# Cover Letter - Agency Amendment (KRS 13A.320(2))

The agency amendment shall have a cover letter addressed to the legislative committee's chair or co-chairs. Regarding the amendment itself, the only drafting difference between an agency amendment and a suggested amendment is the heading on an agency amendment will specify "Agency Amendment" instead of "Suggested Amendment". (Example of an Agency Amendment is on the next page.)

John J. Michaels Governor



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Amphibian Protection Cabinet
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Division of Bullfrogs 200 Lizard Lane Frankfort, Kentucky 40601

May 8, 2024

Senator {insert name}
Representative {insert name}
Legislative Research Commission
083, Capitol Annex
702 Capitol Avenue
Frankfort, Kentucky 40601

Dear Ms. Caudill:

After consideration of the issues raised by 312 KAR 89:720E, the Division of Bullfrogs proposes the attached agency amendment to this {emergency} regulation.

Sincerely,

Luke Montgomery

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NOTES: IF the emergency and ordinary are being heard at the same meeting, the letter AND agency amendment need to <u>clearly</u> specify if the changes are being made to the emergency only, ordinary only, or to BOTH the emergency and ordinary.

Agency amendments are due before COB, three workdays before the committee meeting.

# Agency Amendment (ARRS - May 2024)

# Amphibian Protection Cabinet Department of Frogs Division of Bullfrogs

## 312 KAR 89:720E. Protection of endangered or threatened bullfrogs.

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#### **NECESSITY, FUNCTION, AND CONFORMITY**

**Lines 8 - 9** 

After "CONFORMITY:", insert the following:

KRS 224.46-520 requires the Amphibian Protection Cabinet to promulgate administrative regulations for the protection of species of bullfrogs that are endangered or threatened.

Delete the following:

This administrative regulation implements provisions of KRS 224.46-520.

#### Line 10

After "facilities that treat, store", insert a comma.

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Section 1(1)

**Lines 13 - 14** 

After "(1)", insert the following:

Specific Part B requirements for the protection of bullfrogs

Delete "The subject matter".

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Section 1(2)

Line 15

After "report required", insert "by".

Delete "under".

#### Line 16

After "compliance with", delete "401 KAR 38:500 and".

After "KRS 224.40-310", insert "and 401 KAR 38:500".