



STATE OF RHODE ISLAND  
COMMISSION FOR HUMAN RIGHTS



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**INTERIM POLICY REGARDING NOTARIZATION OF CHARGES**

In response to the COVID-19 pandemic, and in consideration of the Governor's Executive Order 20-14 ordering all Rhode Island residents to remain at home in all but limited circumstances, the Rhode Island Commission for Human Rights will accept for filing an unnotarized charge of discrimination which is signed and dated by the complainant. Pursuant to Commission Rules and Regulations 515-RICR-10-00-2.4(l), the lack of notarization defect may be cured at a later date.

Unnotarized charges will be forwarded to named respondents in accordance with Commission Rules and Regulations 515-RICR-10-00-2.4(K).

This Interim Policy shall remain in effect until further notice.

Questions about this Interim Policy may be directed to the Executive Director at [michael.evora@richr.ri.gov](mailto:michael.evora@richr.ri.gov) or 401-222-7561.

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