

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

**DEPARTMENT OF STATE**

**Title of Rule:** Uniform Commercial Code Revised Article 9 – Administrative Rules

**Rule Identifier:** 100-RICR-30-00-1

**Rulemaking Action:** Proposed Adoption

**Important Dates:**

Date of Public Notice: 10/31/2018

End of Public Comment: 11/30/2018

**Authority for this Rulemaking:**

R.I. Gen. Laws § 6A-9-526

**Summary of Rulemaking Action:**

The Department of State is proposing to adopt 100-RICR-30-00-1 entitled, "Uniform Commercial Code Revised Article 9 – Administrative Rules," in conjunction with the proposed repeal of 100-RICR-XXX-XX-1882. By repealing 100-RICR-XXX-XX-1882 and adopting 100-RICR-30-00-1, the Department intends to update and clarify the role and duties of the filing officer with respect to the administration of R.I. Gen. Laws Chapter 6A-9. During its review of the proposed repeal, the Department determined that, while some language was redundant and could be removed, certain other language is appropriate and should be transferred to this proposed adoption. For a complete list of all language being deleted or moved from 100-RICR-XXX-XX-1882 to this rule, as well as a list of all sections containing entirely new language, please see the attached Additional Documentation – Summary of Non-Technical Changes.

**Additional Information and Comments:**

All interested parties are invited to request additional information or submit written or oral comments concerning the proposed adoption until November 30, 2018 by contacting the appropriate party at the address listed below:

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In accordance with R.I. Gen. Laws § 42-35-2.8, an oral hearing will be granted if requested by twenty-five (25) persons, by an agency or by an association having at least twenty-five (25) members. A request for an oral hearing must be made within thirty (30) days of this notice.

**Regulatory Analysis Summary and Supporting Documentation:**

In the development of the proposed adoption, consideration was given to: (1) alternative approaches; (2) overlap or duplication with other statutory and regulatory provisions; and (3) significant economic impact on small business. No alternative approach, duplication, or overlap was identified based upon available information.

For full regulatory analysis or supporting documentation see agency contact person above.