

STATE of NEW HAMPSHIRE  
INSURANCE DEPARTMENT

PUBLIC HEARING  
NOTICE

**In Re: Competitive/Noncompetitive Market Determination  
Regarding Medical Professional Liability Insurance  
for Physicians, Surgeons and Hospitals**

**Docket No.: Ins 21-056-AP**

WHEREAS, pursuant to RSA 412:13 a competitive market is presumed to exist unless the Commissioner, after hearing, determines that a reasonable degree of competition does not exist in the market and the Commissioner issues a ruling to that effect; and

WHEREAS, RSA 412:14 requires the Commissioner to monitor the degree of competition in this State, and in so doing, to utilize existing relevant information, analytical systems and other sources; and

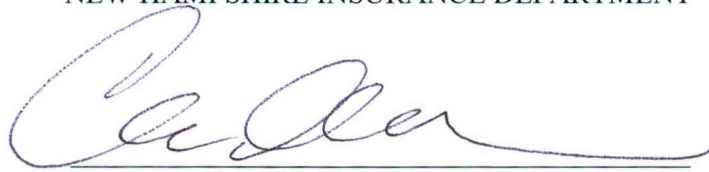
WHEREAS, after notice and hearing the Commissioner by Order dated **November 5, 2019 Docket No. Ins 19-023-AP**, determined that a competitive market for medical professional liability insurance covering physicians, surgeons and hospitals did not exist in New Hampshire; and

WHEREAS, pursuant to RSA 412:13, that Order shall expire on **November 5, 2021**; now, therefore, be it

ORDERED, that:

1. Pursuant to the provisions of RSA 400-A:17 and RSA 412:13 a public hearing will be conducted at the offices of the New Hampshire Insurance Department, 21 South Fruit Street, Suite 14, Concord, New Hampshire on **October 22, 2021 at 10:00 a.m.**
2. The purpose of the public hearing is to determine whether the **November 5, 2019** Order issued by the Commissioner, should be extended for another two years.
3. The Department, through its hearing officer, welcomes all relevant testimony relating to the evidence to be considered, as set forth in RSA 412:14, II., including testimony from all interested parties.
4. The public hearing shall be conducted pursuant to the applicable provisions of RSA 400-A, specifically RSA 400-A:19, and Ins 200.
5. The public hearing will be recorded, however, if participants desire a transcript of the public hearing, they must provide for the services of a shorthand reporter.

NEW HAMPSHIRE INSURANCE DEPARTMENT



Chris Nicolopoulos, Commissioner

Dated: 09/02/2019