

**RHODE ISLAND GOVERNMENT REGISTER  
PUBLIC NOTICE OF PROPOSED RULEMAKING**

**DEPARTMENT OF REVENUE**

**Title of Rule:** Exemption of Sales by Writers, Composers and Artists (280-RICR-20-70-11)

**Rule Identifier:** 280-RICR-20-70-11

**Rulemaking Action:** Proposed Amendment

**Important Dates:**

Date of Public Notice: August 24, 2023

Hearing Date: September 20, 2023

End of Public Comment: September 25, 2023

**Rulemaking Authority:**

R.I. Gen. Laws Chapters 4-18 and 44-19

R.I. Gen. Laws § 44-1-4

**Summary of Rulemaking Action:**

This regulation is being amended to make clarifying and organizational updates due to the passage of time.

**Additional Information and Public Comments:**

All interested parties are invited to request additional information or submit written or oral comments concerning the proposed amendment until September 25, 2023 by contacting the appropriate party at the address listed below:

Bethany M. Whitmarsh  
Department of Revenue  
1 Capitol Hill  
Providence, RI 02908  
bethany.whitmarsh@tax.ri.gov

**Public Hearing:**

A public hearing, in accordance with R.I. Gen. Laws § 42-35-2.5, to consider the proposed amendment shall be held at which time and place all persons interested therein will be heard. This hearing is subject to R.I. Gen. Laws Chapter 42-46, Open Meetings.

**Public Hearing Information:**

Date: September 20, 2023

Time: 11:00 A.M.

Location: DOA 2B Conference Room  
1 Capitol Hill  
Providence, RI, 02908

The place of the public hearing is accessible to individuals with disabilities. If communication assistance (readers/interpreters/captioners) is needed, or any other accommodation to ensure equal participation, please call 401-574-8922 or RI Relay 711 at least three (3) business days prior to the meeting so arrangements can be made to provide such assistance at no cost to the person requesting. For questions regarding available parking, please contact the agency staffperson listed above.

**Regulatory Analysis Summary and Supporting Documentation:**

The proposed regulation clarifies the language in the previous regulation.

For full regulatory analysis or supporting documentation contact the agency staffperson listed above.