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Small Business Impact Statement

LCB File No. R047-24

EFFECTIVE DATE OF REGULATION:
Upon filing with the Nevada Secretary of State

1. Background:

The Public Employees' Benefits Program (PEBP) Board adopted amendments to Nevada administrative Code (NAC) Chapter 287 that consolidated essential Board procedures into a single regulation and repealed several regulations whose provisions were otherwise addressed in statute or more appropriately addressed in agency documents.

2. Description of Solicitation:

Because the amendments to NAC Chapter 287 address PEBP's procedures, PEBP did not anticipate any effect on any business. In an effort to determine any unanticipated impact, PEBP prepared a letter explaining the proposed amendments and requesting input as to whether the proposed amendments had a direct and significant burden upon small businesses or directly restricted the formation, operation, or expansion of small businesses within Nevada. On or about February 13, 2024, the letter was posted on PEBP's website and also sent by U.S. mail to the Nevada State Medical Association, Capitol Reporters, the Las Vegas Metro Chamber of Commerce, the Reno Sparks Chamber of Commerce, and the Rural Nevada Development Corporation. To date, PEBP has received no responses indicating that the proposed regulations will affect small businesses, nor was any comment to that effect made at the regulation workshop or public hearing on the amendments. *See* NRS 233B.0609(1)(a).

3. Does the proposed regulation impose a direct and significant economic burden upon a small business or directly restrict the formation, operation or expansion of a small business? (NRS 233B.0608(1))

No.

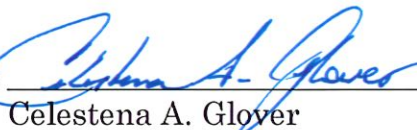
4. How was that conclusion reached?

All of the amendments relate to essential PEBP Board procedures or to enrollment provisions which are otherwise addressed in NRS Chapter 287 or more appropriately addressed in PEBP's plan documents, and thus do not appear to affect any small business. PEBP received no public comment, either oral or written, indicating that these amendments would impose a direct and significant economic burden upon a small business or directly restrict the formation, operation, or expansion of a small business.

I, Celestena A. Glover, Executive Officer of the Nevada Public Employees' Benefits Program, certify that, to the best of my knowledge or belief, a concerted effort was made to determine the impact of the proposed regulation on small business, and that the information contained in the statement above is accurate. (NRS 233B.0608(3))

Dated: May 23, 2024

Signature: _____



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