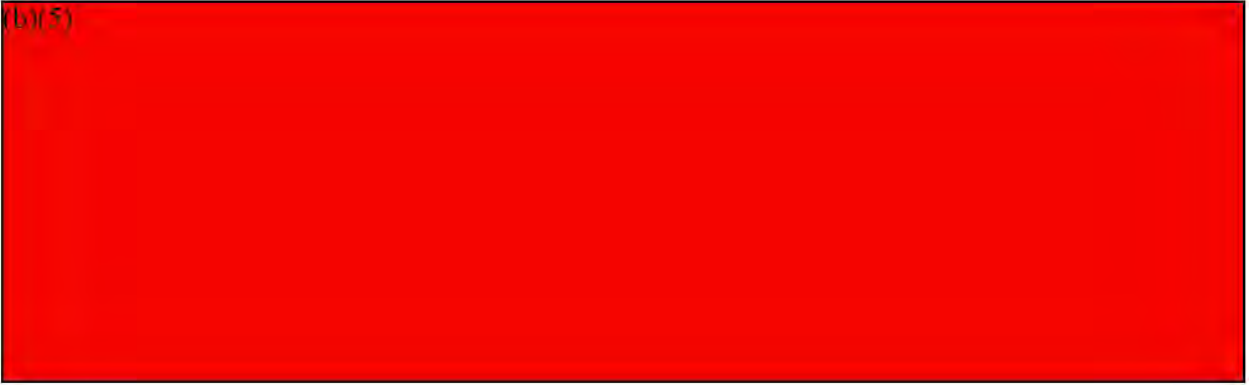
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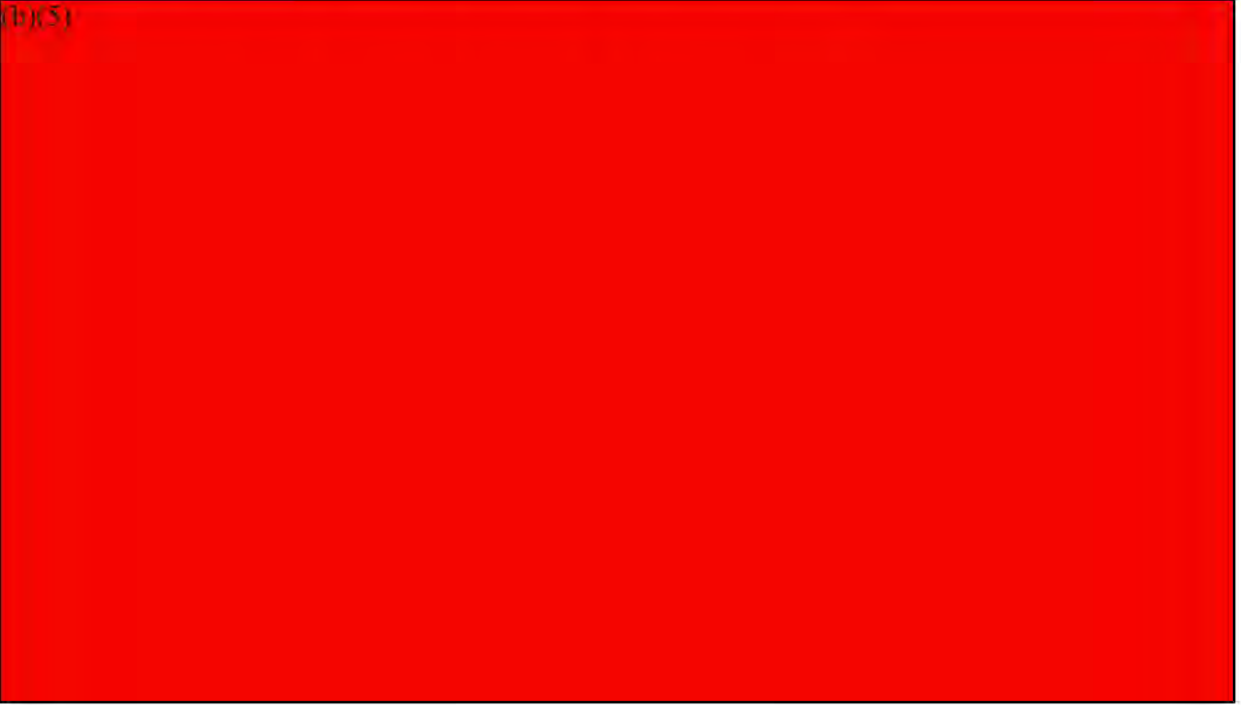
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Hi (b)(6)

As for the contributors, there's no need to list my name – you can just put VA Office of General Counsel. But if that is the preferred format, you can put it as:

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I know the above didn't do you justice.
Thanks in advance for the enlightenment.

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Thank you and let us know if you have any further questions.

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Thank you (b)(6)

Our goal is to have all our content done by April 16th.

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Hi (b)(6)

I will get started on this and get back to you as soon as possible. I will need to clear this through my Chief Counsel (Susan Blauert) though.

Thanks,

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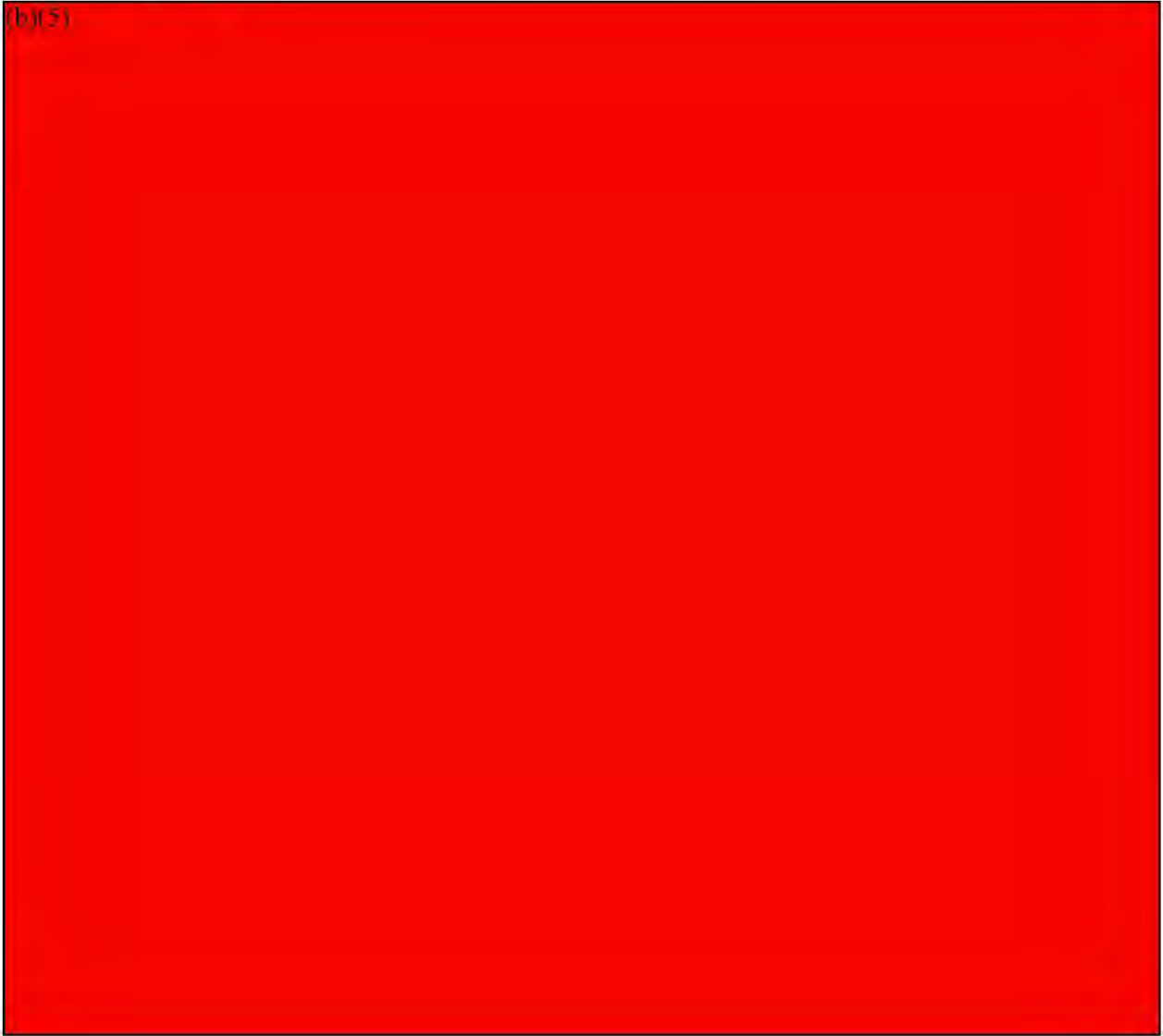
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Subject: Assessment and Recovery Centers: Clinical Pearls Resource Guide - your help please

Good morning (b)(6)

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Mike, Jillian, and I are HPO COVID19 Response Team.

Thanks again for all your help!

