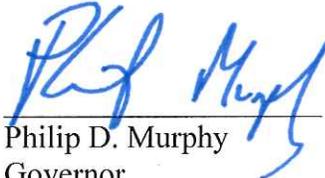


CERTIFICATION OF IMMINENT PERIL

Melanie R. Walter, Director of the Division of Local Government Services in the Department of Community Affairs, has proposed the adoption of new rules at N.J.A.C. 5:39-1.1 through 1.7, by emergency proceedings pursuant to N.J.S.A. 52:14B-4(c) and N.J.A.C. 1:30-6.5. The text of this emergency adoption and the attached Statement of Imminent Peril, which includes a statement of reasons describing the imminent peril to the public health, safety or welfare, have been submitted for my review and concurrence.

I hereby concur with findings of the Director of the Division of Local Government Services in the Department of Community Affairs' finding that an imminent peril exists warranting the above-described emergency adoption of new rules N.J.A.C. 5:39-1.1 through 1.7.

Date: September 22, 2020


Philip D. Murphy
Governor