

## REGULATORY AGENDA – January 15, 2012

**Agency Name and Address:** RI Department of Corrections  
 40 Howard Avenue  
 Cranston, RI 02920

### **PART I - Rules Promulgated *June 16, 2011 through January 15, 2012:***

*Please indicate if your agency did not promulgate rules during this period, OR complete the following for each rule promulgated (add or delete rows accordingly):*

ERLID	Type Filing	Title	Effective Date
		N/A – RIDOC had no promulgations during this period.	

### **PART II - Expected Rule-making Activity *January 16, 2012 through June 15, 2012:***

*Please indicate if your agency does not anticipate rule-making activity during this period, OR complete the following for each rule anticipated (add or delete rows accordingly):*

Type Filing	Title/Subject Area	Objective	Legal Basis	Anticipated Schedule	Agency Contact	Interested Parties
Amendment	Equal Employment Opportunity/Affirmative Action (current 3.03-5 DOC)	To specify guidelines and procedures for administering a program of equal employment opportunity and affirmative action consistent with all governing Federal and State statutes, rules, regulations, and executive orders	RIGL § 42-56-10 (22), Powers of the director, §28-5.1-1 et seq., Equal opportunity and affirmative action; §28-5-1 et seq., Fair Employment Practices; §36-4-1 et seq., State Merit System Law, Americans with Disabilities Act of 1990; Executive Order 05-01, Promotion of Equal Opportunity and the Prevention of Sexual Harassment in State Government;	March, 2012	Gina Caruolo, Chief, RIDOC Policy and Program Development, 462-3533	RIDOC staff, potential employees

			Veterans' Employment Emphasis Under Federal Contracts 38 U.S.C. §4212, §29 U.S.C., §794, Nondiscrimination under Federal grants and programs; State Personnel Rules and Regulations, PR-3.092-3.096; Rhode Island Constitution Article 1, Section 2			
Amendment	Detaining Visitors with Outstanding Warrants (current 9.41-3 DOC)	To provide guidelines for RIDOC correctional personnel to follow in the event a Bureau of Criminal Identification (BCI) check reveals an outstanding warrant on a visitor to the ACI.	RIGL § 42-56-10 (22), Powers of the director	March, 2012	Gina Caruolo, Chief, RIDOC Policy and Program Development, 462-3533	RIDOC staff, potential visitors to the ACI
Amendment	Inmate Mail (currently 24.01-6)	To promulgate rules and guidelines governing inmate correspondence via postal service for all facilities at the ACI.	RIGL § 42-56-10 (22), Powers of the director	March, 2012	Gina Caruolo, Chief, RIDOC Policy and Program Development, 462-3533	RIDOC staff, inmates, members of the public
Enactment	Use of Restraints on Pregnant Detainees or Inmates (9.17 DOC)	To specify the procedures to follow for the use of restraints on pregnant detainees or inmates and when they are transported to an outside medical facility and during hospital stays.	RIGL § 42-56-10 (22), Powers of the director	March, 2012	Gina Caruolo, Chief, RIDOC Policy and Program Development, 462-3533	RIDOC staff, inmates