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MD MPH

Director, National Center on Homelessness among Veterans (the Center)

Associate Professor, Department of Psychiatry, University of Texas Southwestern Medical Center



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Subject: RE: Follow-up- SVAC-R (Dearing) - telehealth and premature VA homeless proposals - 04042020

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Thanks
Eric

Eric Raun
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Eric,

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Good afternoon,

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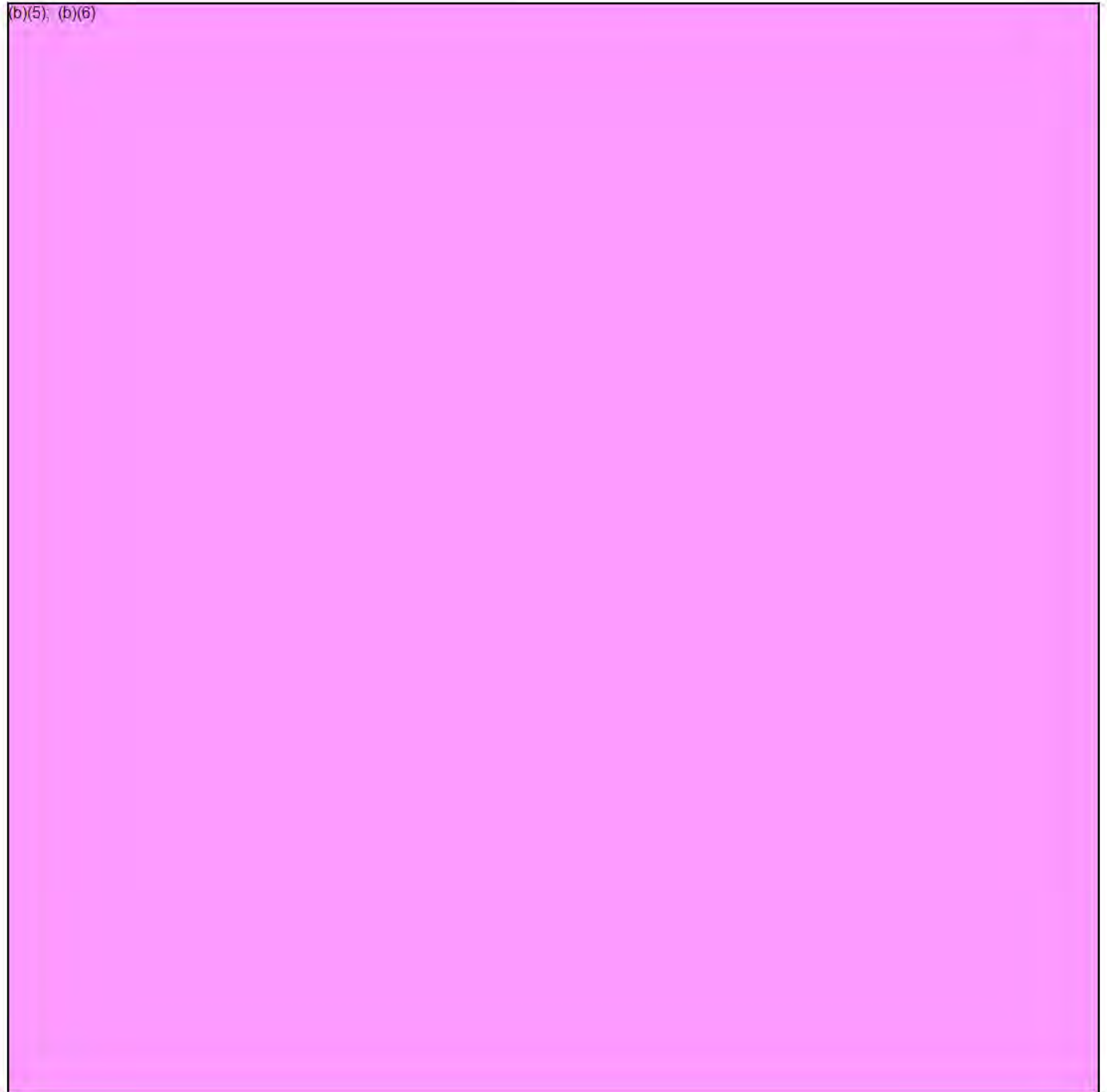
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Thanks so much!

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Cc: Blauert, Susan (OGC)
Subject: FW: RRF - VA/LA Beds
Attachments: VA-LA Request for beds.pdf

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GCL please.
Thanks
Eric

Eric Raun

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Mike

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Michael,
Please review.

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Regards,

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Good Morning (b)(6)

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Thanks,

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To: (b)(6) (OGC)
Cc: Blauert, Susan (OGC)
Subject: FW: Due 10:30am: COVID-19 Interagency Flash Clearance: FDA guidance Pharmacy Compounders PPE
Attachments: DRAFT COVID-19 PPE Compounding guidance 4 8 20 CLEAN.docx

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Eric Raun

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Cc: Martin, Jeffrey M (b)(6) @va.gov>; Shores, Michael <(b)(6) @va.gov>
Subject: FW: Due 10:30am: COVID-19 Interagency Flash Clearance: FDA guidance Pharmacy Compounders PPE

Good Morning-

Friendly reminder: Comments due @ 10:30 this morning.

Thanks

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For review and response by 10:30 tomorrow. Late responses will not be accepted.

Please cc OOREG if you respond directly to OMB. Thank you.

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Good evening,

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Julie A. Wise

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Sent: Thu, 9 Apr 2020 18:31:02 +0000
To: Rattray, Daniel (OGC); OGC COVID-19
Cc: Hardzog, Lisa (OGC)
Subject: RE: Opinion on providing lodging to exposed employee who cannot isolate at home
Attachments: EIC Memorandum Authorization to Pay for Lodging and Meals.pdf, 04012020 OGC - Local Lodging and Per Diem - Final.docx

Hello Dan, Lisa Hardzog looked at this a few weeks back. Is the employee still working during the quarantine period in the hotel?

Thanks,
Sonya

Sonya Marie Cromwell
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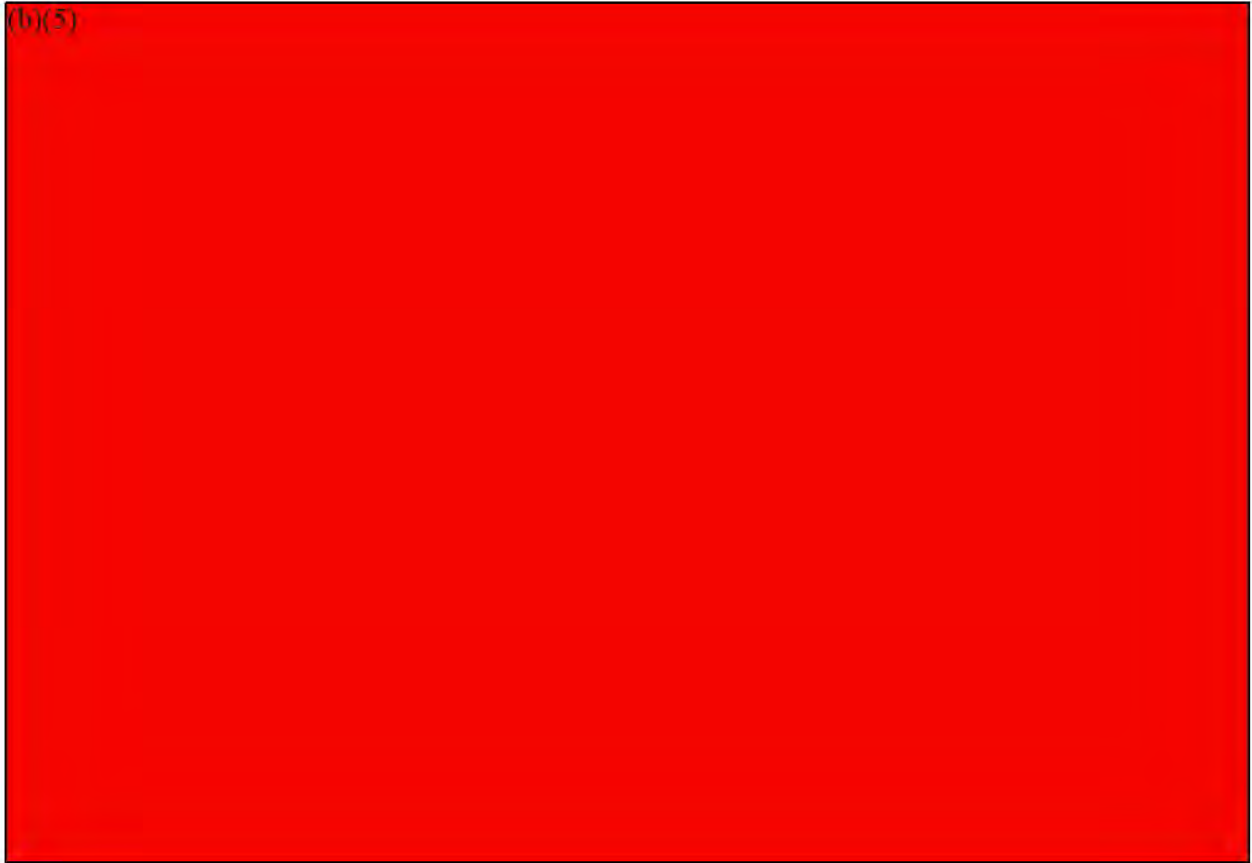
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Subject: FW: Opinion on providing lodging to exposed employee who cannot isolate at home

Hi All, I am thinking this may become more universal and thinking we need a national look at this.
Regards, Dan

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To: OGC North Atlantic District Attorneys (b)(6)@va.gov>
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Subject: FW: RRF for adjudication-IL VHA Beds

Susan/Eric,

Another TRF for review.

Perhaps we can have a quick call to confirm your SOP for reviewing RRFs.

Some of these seem like I could review and clear them without further burdening you and your team.

Mike

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Mr. Hogan

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Thanks,

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Sent: Thursday, April 9, 2020 1:26 PM

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Subject: RRF for adjudication-IL VHA Beds

Operations:

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VA LNO to FEMA Region V RRCC
COVID-19 Response-ESF #8

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United States Department of Veterans Affairs
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Region V-Chicago

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From: (b)(6) (OGC)
Sent: Thu, 9 Apr 2020 20:08:40 +0000
To: OGC Real Property Law Group Supervisors
Cc: Blauert, Susan (OGC); Gruntmeir, Doris (OGC); Peart, Daenia (OGC)
Subject: FW: Expedited Review by 8:00 pm Today: Interim Health and Safety Guidelines Related to COVID-19 for Conducting Superfund Site Work
Attachments: (b)(6)
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Importance: High

This looks like it would be for RPLG.

