

1 AN ACT relating to administrative regulations.

2 ***Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the Commonwealth of Kentucky:***

3 ➔Section 1. KRS 341.115 is amended to read as follows:

- 4 (1) The secretary shall have the power and authority to adopt, amend, or rescind such  
5 rules and regulations as he *or she* deems necessary or suitable for the proper  
6 administration of this chapter. The commission shall determine its own organization  
7 and methods of procedure.
- 8 (2) General and special rules may be adopted, amended, or rescinded by the secretary  
9 only after public hearing or opportunity to be heard thereon, of which proper notice  
10 has been given. General rules shall become effective ten (10) days after filing with  
11 the Secretary of State and publication in the manner which the commission  
12 prescribes. Special rules shall become effective ten (10) days after notification of or  
13 mailing to the last known address of the individuals or concerns affected thereby.  
14 Regulations shall become effective in the manner and at the time prescribed by the  
15 secretary.
- 16 (3) The commission shall serve as an appeals board to hear and decide appeals filed in  
17 accordance with the provisions of KRS 341.430 and shall adopt regulations  
18 governing the manner of filing appeals and the conduct of hearings and appeals  
19 consistent with the provisions of this chapter.