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INDEPENDENT REGULATORY REVIEW COMMISSION

333 MARKET STREET, 14TH FLOOR, HARRISBURG, PA 17101

April 28, 2011

Mary Jane Phelps, Director
Joint Committee on Documents
647 Main Capitol Building
Harrisburg, PA 17120

Re: Regulation #53-9 (IRRC #2861)
Joint Committee on Documents
Preliminary Provisions; Definitions

Dear Ms. Phelps:

The Independent Regulatory Review Commission approved the subject regulation today. Our order is enclosed and will be available on our website at www.irrc.state.pa.us.

We appreciate the joint effort that went into producing a regulation that meets the criteria and intent of the Regulatory Review Act.

Sincerely,

Silvan B. Lutkewitte

Chairman

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Enclosure

cc: Honorable Dominic F. Pileggi, Majority Chairman, Senate Rules and Executive Nominations Committee
Honorable Jay Costa, Jr., Minority Chairman, Senate Rules and Executive Nominations Committee
Honorable Daryl D. Metcalfe, Majority Chairman, House State Government Committee
Honorable Babette Josephs, Minority Chairman, House State Government Committee

**INDEPENDENT REGULATORY REVIEW COMMISSION
APPROVAL ORDER**

Commissioners Voting:

Public Meeting Held April 28, 2011

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Regulation No. 53-9 (#2861)
Joint Committee on Documents
Preliminary Provisions; Definitions

On July 27, 2010, the Independent Regulatory Review Commission (Commission) received this proposed regulation from the Joint Committee on Documents (Committee). This rulemaking amends 1 Pa. Code Chapter 1. The proposed regulation was published in the August 7, 2010 *Pennsylvania Bulletin* with a 30-day public comment period. The final-form regulation was submitted to the Commission on March 22, 2011.


This regulation amends 1 Pa. Code Chapter 1 to add a definition of “copy” to include a printed or electronic version.

We have determined this regulation is consistent with the statutory authority of the Committee (45 Pa.C.S. § 503) and the intention of the General Assembly. Having considered all of the other criteria of the Regulatory Review Act, we find promulgation of this regulation is in the public interest.

BY ORDER OF THE COMMISSION:

This regulation is approved.





Silvan B. Lutkewitte, III, Chairman