Eric Raun

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From: Potts, Luvenia (Fran) (b)(6) @va.gov>
Sent: Thursday, April 9, 2020 3:59 PM
To: Raun, Eric L. (OGC) (b)(6) @va.gov>; Blauert, Susan (OGC) (b)(6) @va.gov>; Gruntmeir, Doris (OGC) (b)(6) @va.gov>; Peart, Daenia (OGC) (b)(6) @va.gov>
Cc: Martin, Jeffrey M (b)(6) @va.gov>; Shores, Michael (b)(6) @va.gov>
Subject: FW: Expedited Review by 8:00 pm Today: Interim Health and Safety Guidelines Related to COVID-19 for Conducting Superfund Site Work
Importance: High

Please review and provide comments by 8:00pm tonight.

If you reply directly, please cc: 00REG.

Thank you.

Fran

From: Jones, Danielle Y. EOP/OMB (b)(6)

Sent: Thursday, April 9, 2020 3:52 PM

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Subject: [EXTERNAL] Expedited Review by 8:00 pm Today: Interim Health and Safety Guidelines Related to COVID-19 for Conducting Superfund Site Work

Importance: High

DELIBERATIVE, PREDECISIONAL, DRAFT

Colleagues,

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Danielle Y. Jones
Senior Policy Analyst
Office of Management and Budget | Office of Information and Regulatory Affairs
Cell (b)(6) Phone (b)(6) (b)(5)

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Sent: Thu, 9 Apr 2020 20:20:17 +0000
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Subject: RE: COCID-19/CARES Supplemental Funding in 0181 State Home Grants

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State Home Construction Grant Program Manager , Capital Asset Management (CAM)/10NA5F
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Subject: RE: COCID-19/CARES Supplemental Funding in 0181 State Home Grants

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Thanks,

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ACFO Resource Management Office
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Office – (b)(6)
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Subject: FW: COCID-19/CARES Supplemental Funding in 0181 State Home Grants
Importance: High

Hi (b)(6)
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Subject: RE: COCID-19/CARES Supplemental Funding in 0181 State Home Grants
Importance: High

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Thanks (b)(6)

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Subject: RE: COCID-19/CARES Supplemental Funding in 0181 State Home Grants

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State Home Construction Grant Program Manager , Capital Asset Management (CAM)/10NA5F

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Subject: COCID-19/CARES Supplemental Funding in 0181 State Home Grants

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Thanks,

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From: Gruntmeir, Doris (OGC)
Sent: Fri, 10 Apr 2020 00:27:10 +0000
To: (b)(6) (OGC); Hipolit, Richard (OGC); Blauert, Susan (OGC); Raun, Eric L. (OGC)
Cc: (b)(6); OGC Personnel Law Group Supervisors; Hogan, Michael R. (OGC)
Subject: RE: IB26847:V1.11:VISN Submit:Guam VA Nurses Pulled to Support COVID-19 Response
Attachments: (b)(5)

Thanks (b)(6) We'll have someone take a look and supplement with any personnel issues and get them out. We'll include you when we send them.

Doris L. Gruntmeir
Chief Counsel, Personnel Law Group
Office of General Counsel
Tel (b)(6)

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Cc: Pope, Brent (OGC) (b)(6)@va.gov>; OGC Personnel Law Group Supervisors (b)(6)@va.gov>; Hogan, Michael R. (OGC) (b)(6)@va.gov>
Subject: RE: IB26847:V1.11:VISN Submit:Guam VA Nurses Pulled to Support COVID-19 Response

Good afternoon-

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Subject: FW: IB26847:V1.11:VISN Submit:Guam VA Nurses Pulled to Support COVID-19 Response
Importance: High

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Thank you.

Mike

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Subject: FW: IB26847:V1.11:VISN Submit:Guam VA Nurses Pulled to Support COVID-19 Response

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Deputy Network Director

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From: Hogan, Michael R. (OGC)
Sent: Fri, 10 Apr 2020 17:13:29 +0000
To: (b)(6)
Subject: FW: VA-02-01 Additional funding required
Attachments: (b)(6)

Susan/Eric,

Looks OK to me. What do you think?

Mike

From: (b)(6)@va.gov>
Sent: Friday, April 10, 2020 12:33 PM
To: Hogan, Michael R. (OGC)(b)(6)@va.gov>
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Subject: FW: VA-02-01 Additional funding required

Mr Hogan

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Thanks

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Deputy Operations Section Chief
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Subject: FW: VA-02-01 Additional funding required

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MATO for 2nd person at Detroit MPU
Any objections? Okay to push forward?

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To: (b)(6)@va.gov>

Subject: FW: VA-02-01 Additional funding required

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To: (b)(6)

Cc: (b)(6)@va.gov>

Subject: [EXTERNAL] VA-02-01 Additional funding required

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Thanks,

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Emergency Management Specialist
U.S. Department of Homeland Security
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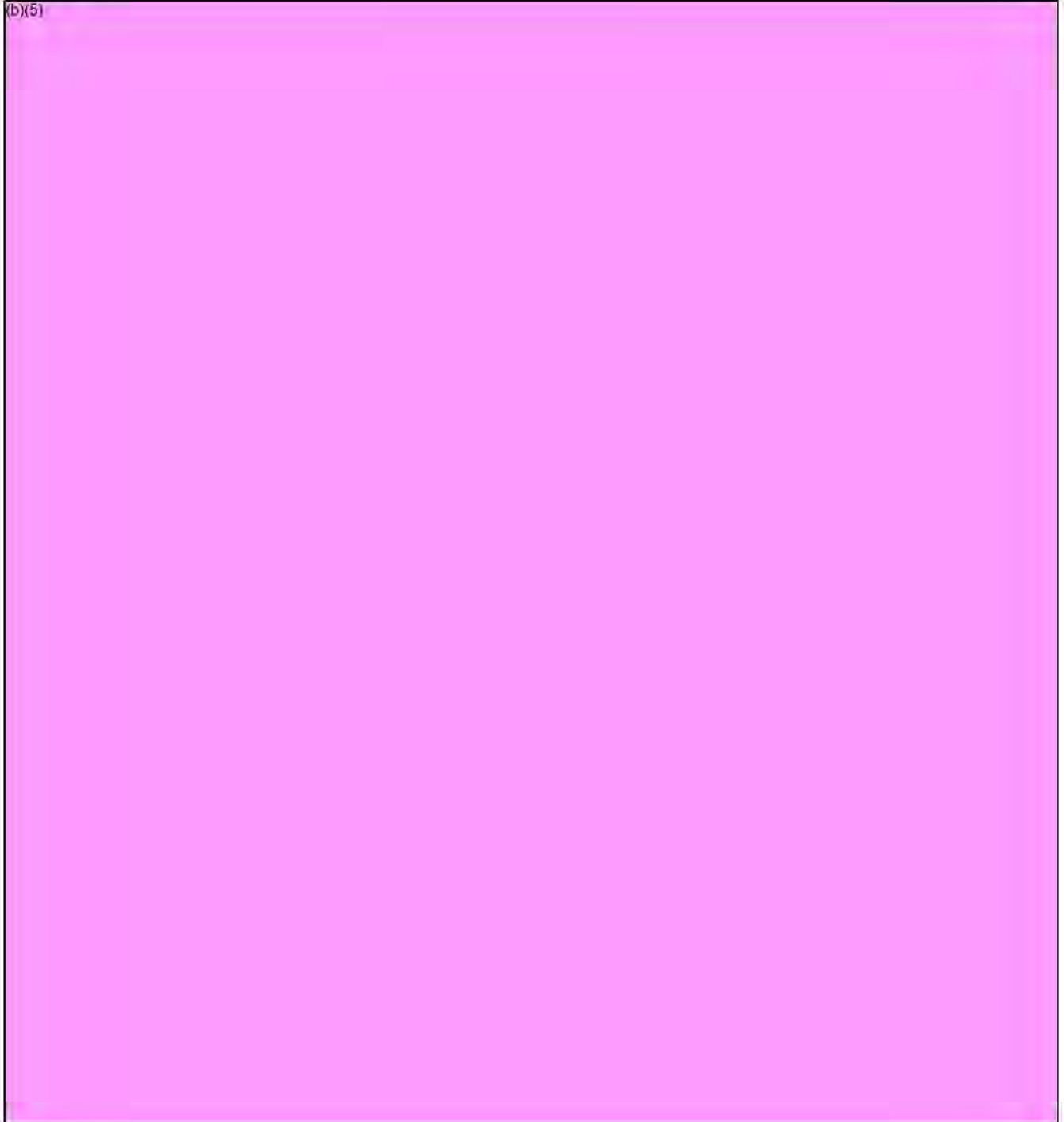
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To: Raun, Eric L. (OGC)
Subject: FW: Authorization for MCD to transfer patients between MCDs GCL 145646--
FIRST BATCH
Attachments: (b)(6)

Hi Eric,

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(b)(6)

From: Raun, Eric L. (OGC) <(b)(6)@va.gov>

Sent: Sunday, April 5, 2020 8:12 AM

To: (b)(6)@va.gov; (b)(6) (OGC)

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(b)(6)@va.gov

Cc: Blauert, Susan (OGC) <(b)(6)@va.gov>

Subject: FW: Authorization for MCD to transfer patients between MCDs GCL 145646

(b)(5), (b)(6)

Thank you!

