

RÉSUMÉ DIGEST

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New law establishes a process that must be followed by the Department of Health and Hospitals if an immediate jeopardy violation is identified by a surveyor at a licensed nursing home. Provides for an opportunity for the administrator to speak with a department supervisor prior to the surveyor exiting the facility, the issuance of a warning notice that immediate action is required due to possibility of significant CMS fines, and that any immediate jeopardy violations identified after the surveyor has left the facility must be brought to the administrator's attention on an expedited basis.

Effective August 1, 2016.

(Adds R.S. 40:2009.10.1)