

City of Philadelphia

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Memorandum

TO: Doctor Thomas Farley, Commissioner, Department of Public Health

FROM: Jo Rosenberger Altman, Senior Attorney

DATE: October 29, 2020

SUBJECT: SEVENTEENTH SUPPLEMENTAL EMERGENCY REGULATION

GOVERNING THE CONTROL AND PREVENTION OF COVID-19 (LONG-TERM CARE ISOLATION SAFETY AND TRANSFER)

I have reviewed the Seventeenth Supplemental Emergency Regulation Governing the Control and Prevention of COVID-19, 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 the regulation and the 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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