FINAL STATEMENT OF REASONS

UPDATE TO THE INITIAL STATEMENT OF REASONS

All information provided in the initial statement of reasons is accurate and current.

SUMMARY AND RESPONSE TO COMMENTS RECEIVED DURING THE NOTICE PERIOD OF FEBRUARY 21, 2020 THROUGH 5:00 PM, APRIL 7, 2020

No comments were received during the 45-day comment period.

LOCAL MANDATE DETERMINATION

The proposed regulations do not impose any mandate on local agencies of school districts.

ALTERNATIVE DETERMINATIONS

In response to discussions with stakeholders, the rulemaking action clarified requirements for an ammunition vendor to maintain a valid ammunition vendor license with the Department as there was confusion among the ammunition vendors as to when to submit renewal documentation. The rulemaking action also clarified that ammunition vendors must maintain an active Certificate of Eligibility to maintain an ammunition vendor license. Since the rulemaking package sought only to clarify requirements, and was in direct response to discussions with stakeholders, the Department has determined that no alternative it considered, or that is otherwise identified, or was brought to its attention, would be more effective in carrying out the purpose for which the action is proposed, would be as effective and less burdensome to affected private persons than the proposed action, or would be more cost-effective to affected private persons and equally effective in implementing the statutory policy or other provision of law.

ALTERNATIVES THAT WOULD LESSEN ADVERSE ECONOMIC IMPACT ON SMALL BUSINESS

No alternatives were proposed to the Department that would lessen any adverse economic impact on small business. The Department finds that these regulations would not have statewide adverse economic impact on businesses because these regulations clarify an existing statutory requirement on ammunition vendor licensees.

NONDUPLICATION

Some of the regulations may repeat or rephrase in whole or in part, a state or federal statute or regulation. This was necessary to satisfy the clarity standard set forth in Government Code section 11349.1(a)(3).