

City of Philadelphia

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Memorandum

TO: Doctor Cheryl Bettigole, Acting Commissioner,

Department of Public Health

FROM: Jo Rosenberger Altman, Senior Attorney

DATE: May 14, 2021

SUBJECT: Emergency Regulation for the Control and Prevention of COVID-19

Supplementing the Regulation Governing the Immunization and Treatment of Newborns, Children, and Adolescents (Vaccine Information Statements)

I have reviewed the Emergency Regulation for the Control and Prevention of COVID-19 Supplementing the Regulation Governing the Immunization and Treatment of Newborns, Children, and Adolescents (Vaccine Information Statements), attached hereto. I find the regulation to be legal and in proper form. In accordance with Section 8-407(a) of The Philadelphia Home Rule Charter, you may now forward these regulations to the Department of Records where they will be made available for public inspection.

Consistent with Mayor Kenney's March 11, 2020 Declaration of Extraordinary Circumstance: Suspending the Formal Regulatory Process for Regulations Concerning a Novel Coronavirus, you may promulgate the amendment effective immediately upon delivery to the Department of Records as a temporary regulation, while the remaining procedures and formalities of Section 8-407 are followed to promulgate the amendment.

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