



**COLORADO**  
Department of Public  
Health & Environment

# Notice of Public Rule-Making Hearing Scheduled for September 8, 2015

NOTICE is hereby given pursuant to the provisions of Section 24-4-103, C.R.S., that the Executive Director will conduct a public rule-making hearing on September 8, 2015 at 11:30 a.m. in the Carson Conference Room of the Colorado Department of Public Health and Environment, Bldg. A, First Floor, 4300 Cherry Creek Drive, South, Denver, CO 80246, to consider the repeal of 6 CCR 1010-18, *Colorado Hazardous Playground Equipment Regulations*. The rule was originally promulgated in May 1990 by the Executive Director and became effective June 30, 1990, with authority provided pursuant to Section 25-5-508(2)(C)(I), C.R.S., as amended. The purpose of the rule was to safeguard the health of children from playground equipment that present mechanical hazards. However, the intent of the standards presented in this rule are now administered and enforced under multiple state and federal regulations that include, but are not limited to:

- Colorado Department of Education, Division of Public School Capital Construction Assistance, *Public School Facility Construction Guidelines*, 1 CCR 303-1;
- Colorado Department of Public Safety, Division of Fire Prevention and Control, *Code Enforcement and Certification of Inspectors for Public Schools, Charter Schools and Junior Colleges*, 8 CCR 1507-30;
- 2010 American Disabilities Act Standards for Accessible Design, Chapter 2, Section 240 and Chapter 10, Section 1008; and
- International Building Code - Section 424, 2012 Edition.

The agenda for the meeting and the proposed repeal will also be available on the Board of Health's website, <https://www.colorado.gov/pacific/cdphe/executive-director-rule-making-hearings> at least 7 days prior to the meeting. The proposed repealed rule, together with the proposed statement of basis and purpose, specific statutory authority and regulatory analysis will be available for inspection at the Colorado Department of Public Health and Environment, 4300 Cherry Creek Drive South EDO-A5, Denver, Colorado 80246-1530 at least five working days prior to the hearing. Copies of the rule may be obtained by contacting the Colorado Department of Public Health and Environment, Environmental Health and Sustainability Division DEHS-A2, 4300 Cherry Creek Drive S., Denver, CO 80246, (303) 692-2978.

The Executive Director encourages all interested persons to participate in the hearing by providing written data, views, or comments, or by making oral comments at the hearing. At the Executive Director's discretion, oral testimony at the hearing may be limited to three minutes or less depending on the number of persons wishing to comment. Written testimony is due by 5:00p.m., Wednesday, September 2, 2015. Persons wishing to submit written comments should submit them to: Larry Wolk, MD, MSP, Executive Director and Chief Medical Officer, ATTN: Jamie L. Thornton, Program Assistant, Colorado Department of Public Health and Environment, 4300 Cherry Creek Drive South EDO-A5, Denver, Colorado 80246-1530 or e-mail at: [cdphe.bohrequests@state.co.us](mailto:cdphe.bohrequests@state.co.us)

Dated this 24<sup>th</sup> day of July, 2015.

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