

**CABINET FOR HEALTH AND FAMILY SERVICES**  
**Department for Public Health**  
**Division of Public Health Protection and Safety**  
**(Amendment)**

**902 KAR 100:050. General licenses.**

RELATES TO: KRS 194A.005, 211.842-211.852, 211.990(4), 10 C.F.R. Part 31, 42 U.S.C. 2021

STATUTORY AUTHORITY: KRS 194A.050(1), 211.844

NECESSITY, FUNCTION, AND CONFORMITY: KRS 194A.050(1) requires the secretary to promulgate, administrative regulations necessary to implement programs mandated by federal law, to qualify for the receipt of federal funds, and to cooperate with other state and federal agencies. KRS 211.844 authorizes the cabinet to provide by regulation for the registration and licensing of the possession or use of any source of ionizing or electronic product radiation and the handling and disposal of radioactive waste. This administrative regulation establishes the general licensing requirements for certain uses of radioactive material and specific devices containing radioactive material.

**Section 1. Definitions.**

- (1) "Agreement state" means a state that the United States Nuclear Regulatory Commission (NRC) or the United States Atomic Energy Commission has entered into an effective agreement under subsection 274 b. of the Atomic Energy Act of 1954, as amended (42 U.S.C. 2021(b) et seq.).
- (2) "Cabinet" is defined by KRS 194A.005(1).
- (3) "Licensee" means a person who holds:
  - (a) A specific license issued by the cabinet pursuant to 902 KAR 100:040 and this administrative regulation;
  - (b) A specific license issued by the U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission or an agreement state; or
  - (c) A general license pursuant to this administrative regulation or equivalent regulations of the U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission or an agreement state.

**Section 2. Applicability.** This administrative regulation establishes the requirements for licensees who manufacture or use radioactive material under a general license. Except as established in subsections (1) through (4) of this section, the licensee shall comply with 10 C.F.R. Part 31.

- (1) The licensee shall not be subject to:
  - (a) 10 C.F.R. 31.4;
  - (b) 10 C.F.R. 31.22; or
  - (c) 10 C.F.R. 31.23.
- (2) Application for specific license. Each application for a specific license shall be filed pursuant to 902 KAR 100:040.
- (3) Reference to the NRC, Commission, or an agreement state shall be deemed to reference the Cabinet for Health and Family Services, Department for Public Health, Radiation Health Branch, the NRC, or an agreement state.
- (4) Notifications and reports required by 10 C.F.R. Part 31 shall be directed to the manager, Radiation Health Branch at:
  - (a) 275 East Main Street, Mailstop HS1-C-A, Frankfort, Kentucky 40621;
  - (b) (502) 564-1492: Facsimile;
  - (c) (502) 564-3700: Telephone, Monday through Friday, 8 a.m. to 4:30 p.m.; or

(d) (800) 225-2587: Telephone, for hours except those established in paragraph (c) of this subsection.

*STEVEN J. STACK, Commissioner*  
*ERIC C. FRIEDLANDER, Secretary*

APPROVED BY AGENCY: June 7, 2023

FILED WITH LRC: June 12, 2023 at 12:35 p.m.

**PUBLIC HEARING AND COMMENT PERIOD:** A public hearing on this administrative regulation shall, if requested be held on August 21, 2023, at 9:00 a.m. using the CHFS Office of Legislative and Regulatory Affairs Zoom meeting room. The Zoom invitation will be emailed to each requestor the week prior to the scheduled hearing. Individuals interested in attending this virtual hearing shall notify this agency in writing by August 14, 2023, five (5) workdays prior to the hearing, of their intent to attend. If no notification of intent to attend the hearing is received by that date, the hearing may be canceled. This hearing is open to the public. Any person who attends virtually will be given an opportunity to comment on the proposed administrative regulation. A transcript of the public hearing will not be made unless a written request for a transcript is made. If you do not wish to be heard at the public hearing, you may submit written comments on this proposed administrative regulation until August 31, 2023. Send written notification of intent to attend the public hearing or written comments on the proposed administrative regulation to the contact person. Pursuant to KRS 13A.280(8), copies of the statement of consideration and, if applicable, the amended after comments version of the administrative regulation shall be made available upon request.

**CONTACT PERSON:** Krista Quarles, Policy Analyst, Office of Legislative and Regulatory Affairs, 275 East Main Street 5 W-A, Frankfort, Kentucky 40621; phone 502-564-6746; fax 502-564-7091; email CHFSregs@ky.gov.