Eric Raun

(b)(6)

From: Raun, Eric L. (OGC)

Sent: Sunday, April 5, 2020 8:05 AM

To: OGC Personnel Law Group Supervisors <(b)(6)@va.gov>; OGC Information Law Group Supervisors <(b)(6)@va.gov>

Cc: Hipolit, Richard (OGC) <(b)(6)@va.gov>; Hogan, Michael R. (OGC)

(b)(6)@va.gov; OGC Health Care Law Group Supervisors

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Subject: RE: Authorization for MCD to transfer patients between MCDs

(b)(5)

Thanks
Eric

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Eric Raun

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From: Hogan, Michael R. (OGC) (b)(6) @va.gov>
Sent: Friday, April 3, 2020 1:11 PM
To: OGC Health Care Law Group Supervisors <(b)(6) @va.gov>; OGC Procurement Law Group Supervisors (b)(6) @va.gov>
Cc: Hipolit, Richard (OGC) (b)(6) @va.gov>
Subject: FW: Authorization for MCD to transfer patients between MCDs

Folks,

(b)(5)

Thank you,

Mike

From: (b)(6) @va.gov>
Sent: Friday, April 3, 2020 12:56 PM
To: Hogan, Michael R. (OGC) (b)(6) @va.gov>
Subject: FW: Authorization for MCD to transfer patients between MCDs

Hello,

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From: Liezert, Timothy W. (b)(6) @va.gov>
Sent: Friday, April 3, 2020 12:49 PM
To: Czarnecki, Tammy (b)(6) @va.gov>; VHA VISN Directors (b)(6) @va.gov>; VHA VISN DNDs (b)(6) @va.gov>
Subject: RE: Authorization for MCD to transfer patients between MCDs

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Sent: Friday, April 3, 2020 12:28 PM

To: VHA VISN Directors <(b)(6)@va.gov>; VHA VISN DNDs <(b)(6)@va.gov>
Subject: FW: Authorization for MCD to transfer patients between MCDs

Hello everyone,

Here are a few of the Legal opinions rendered over the past few days.

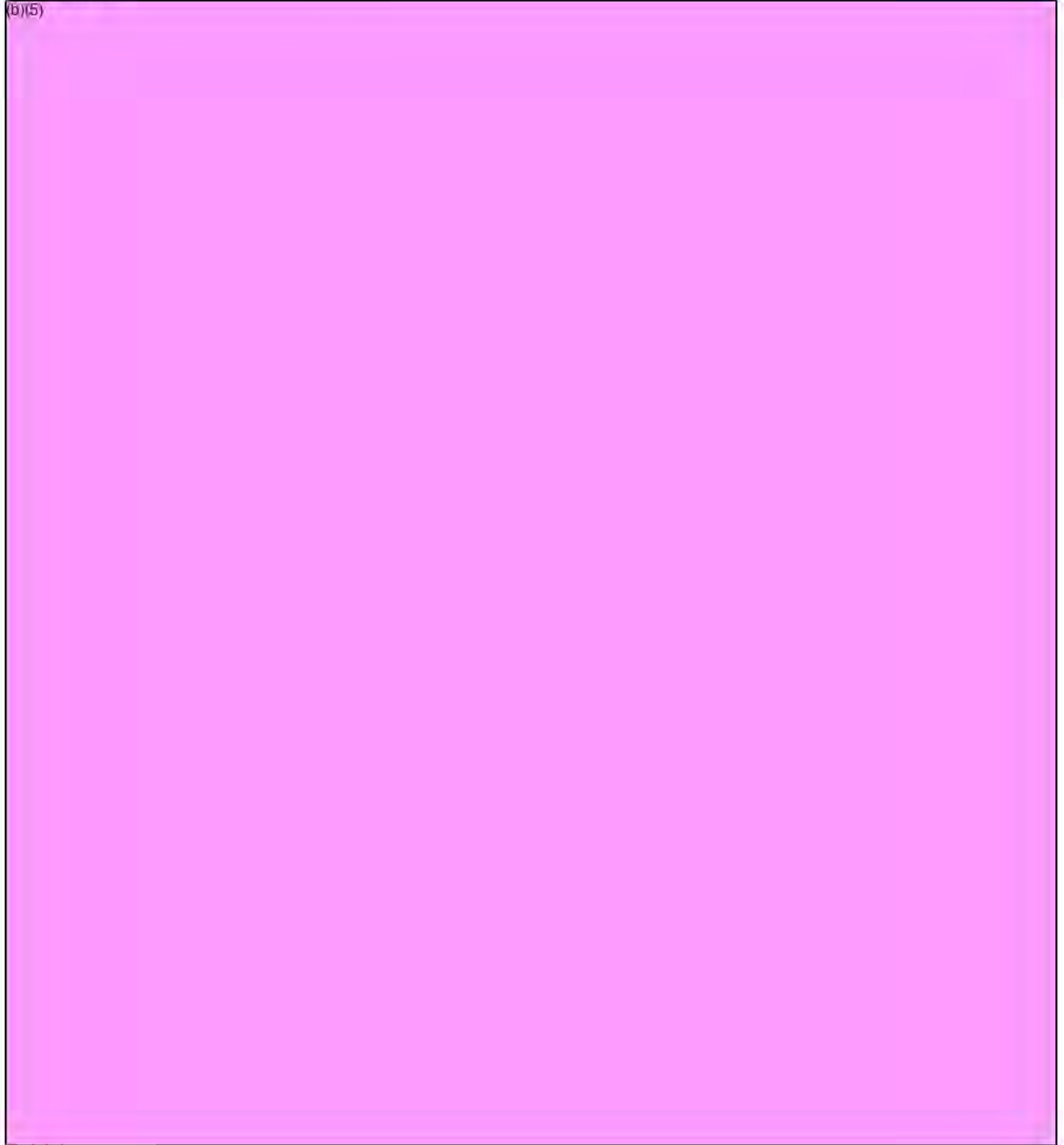
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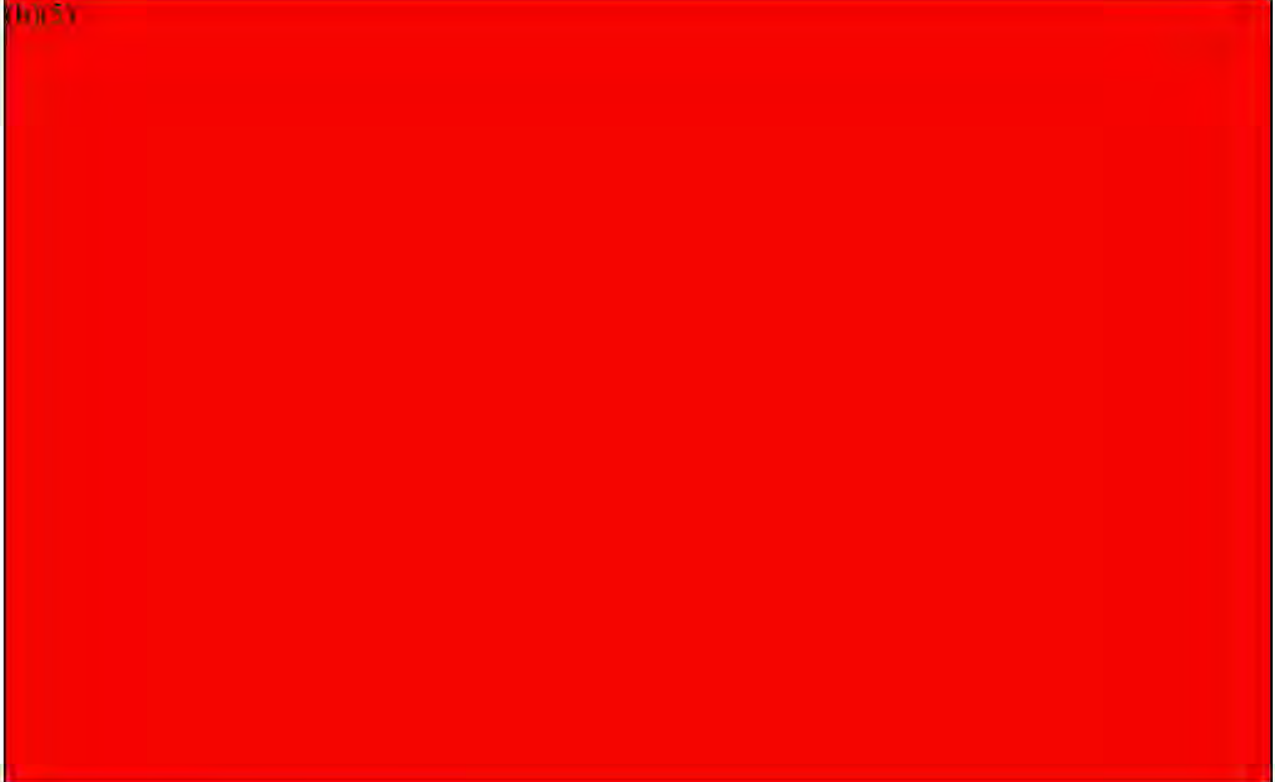
RESENDING—added two policies

Hi Eric,

(b)(5)



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Attorney, Health Care Law Group

(b)(6)

(Teleworker)

From: Blauert, Susan (OGC)
Sent: Fri, 10 Apr 2020 17:56:18 +0000
To: Hipolit, Richard (OGC)
Cc: Raun, Eric L. (OGC)
Subject: RE: EIC VHA Memo to VISN Director WRT Intake of Non Vets to address COVID-19 pandemic
Attachments: (b)(6)

Hi Dick,

(b)(5)

Thanks,
Susan

Susan Blauert

(b)(6) Office
(b)(6) Cellphone

From: Hipolit, Richard (OGC) (b)(6)@va.gov>
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Subject: FW: EIC VHA Memo to VISN Director WRT Intake of Non Vets to address COVID-19 pandemic

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Cc: Hipolit, Richard (OGC) (b)(6)@va.gov>; Blauert, Susan (OGC) (b)(6)@va.gov>; Raftery, Meghan (b)(6)@va.gov>; Noel (Mandreucci), Christina (b)(6)@va.gov>; Riggs, Benjamin (b)(6)@va.gov>; Cashour, Curtis (b)(6)@va.gov>

Subject: RE: EIC VHA Memo to VISN Director WRT Intake of Non Vets to address COVID-19 pandemic

Hello Bill, here you go.

