



NOTICE OF PUBLIC RULEMAKING HEARING

FOR AMENDMENTS TO

Rules Pertaining to the Administration and Enforcement of the Pet Animal Care and Facilities Act

8 CCR 1202-15

Notice is hereby given pursuant to § 24-4-103 C.R.S. that the Department of Agriculture will hold a public rulemaking hearing:

DATE: May 24, 2016
TIME: 9:30am
LOCATION: Colorado Department of Agriculture
Big Thompson Conference Room
305 Interlocken Parkway
Broomfield, Colorado 80021

The purpose of this rulemaking is to recodify the rule from the Animal Health Division at 8 CCR 1201-11 to the Inspection and Consumer Services Division at 8 CCR 1202-15 and make amendments to the rule. Proposed amendments include: clarifying definitions; provide new definitions; include new categories for pet transporter and reptile/amphibian; clarify license application and renewal dates; remove unnecessary licensure categories; and update licensure fees. These revisions incorporate changes as a result of the Department's Regulatory Efficiency Review Process.

The statutory authority for these rules is §§ 35-80-109(1), (2)(a), (b6), (c), (d), (e)(I), and 35-80-106.5(2), C.R.S.

Any interested party may file written comment with the Commissioner's office prior to the hearing, or present at the aforementioned hearing written data, views or arguments. A copy of the proposed rule is available on the Department of Agriculture's website at www.colorado.gov/ag or may be obtained by calling 303-869-9004. The proposed rule shall be available for public inspection at the Colorado Department of Agriculture at 305 Interlocken Parkway, Broomfield, Colorado during regular business hours.

