

Radiation-Generating Equipment Committee (REC)

October 4, 2013

Minutes

MEMBERS PRESENT

Lawrence Osher, Chair
Kerry Krugh, Vice Chair
Bryon Murray
Jill Paessun
Paul Geis
Ruth Hackworth
Chuck Wissuchek

MEMBERS ABSENT

David Kimberly
Bradley Kraai
Terri Yates
Thomas Hangartner
Kathryn Gardner
Jack Dukes
Nina Kowalczyk

ODH ATTENDEES

James Castle
Dwight Leeseberg

GUESTS

Chris Moore, Ohio Dental Association
Paul Johnson, Cleveland Clinic
Frank Dong, Cleveland Clinic
Kevin Wunderle, Cleveland Clinic
Emilee Palmer, Ohio Society of Radiologic Technologists
Susan Suchan, Mount Carmel
Mike Strongosky, Cleveland Clinic

The Radiation-Generating Equipment Committee (REC) meeting was called to order by chairperson, Lawrence Osher at 10:06a.m. The meeting was held at the Ohio Department of Health (ODH) in Basement Training Room A, 35 Chestnut Street, Columbus, Ohio 43215. The sign-in sheet serves as the official record of attendance.

Agenda:

The agenda was revised to include rule status update.

Past Minutes:

The committee reviewed the July 12, 2013 minutes. Bryon Murray made a motion to accept the minutes as written. Larry Osher seconded the motion; the members present unanimously approved the minutes.

Current Business:

The Adobe software for remote access to the REC meetings should be ready for meetings after the November 8, 2013 REC meeting.

The REC and ODH reviewed and addressed the public comments to Fluoroscopy rule 3701:1-66-07 and CT rule 3701:1-66-10 of the Ohio Administrative Code (O.A.C.). Based on the substantive changes and the REC suggestion to move the shielding requirements from rules 3701:1-66-07 and 3701:1-66-10 to one place in the General Administration Requirements rule 3701:1-66-02, the fluoroscopy and CT rules will need to go out for public comment again. It was agreed that these rules will be packaged together with the suggested revisions to General Administration Requirements rule 3701:1-66-02 and General Diagnostic Radiographic Equipment rule 3701:1-66-05 for public comment. Definitions rule 3701:1-66-01 will also go back out for public comment again.

New Business:

The REC and ODH began revising General Administration Requirements rule 3701:1-66-02 and General Diagnostic Radiographic Equipment rule 3701:1-66-05 for public comment. It was determined that another meeting was necessary to thoroughly address these rules.

Open Forum:

No topics provided.

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Future Meeting Date(s):

Friday, November 15, 2013. Finish drafting revisions to Definitions rule 3701:1-66-01, General Administration Requirements rule 3701:1-66-02 and General Diagnostic Radiographic Equipment rule 3701:1-66-05.

Adjourn:

The meeting adjourned at 4:20pm.