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Thank you for all, for all of your assistance!

(b)(6)

From: Hudson, William A. (OGC) (b)(6)@va.gov>

Sent: Thursday, April 9, 2020 7:34 PM

To: (b)(6)@va.gov>; (b)(6)@va.gov>; Syrek, Christopher (b)(6)@va.gov>

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Subject: FW: EIC VHA Memo to VISN Director WRT Intake of Non Vets to address COVID-19 pandemic

(b)(5); (b)(6)

Vr Bill

William A. Hudson, Jr.
Acting General Counsel
Department of Veterans Affairs
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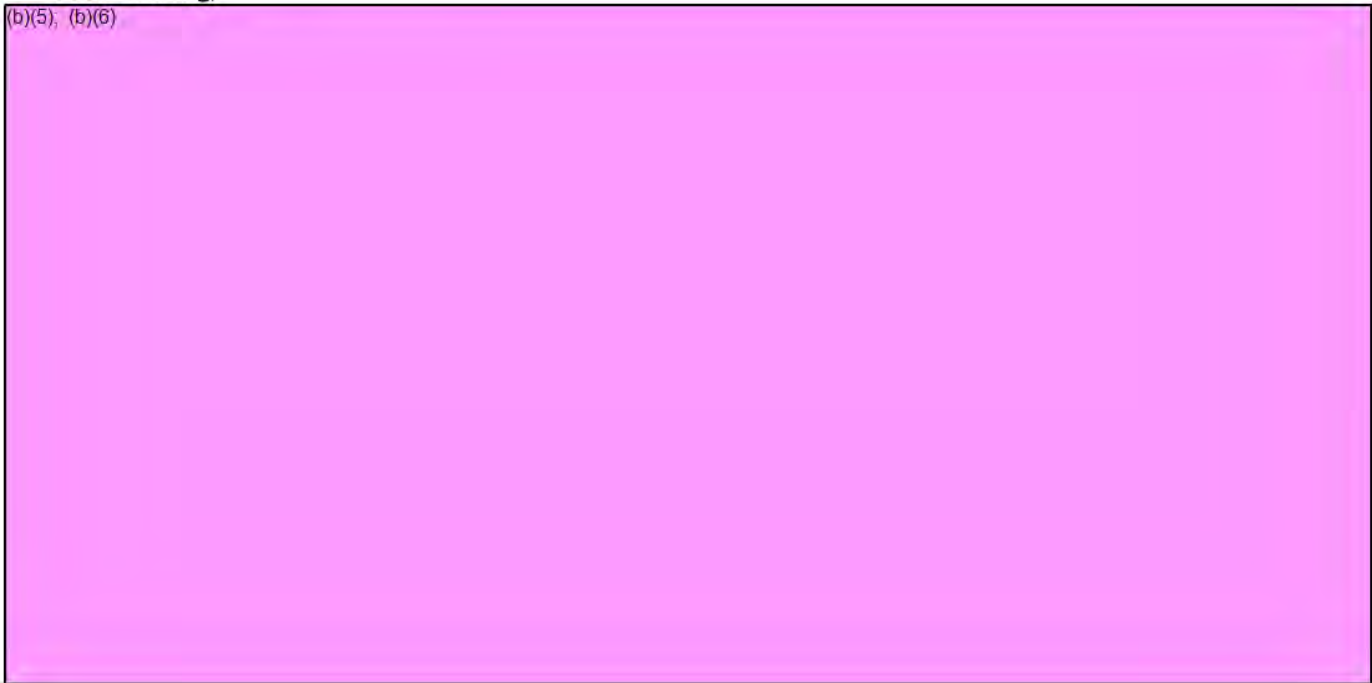
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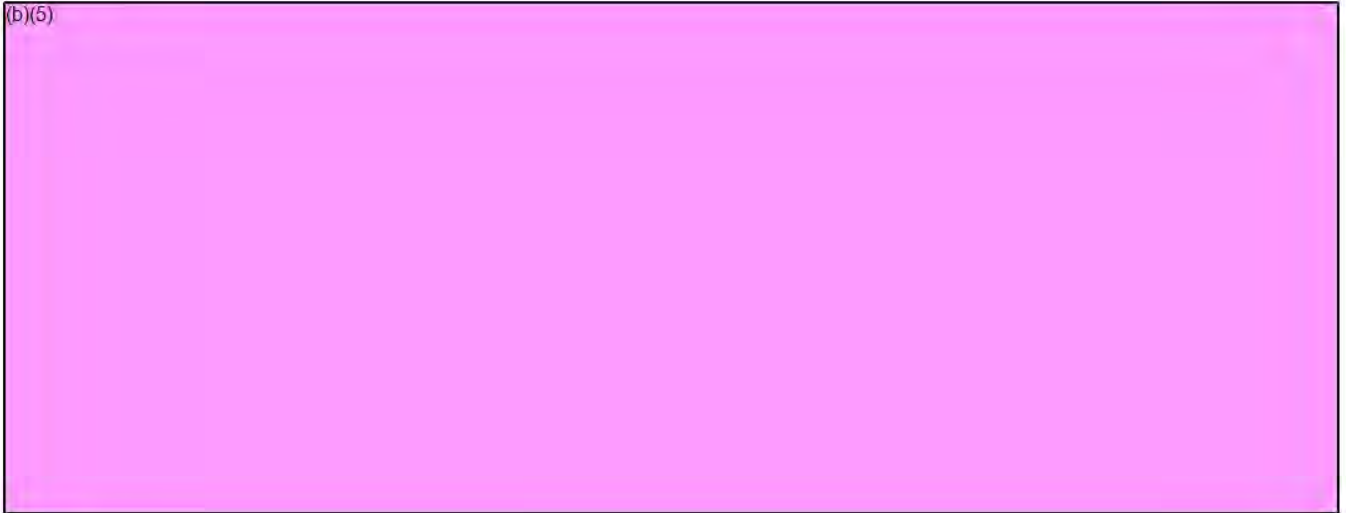
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Cc: Hudson, William A. (OGC) (b)(6)@va.gov>; (b)(6)@va.gov>; (b)(6)@va.gov>
Subject: RE: Need a quick review

Good Evening,

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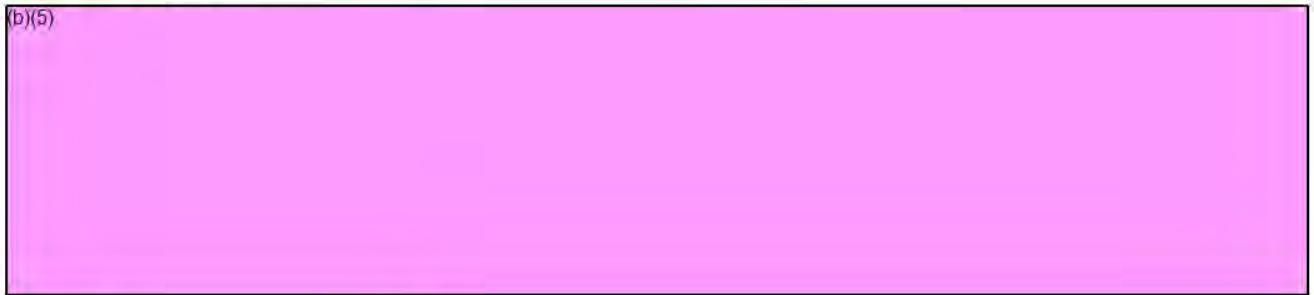
Thanks,
Susan

Susan Blauert

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Dick, can you help here?

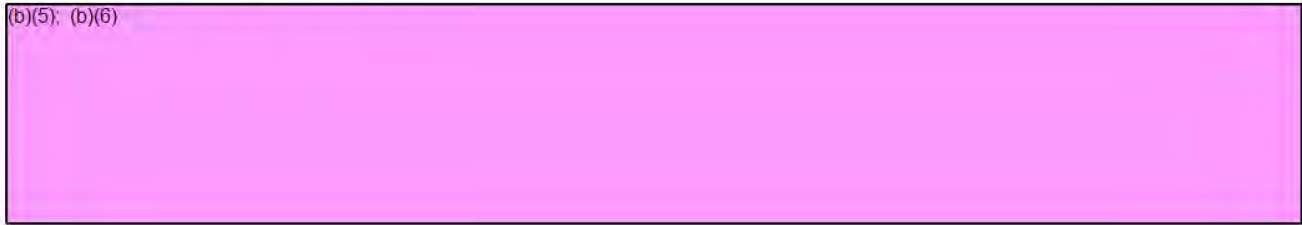
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Thank you!

