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**NOTICE REGARDING PUBLIC COMMENT PERIOD FOR REVISED
FEE REQUIREMENTS FOR PROCESSING APPLICATIONS**

The changes in *Standards for Fee Requirements for Processing Applications* (22VAC40-160) will be published in the *Virginia Register of Regulations* (Volume 39, Issue 5) on 10/24/2022, and the public comment forum will remain open through 11/23/2022. The current fee requirements regulation (22VAC40-160) is being amended to allow payments of licensing fees to be made through the Department of Social Services (DSS) online payment system, which is still under development.

The revised regulation, *Fee Requirements for Processing Applications*, may be found in [Virginia Regulatory Town Hall View Stage](#).

Comments on the proposed regulation may be submitted via Regulatory Town Hall at <http://www.townhall.virginia.gov>; or by mail, fax or email to: Sherri Williams, Policy and Data Consultant, Virginia Department of Social Services, Division of Licensing Programs, 801 East Main Street, 9th Floor, Richmond, Virginia 23219; fax (804) 726-7132; email sherri.williams@dss.virginia.gov.

We ask that you include your name and affiliation (e.g. ALF provider, organization, etc.), although this is not required. However, if you wish us to send you a summary description of public comment on the proposed regulation, you must provide your name and address (email preferred). If you wish to see the summary description of public comment without us sending it to you, it will be accessible to the public on the Regulatory Town Hall website.

These changes become effective 12/8/2022 unless feedback received in public comment requests that a Notice of Intended Regulatory Action (NOIRA) be initiated.