

**MAINE DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE, VETERANS AND EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT  
2021-2022 Regulatory Agenda**

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**15-213: Military Bureau**

**15-214: Maine Emergency Management Agency (MEMA)**

**15-215: Bureau of Veterans Services**

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AGENCY UMBRELLA-UNIT NUMBER: **15-213 - Military Bureau**

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**EMERGENCY RULES ADOPTED SINCE THE LAST REGULATORY AGENDA:**

None

**EXPECTED 2021-2022 RULE-MAKING ACTIVITY:**

CHAPTER NUMBER AND TITLE: **Chapter 1:** Maine Military Family Relief Fund

STATUTORY BASIS: 37-B M.R.S. §158

PURPOSE: This proposed amendment would revise all aspects of the current rule to include application process, advisory committee, evaluation criteria, and approval process. New rules may incorporate the Adjutant General's authority to provide logistical and administrative support to military welfare societies to facilitate the distribution of emergency financial relief to eligible members of the Maine National Guard.

SCHEDULE FOR ADOPTION: Prior to March 31, 2022.

AFFECTED PARTIES: Members or families of members of the Maine National Guard or residents of the State who are members or families of members of the Reserves of the Armed Forces of the United States.

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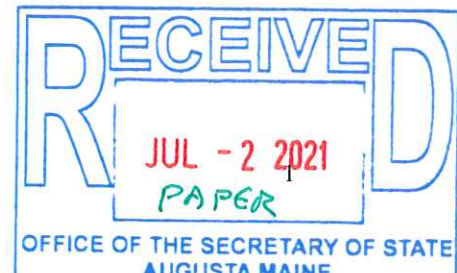
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AGENCY UMBRELLA-UNIT NUMBER: **15-214 – Maine Emergency Management Agency**

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**EMERGENCY RULES ADOPTED SINCE THE LAST REGULATORY AGENDA:**

None



**EXPECTED 2021-2022 RULE-MAKING ACTIVITY:**

CHAPTER NUMBER AND TITLE: **Chapter 2:** Establishment of Fees for the Reporting of Hazardous Materials

STATUTORY BASIS: 37-B M.R.S. §801

PURPOSE: This proposed amendment would revise the fee schedule for registering facilities who store, handle, manufacture, process or otherwise use toxic chemicals and fees related to quantities reported by these facilities.

SCHEDULE FOR ADOPTION: Prior to March 31, 2022.

AFFECTED PARTIES: All current registered facilities or future facilities who store, handle, manufacture, process or otherwise use certain hazardous chemicals.

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**15-215**

AGENCY UMBRELLA-UNIT NUMBER: **15-215 - Bureau of Veterans Services**

AGENCY NAME: Maine Department of Defense, Veterans and Emergency Management

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**EMERGENCY RULES ADOPTED SINCE THE LAST REGULATORY AGENDA:**

None

**EXPECTED 2021-2022 RULE-MAKING ACTIVITY:**

CHAPTER NUMBER AND TITLE: **Chapter 4:** Hunting Opportunities for Disabled Veterans Fund

STATUTORY BASIS: 37-B, M.R.S. §516

PURPOSE: This proposed rule would establish the process and provisions to govern the recently enacted Hunting Opportunities for Disabled Veterans Fund. The fund will be used to support hunting opportunities in the State for disabled veterans through organizations who provide such opportunities.

SCHEDULE FOR ADOPTION: Prior to March 31, 2022.

AFFECTED PARTIES: Veterans as defined in 37-B, M.R.S. §504.

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**Wismer, Don**

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Don,

Here is DVEM's regulatory agenda for 2021-2022. Please let me know if you have any questions. A paper copy is being mailed to your office.

Regards,

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