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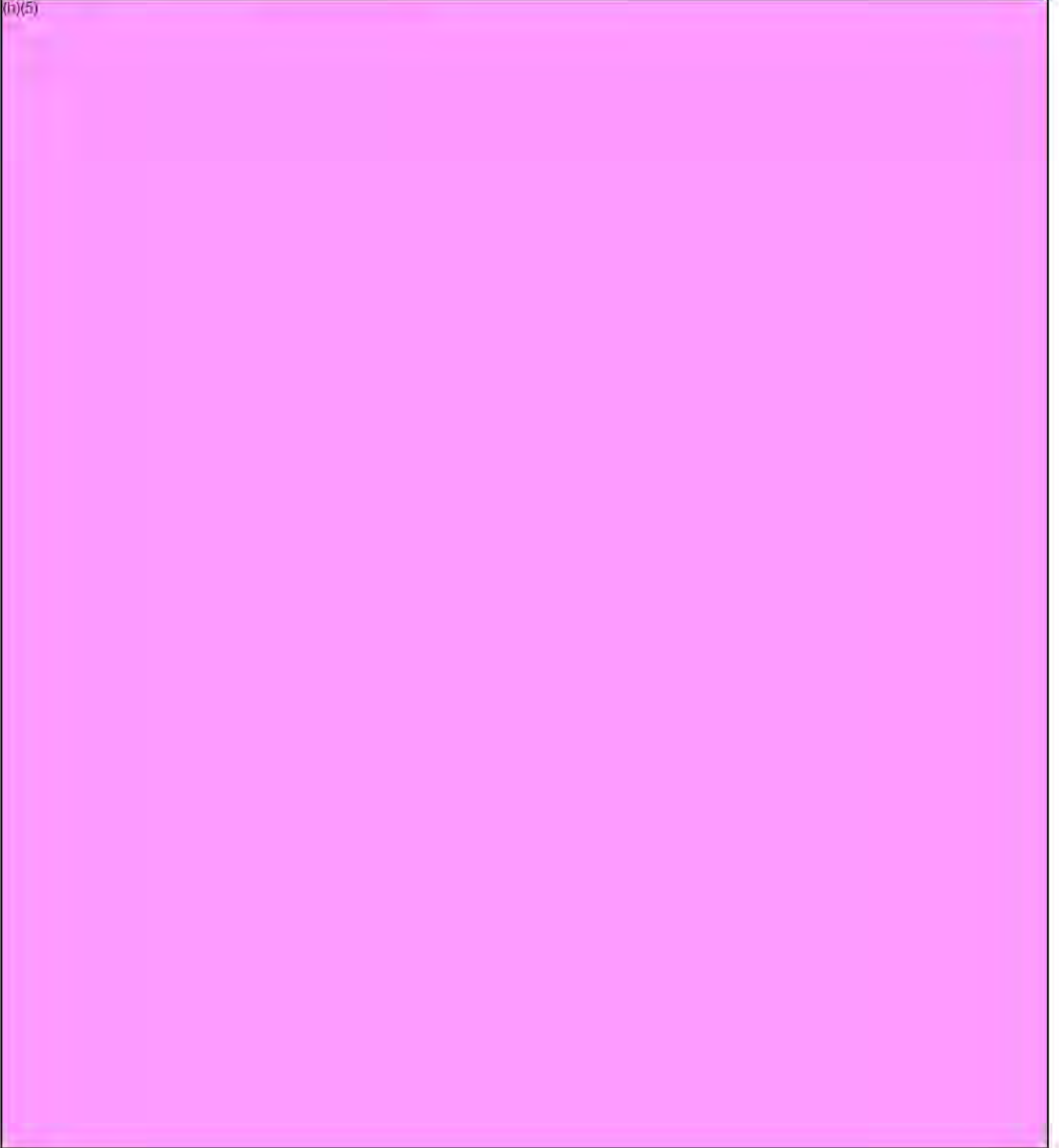
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W: (b)(6)

C: (b)(6)

From: Heaphy, Kathleen A. (OGC)
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To: Raun, Eric L. (OGC)
Subject: FW: Authorization for MCD to transfer patients between MCDs GCL 145646
Attachments: (b)(6)

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From: Raun, Eric L. (OGC)
Sent: Fri, 10 Apr 2020 18:05:13 +0000
To: (b)(6)
Cc: (b)(6); Hardzog, Lisa (OGC)
Bcc: Blauert, Susan (OGC)
Subject: RE: COCID-19/CARES Supplemental Funding in 0181 State Home Grants

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Eric

Eric Raun

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Subject: FW: COCID-19/CARES Supplemental Funding in 0181 State Home Grants
Importance: High

Lisa and Eric,

(b)(5), (b)(6)

Thanks,

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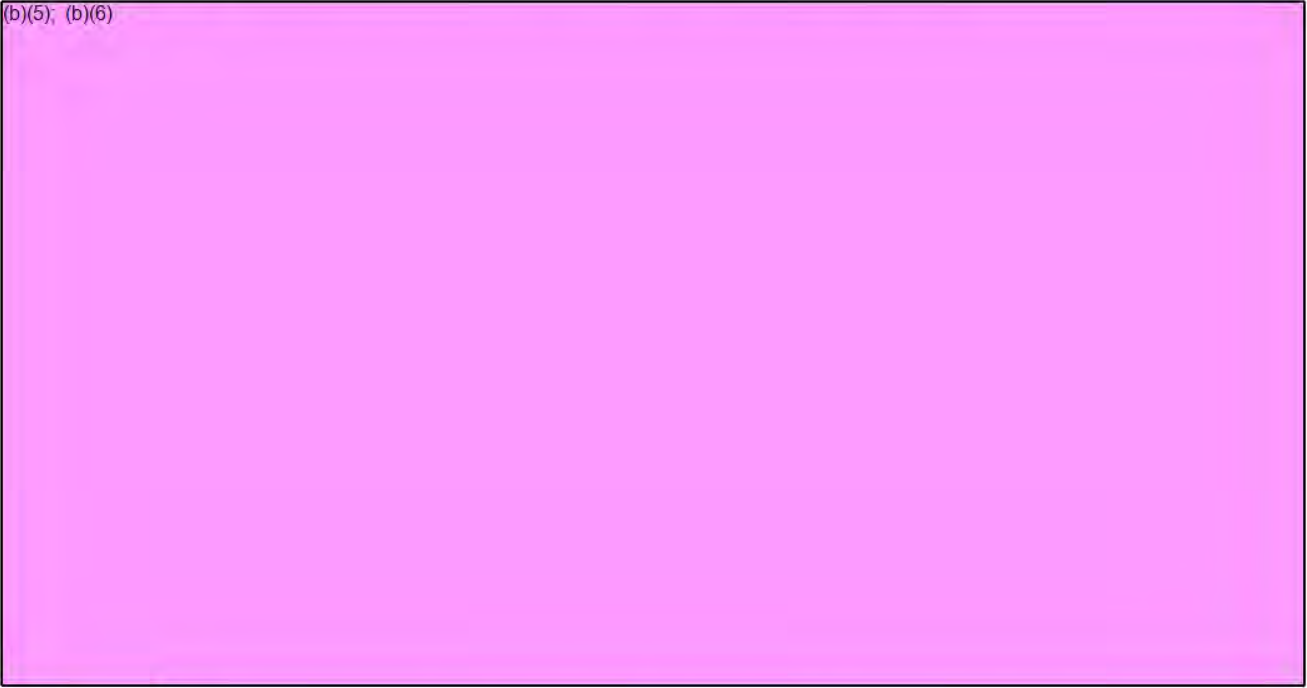
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Importance: High

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Subject: RE: COCID-19/CARES Supplemental Funding in 0181 State Home Grants

Importance: High

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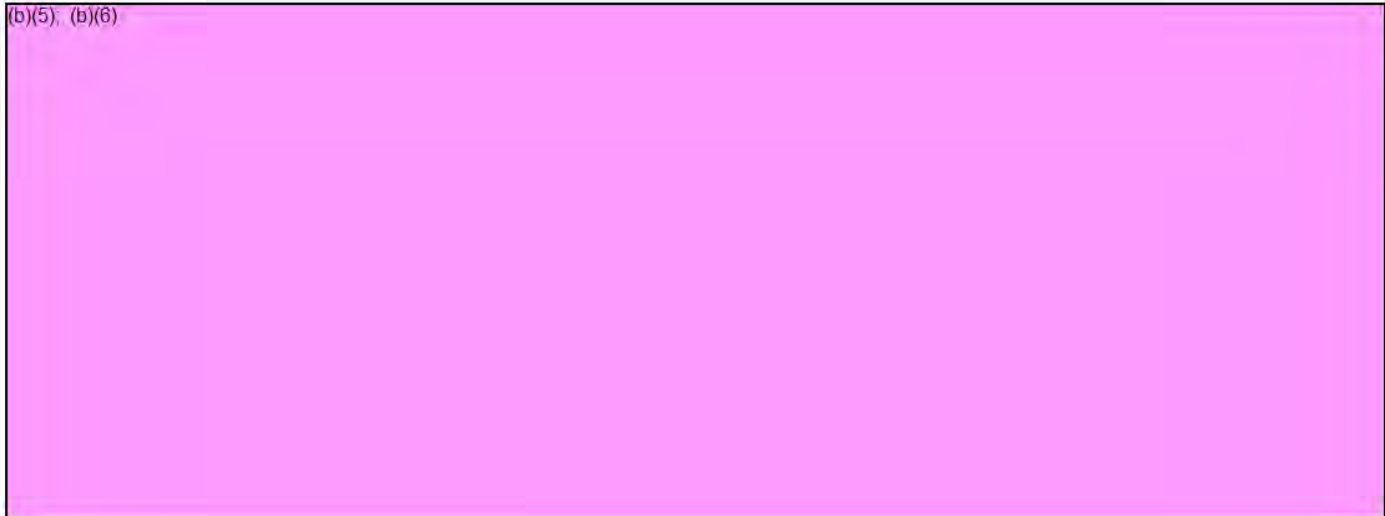
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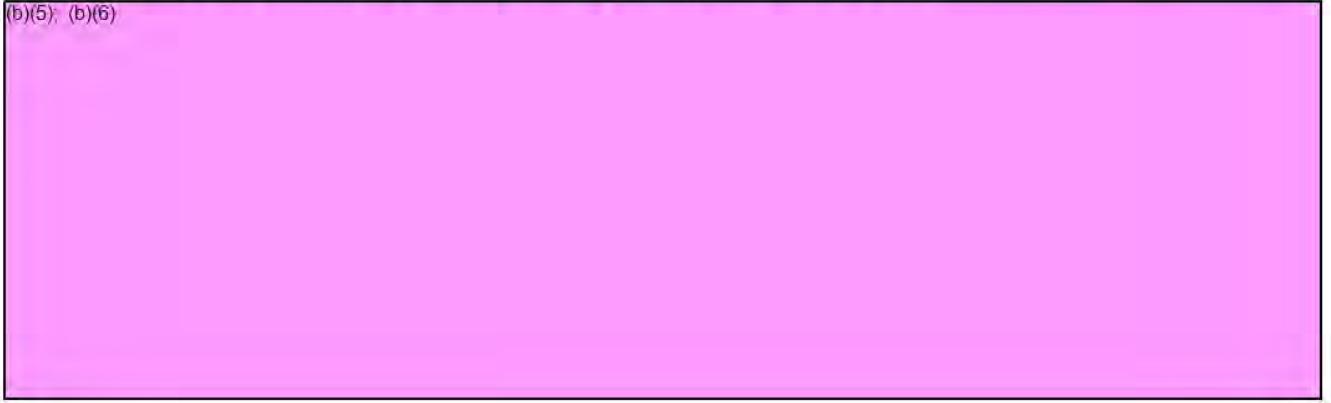
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Sent: Fri, 10 Apr 2020 18:58:56 +0000
To: Blauert, Susan (OGC)
Subject: FW: Time-Sensitive/Please Expedite - VIEWS 2660652 - EIC Memorandum to SECVA Waive Limit on Per Diem in GPD - CARES Act

