

**DEPARTMENT OF LICENSING AND REGULATORY AFFAIRS
CORPORATIONS, SECURITIES, AND COMMERCIAL LICENSING BUREAU**

**UNARMED COMBAT RULES
Rule Set 2018-105 LR**

**NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING
Friday, March 15, 2019
Michigan Library and Historical Center
702 West Kalamazoo Street, Lansing, MI 48915
Forum Conference Room, 1st Floor, 9:00 A.M.**

The Department of Licensing and Regulatory Affairs will hold a public hearing on Friday, March 15, 2019, at the Michigan Library and Historical Center, 702 West Kalamazoo Street, Lansing, MI in the first floor Forum Conference Room at 9:00 a.m. The hearing will be held to receive public comments on proposed changes to the Unarmed Combat rules.

The proposed rule set (2018-105 LR) will amend the current rules to conform to the requirements of 2017 PA 146, which amended the Michigan Unarmed Combat Regulatory Act, 2004 PA 403, MCL 338.3601 to 338.3661a. The proposed rules also include provisions aimed at ensuring the safety of all participants in unarmed combat contests, increasing the level of competitiveness of those contests, and assisting both event participants and the Department in ensuring that applicable state and federal laws are efficiently and uniformly enforced.

These rules are promulgated under authority conferred on the Director of the Department of Licensing and Regulatory Affairs by the Michigan Unarmed Combat Regulatory Act and Executive Reorganization Order Nos. 2008-4 and 2011-4, MCL 445.2025 and 445.2030. These rules will take effect immediately upon filing with the Secretary of State.

The rules (2018-105 LR) are published on the Office of Regulatory Reinvention's website at www.michigan.gov/orr and in the March 1 issue of the *Michigan Register*. Comments may be submitted to the following address by 5:00 P.M. on Monday, March 18, 2019. Copies of the draft rules may also be obtained by mail or electronic transmission at the following address:

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The hearing site is accessible, including handicap parking. People with disabilities requiring additional accommodations in order to participate in the hearing (such as information in alternative formats) should contact the Bureau at 517-373-9871 at least 12 business days before the hearing date. Individuals attending the meeting are requested to refrain from using heavily scented personal care products in order to enhance accessibility for everyone. Information at this meeting will be presented by speakers and printed handouts.