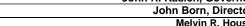


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Dear Ms. Steele,

Thank you for your review of the business impact analysis for Chapter 4565-7 of the Administrative Code (EMS services). The Ohio Department of Public Safety (ODPS), Division of Emergency Medical Services (EMS), has received and read your review, recommendations, and conclusions.

On May 13, 2014, the Division of EMS intends to formally file Chapter 4565-7 of the Administrative Code and all the required materials with the Joint Committee on Agency Rule Review and the Legislative Service Commission. The Division of EMS plans to conduct a public hearing pursuant to R.C. 119.03 on June 18, 2014 at the Ohio Department of Public Safety, Room 134, 1970 West Broad Street, Columbus Ohio, 43223. The Division of EMS anticipates final-filing the rule with an effective date of July 18, 2014.

Sincerely,

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