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Susan:

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Good Afternoon!

The VHA Office of Finance concurs with one question. What is the trigger to take this back to the regular rate?

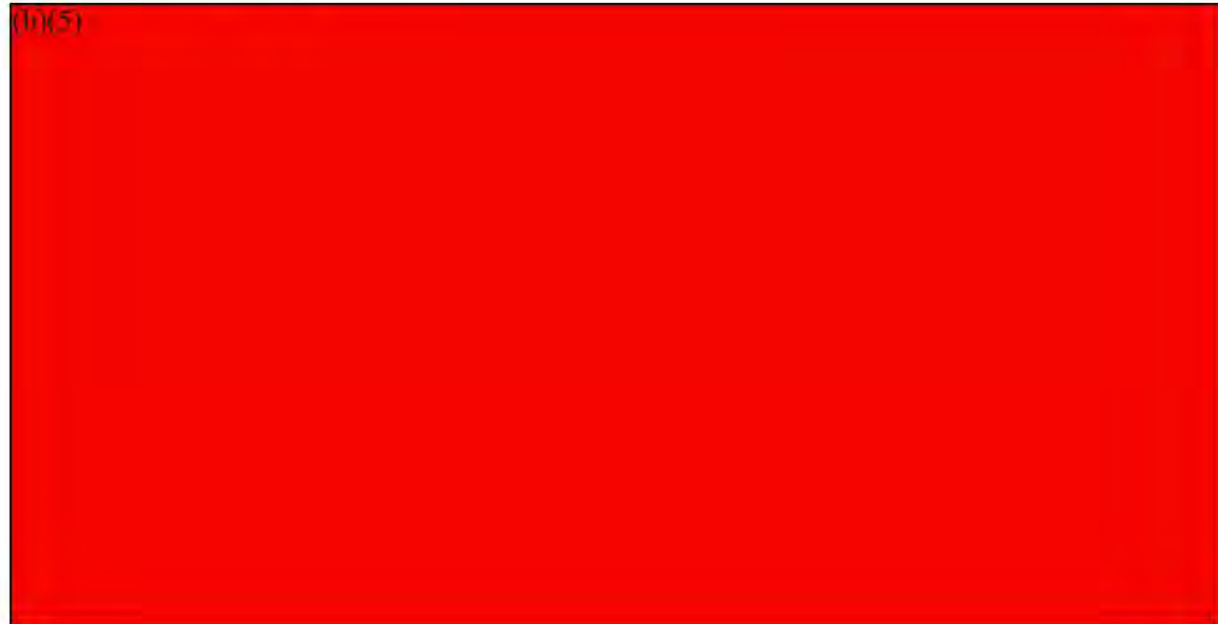
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From: Blauert, Susan (OGC)
Sent: Fri, 10 Apr 2020 19:16:37 +0000
To: Hogan, Michael R. (OGC)
Cc: Raun, Eric L. (OGC)
Subject: FW: VA CT Support for Homeless in New Haven
Attachments: RRF New Haven Homeless Support v3.pdf

Looks OK to us too.

Susan Blauert

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Susan
Looks fine to me.

Eric Raun

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Thank you.

Mike

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Mr. Hogan

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Sent: Thursday, April 9, 2020 11:53 AM

To: VHA EMCC Operations <(b)(6)@va.gov>

Subject: VA CT Support for Homeless in New Haven

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Susan

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Thanks

Eric

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Sent: Fri, 10 Apr 2020 17:47:25 +0000
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Subject: FW: Request for approval of Roseburg PPE decon support for Mercy Hospital
Attachments: RE: (b)(5)

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Susan/Eric,

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Thank you.

Mike

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Subject: FW: Request for approval of Roseburg PPE decon support for Mercy Hospital

Mr. Hogan

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Thanks,

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Deputy Operations Section Chief
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Thanks,

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Subject: RE: Mercy Hosp PPE Decon support by Roseburg VA

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Subject: RE: Mercy Hosp

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Thanks,

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To All,

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Thanks again,

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Respectfully,

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Susan

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Thanks

Eric

Eric Raun

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Good afternoon everyone,

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Michelle Middleton, Program Analyst
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Sent: Fri, 10 Apr 2020 20:08:50 +0000
To: Raun, Eric L. (OGC)
Subject: RE: Follow-up- SVAC-R (Dearing) - telehealth and premature VA homeless proposals - 04042020

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Hi Eric,

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Thanks,

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To: (b)(6)@va.gov>

Subject: RE: Follow-up- SVAC-R (Dearing) - telehealth and premature VA homeless proposals - 04042020

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Eric

Eric Raun

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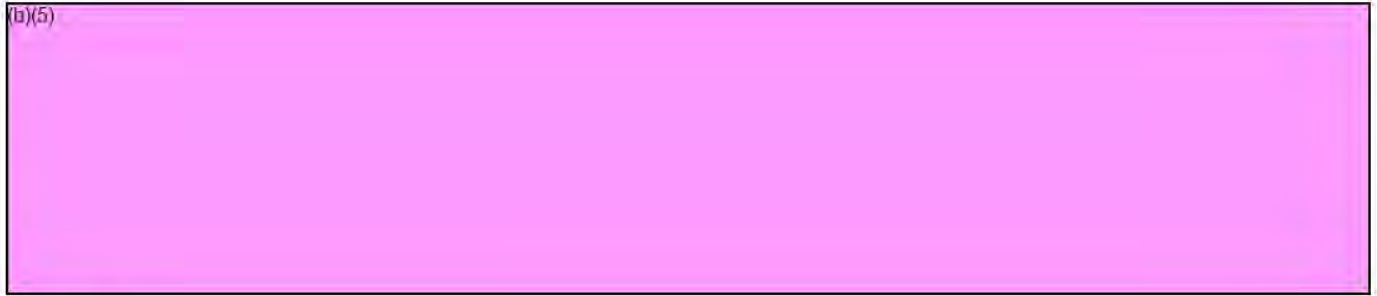
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Eric,

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Thanks,

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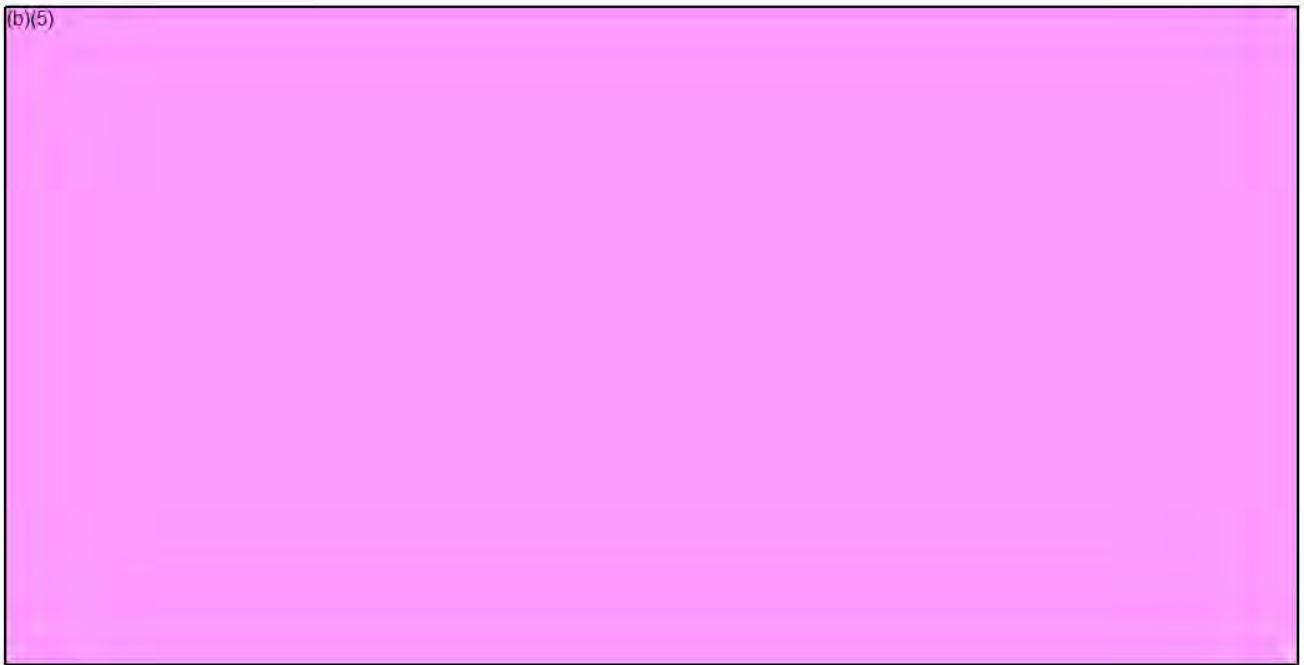
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Subject: RE: Follow-up- SVAC-R (Dearing) - telehealth and premature VA homeless proposals - 04042020

Importance: High

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Thanks,

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Subject: TA: Follow-up- SVAC-R (Dearing) - telehealth and premature VA homeless proposals - 04042020

April 3, 2020

Good afternoon,

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Thanks for the call today, (b)(6)

I have two questions regarding the feedback we received in the below email.

