

**INDEPENDENT REGULATORY REVIEW COMMISSION
APPROVAL ORDER**

Commissioners Voting:

Public Meeting Held May 28, 2015

John F. Mizner, Esq., Chairman
George D. Bedwick, Vice Chairman
W. Russell Faber
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Regulation No. 57-296 (#3033)
Pennsylvania Public Utility Commission
Motor Carrier Vehicle List and Vehicle Age
Requirements

On October 3, 2013, the Independent Regulatory Review Commission (Commission) received this proposed regulation from the Pennsylvania Public Utility Commission (PUC). This rulemaking amends 52 Pa. Code § 29.314(c)-(d) and § 29.333(d)-(e). The proposed regulation was published in the October 19, 2013 *Pennsylvania Bulletin* with a 30-day public comment period. The final-form regulation was submitted to the Commission on February 27, 2015. At its April 16, 2015 public meeting, the Commission voted to disapprove the final-form regulation. On April 22, 2015, the revised final-form regulation was submitted to the Commission.

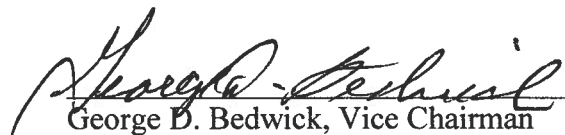
The regulation eliminates the vehicle list requirements for taxis and limousines; eliminates a waiver exception related to operating a taxi or limousine beyond the limitations set in regulation; replaces vehicle age limitations for taxis and limousines; and incentivizes the use of alternative fuel vehicles.

We have determined this regulation is consistent with the statutory authority of the PUC (66 Pa. C.S. § 501, 1301, 1501 and 2301) 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, as revised, is approved




George D. Bedwick, Vice Chairman