

**INDEPENDENT REGULATORY REVIEW COMMISSION  
PUBLIC MEETING MINUTES**

10:00 A.M.

Thursday, August 21, 2025  
14<sup>th</sup> Floor Conference Room  
333 Market Street

These minutes provide a *summary* of actions taken at this meeting. A full video of the meeting is available on our website at [www.irrc.state.pa.us/meetings/](http://www.irrc.state.pa.us/meetings/) (select "Meeting Video" link).

**I. CALL OF THE MEETING**

The August 21, 2025 public meeting of the Independent Regulatory Review Commission (Commission) was called to order by Chairman Bedwick at 10:12 a.m. in the 14<sup>th</sup> Floor Conference Room, 333 Market Street, Harrisburg, PA.

Commissioners Present:      George D. Bedwick, Chairman  
   John F. Mizner, Esq., Vice Chairman  
   Murray Ufberg, Esq.

Telephone:                      John J. Soroko, Esq.  
   Dennis A. Watson, Esq.

**II. EMBARGOED MAIL**

Chairman Bedwick announced that there was no embargoed mail.

**III. APPROVAL OF THE JUNE 26, 2025 PUBLIC MEETING MINUTES**

Chairman Bedwick asked for a motion for approval of the June 26, 2025 public meeting minutes, as submitted. Vice Chairman Mizner made the motion. Commissioner Ufberg seconded, and the motion passed 5-0.

**IV. NEW BUSINESS**

**A.      ACTION ITEMS**

**1. No. 3375 Pennsylvania Liquor Control Board #54-103: Hearings by Teleconference**

Regulatory Analyst Michelle Elliott briefly summarized the regulation, any public input, and noted that the regulation was deemed approved by the Standing Committees.

Justin Blake, Deputy Chief Counsel, and Matthew Thren, Deputy Chief Counsel, Pennsylvania Liquor Control Board, were present to answer any questions.

Michael Totino, Esq., Regulatory Review Administrator, Pennsylvania House Republican Caucus, spoke on behalf of Representative John Lawrence.

Vice Chairman Mizner made a motion for approval. Commissioner Ufberg seconded, and the motion passed 4-1, with Commissioner Soroko dissenting.

**2. No. 3447 Department of Labor and Industry #12-124: Transfer of Authority to Regulate Blasting, Demolition, Fireworks, and Explosives (Final-Omit)**

Regulatory Analyst Shawn Good briefly summarized the regulation, any public input, and noted that the regulation was deemed approved by the Standing Committees.

Joseph Marchioni, Acting Director, Bureau of Occupational and Industrial Safety, Mary Dougherty, Executive Policy Specialist, and Christopher Giovanis, Senior Regulatory Counsel, Department of Labor and Industry, were present to answer any questions.

Commissioner Watson made a motion for approval. Vice Chairman Mizner seconded, and the motion passed 5-0.

**3. No. 3449 Department of State #16-65: Campaign Finance Forms (Final-Omit)**

Mr. Good briefly summarized the regulation, any public input, and noted that the regulation was deemed approved by the Standing Committees.

Gregory Darr, Counsel for the Office of Campaign Finance and Lobbying Disclosure, and Marc Farrell, Regulatory Counsel, Department of State, were present to answer any questions.

Commissioner Ufberg made a motion for approval. Chairman Bedwick seconded, and the motion passed 5-0.

## **V. OTHER BUSINESS**

### **1. Relocation Expense – Equipment/Furniture**

Commissioner Ufberg made a motion to approve the relocation expense. Chairman Bedwick seconded, and the motion passed 5-0.

### **2. Approval of Vouchers**

Commissioner Ufberg made a motion to approve staff vouchers. Vice Chairman Mizner seconded, and the motion passed 5-0.

## **VI. DATE AND PLACE OF SUBSEQUENT MEETING**

Chairman Bedwick announced the next public meeting is scheduled for Thursday, September 18, 2025, at 10:00 a.m. in the 14<sup>th</sup> Floor Conference Room, 333 Market Street, Harrisburg.

## **VII. EXECUTIVE SESSION ANNOUNCEMENTS**

Chairman Bedwick announced that there would not be an executive session held today.

## **VIII. ADJOURNMENT**

Chairman Bedwick adjourned the meeting at 11:06 a.m.