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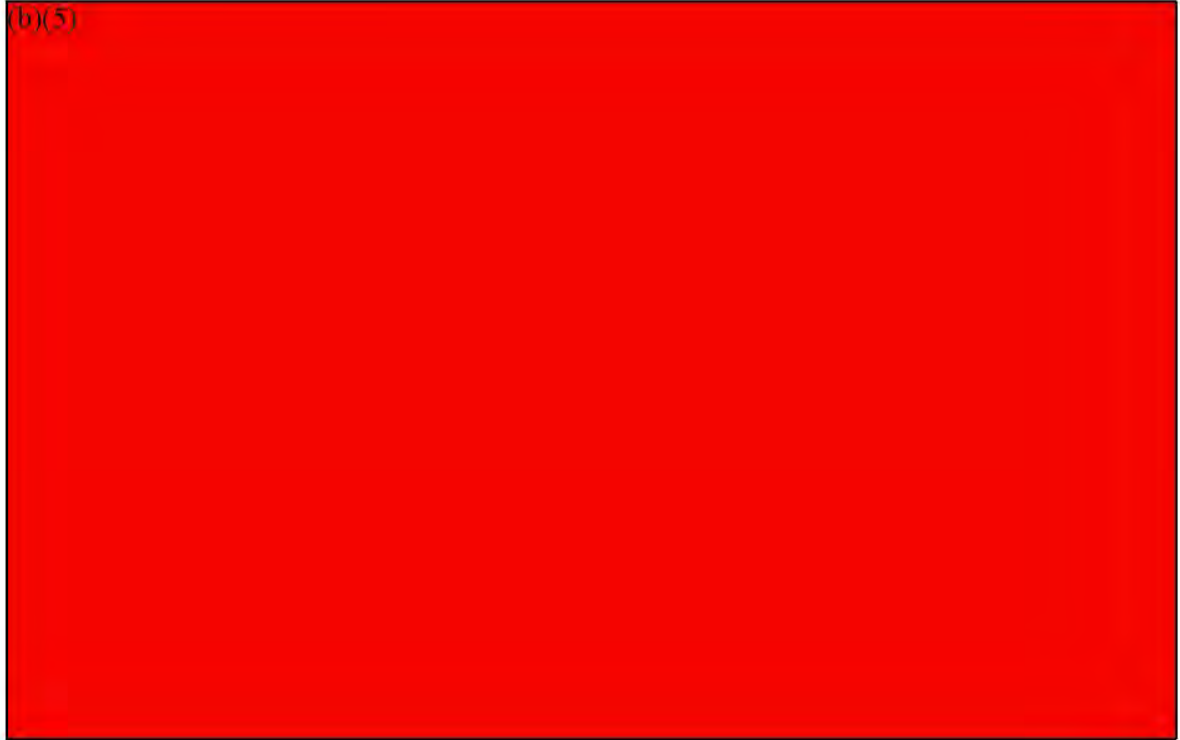
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Best,

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Thanks,

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Hello (b)(6)

Thank you for your questions. They will be actioned for response. The march 31 briefing will remain as schedule.

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Good morning,

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Thanks ,

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Hi (b)(6)

Adding my colleague, (b)(6) from the OCLA Corporate Enterprise Team to assist you with this request. He's going to be the gatekeeper of all things COVID-19.

Please let me know if you have any questions.

v/r,

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Hi (b)(6)

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Thanks so much!

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Good Evening (b)(6)

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Please stand by.

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Hi (b)(6)

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Thanks,

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Subject: RE: reminder --: SVAC-R (Dearing) - telehealth and premature VA homeless proposals - 04042020

Hi (b)(6)

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Thanks,
Susan

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Please see another question regarding VHA homelessness legislative concepts, below.

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Thanks for the call today, (b)(6)

I have two questions regarding the feedback we received in the below email.

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Good afternoon,

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Thanks,

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Subject: RE: Homeless Veteran Teleconference

Hello (b)(6)

Thank you for your questions. They will be actioned for response. The march 31 briefing will remain as schedule.

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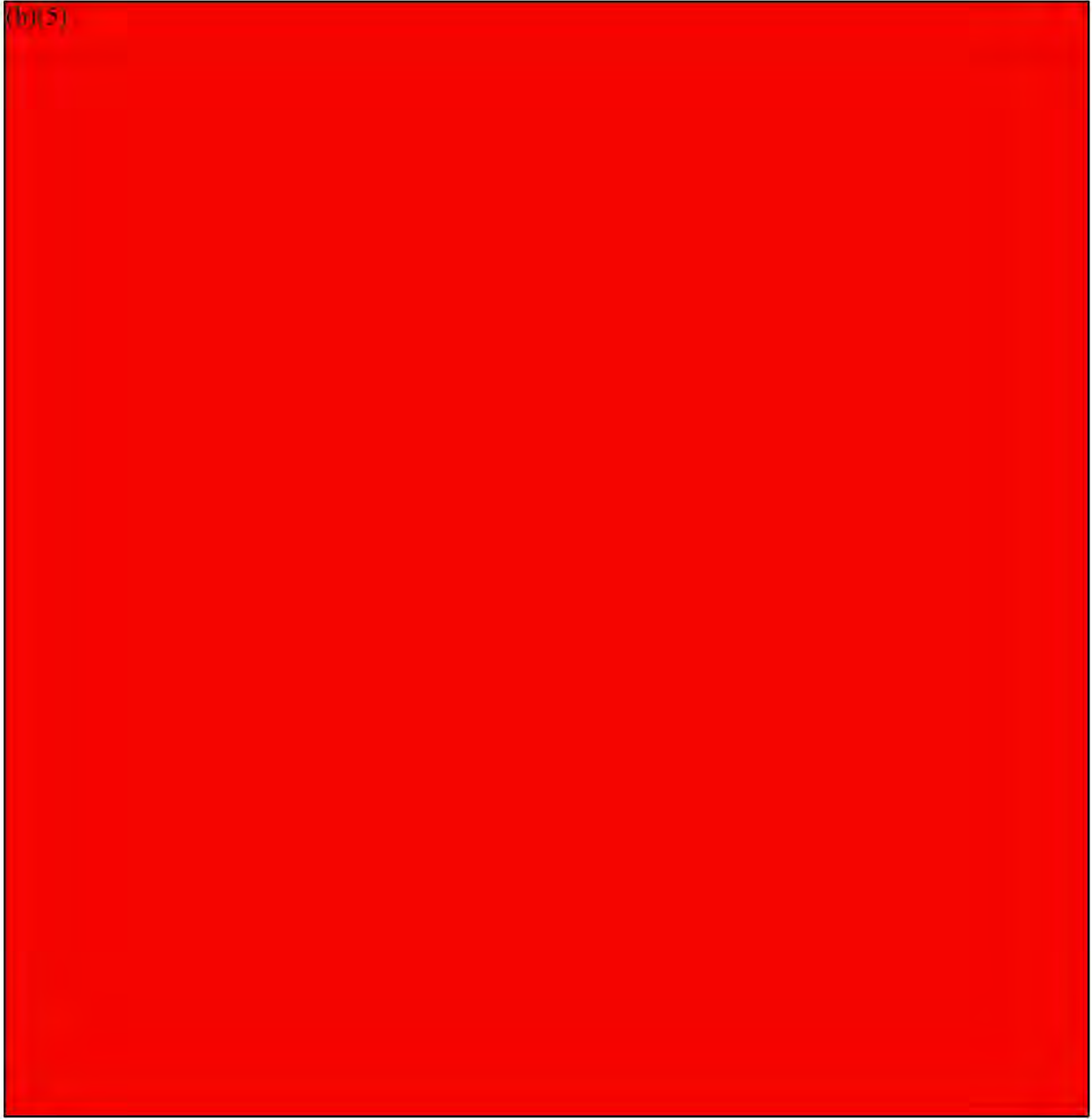
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Hi (b)(6)

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Best,

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Good morning,

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Thanks ,

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Thank (b)(6)

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Hi (b)(6)

Adding my colleague, (b)(6) from the OCLA Corporate Enterprise Team to assist you with this request. He's going to be the gatekeeper of all things COVID-19.

Please let me know if you have any questions.

v/r,

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Hi (b)(6)

I saw that extra information, thank you. I think we would still like to have a call in the near future. If it can't be this Friday, perhaps next Monday. I think March 31st is a bit too far away to take the place of this call request.

Thanks so much!

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Good Evening (b)(6)

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Please stand by.

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Hi (b)(6)

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Thanks,

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