

PEACE CORPS

22 CFR Ch. III

Unified Agenda of Federal Regulatory and Deregulatory Actions

AGENCY: Peace Corps.

ACTION: 2026 Unified Agenda.

SUMMARY: The purpose of publishing this Agenda is to give notice of any regulatory activity by the Peace Corps in order to allow the public an opportunity to participate in the rulemaking process.

DATES: This agenda announces the regulations the Peace Corps will have under development during the 12-month period beginning in April of 2026 through March of 2027.

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FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: The public is encouraged to contact the agency official listed for the particular agenda item. For other information concerning the Peace Corps' regulations or this agenda, contact Peace Corps' Regulatory Liaison, Boone Bishop at bbishop@peacecorps.gov.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: In accordance with Executive Order 12866, 14215, and 14192 and the Regulatory Flexibility Act, 5 U.S.C. 601 to 612, executive agencies are required to publish in the **Federal Register** a Unified Agenda of Federal Regulatory and Deregulatory Actions. None of the rules or amendments being proposed by the Peace Corps have been designated a "significant regulatory action" under section 3(f) of Executive Order 12866. In addition, the Peace Corps has determined, under the Regulatory Flexibility Act, that the regulations under consideration will not have a significant economic impact on a substantial number of small entities. Accordingly, no Regulatory Flexibility Analysis is required. The Peace Corps is proposing to amend 22 CFR 305 *Eligibility and Standards for Peace Corps Volunteer Service* to be in compliance with Executive Orders 14151, 14168, and 14219 and 22 CFR 306 *Volunteer Discrimination Complaint Procedure* to be in compliance with Executive Orders 14151 and 14219. The Peace Corps is also reviewing 22 CFR 308 *Implementation of The Privacy Act of 1974* to determine appropriate revisions. The Peace Corps is also proposing a new regulation titled *The Administrative False Claims Act* to meet statutory requirements by the Administrative False Claims Act, 31 U.S.C. 3803(g), Public Law 118-159 Section 5203(j). Executive Order 14219 directs agencies to evaluate potential new regulations under factors related to legality and the national interest. The Peace

Corps has determined the proposed rule is lawful and in the national interest as the proposed rule is narrowly tailored to comply with the Administrative False Claims Act and will provide a tool for the Peace Corps to recover misappropriated taxpayer funds and deter misconduct.

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