

**INDEPENDENT REGULATORY REVIEW COMMISSION
APPROVAL ORDER**

Commissioners Voting:

Public Meeting Held October 18, 2012

Silvan B. Lutkewitte, III, Chairman
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Regulation No. 16A-5511 (#2902)
State Board of Accountancy
Continuing Professional Education

On August 8, 2011, the Independent Regulatory Review Commission (Commission) received this proposed regulation from the State Board of Accountancy (Board). This rulemaking amends 49 Pa. Code Chapter 11. The proposed regulation was published in the August 20, 2011 *Pennsylvania Bulletin* with a 30-day public comment period. The final-form regulation was submitted to the Commission on September 4, 2012.

This regulation reorganizes and updates continuing professional education requirements for Certified Public Accountants and Public Accountants.

We have determined this regulation is consistent with the statutory authority of the Board (63 P.S. § 9.3(a)(10)) 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.



A handwritten signature in black ink, reading "Silvan B. Lutkewitte, III".

Silvan B. Lutkewitte, III, Chairman