

**INDEPENDENT REGULATORY REVIEW COMMISSION  
APPROVAL ORDER**

Commissioners Voting:

Public Meeting Held April 18, 2013

Silvan B. Lutkewitte, III, Chairman  
George D. Bedwick, Vice Chairman  
John F. Mizner, Esq.  
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Regulation No. 12-96 (#2939)  
Department of Labor and Industry  
Unemployment Compensation;  
Active Search for Work

On April 19, 2012, the Independent Regulatory Review Commission (Commission) received this proposed regulation from the Department of Labor and Industry (Department). This rulemaking amends 34 Pa. Code § 65.11. The proposed regulation was published in the May 5, 2012 *Pennsylvania Bulletin* with a 30-day public comment period. A final-form regulation was submitted to the Commission on November 5, 2012. At its December 13, 2012 public meeting, the Commission voted to disapprove the final-form regulation. On March 26, 2013, the revised final-form regulation was submitted to the Commission.


This revised final-form regulation establishes the criteria necessary for unemployment compensation claimants to conduct an active search for suitable employment.

We have determined this regulation is consistent with the statutory authority of the Department (43 P.S. § 761(a)) 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.



  
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Silvan B. Lutkewitte, III, Chairman