State of California  
Office of Administrative Law  

In re:  
Department of Justice  

Regulatory Action:  

Title 11, California Code of Regulations  

Adopt sections:  31.28  
Amend sections:  
Repeal sections:  

NOTICE OF FILING AND PRINTING ONLY

Government Code Section 11343.8  

OAL Matter Number: 2021-0315-01  

OAL Matter Type: File and Print Only (FP)

This action by Department of Justice amends section 31.28, Electronic Surety Bond - California Financing Law Bond, in the title 11 listing of approved surety bonds for the Department of Financial Protection and Innovation.

OAL filed this regulation(s) or order(s) of repeal with the Secretary of State, and will publish the regulation(s) or order(s) of repeal in the California Code of Regulations.

Date:  April 27, 2021  

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A. PUBLICATION OF NOTICE (Complete for publication in Notice Register)

1. SUBJECT OF NOTICE

2. REQUESTED PUBLICATION DATE

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4. AGENCY CONTACT PERSON

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B. SUBMISSION OF REGULATIONS (Complete when submitting regulations)

1a. SUBJECT OF REGULATION(S)

1b. ALL PREVIOUS RELATED OAL REGULATORY ACTION NUMBER(S)

2. SPECIFY CALIFORNIA CODE OF REGULATIONS TITLE($) AND SECTION($) (Including title 26, if toxics related)

3. TYPE OF FILING

4. ALL BEGINNING AND ENDING DATES OF AVAILABILITY OF MODIFIED REGULATIONS AND/OR MATERIAL ADDED TO THE RULEMAKING FILE (Cal. Code Regs. title 1, §44 and Gov. Code §11347.1)

5. EFFECTIVE DATE OF CHANGES (Gov. Code, §§ 11343.4, 11343.4(d); Cal. Code Regs., title 1, §100)

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KNOW ALL PERSONS BY THESE PRESENTS:

That we, [Name of Principal], including any and all trade names, NMLS # [NMLS Number], whose address for service is [Principal's Address], as Principal, and [Name of Surety], NAIC # [NAIC Number], whose address for service is [Surety's Address], duly licensed to do surety business in the State of California as Surety (Principal and Surety together are hereinafter collectively referred to as “Obligors”), are held and firmly bound unto the Commissioner of Financial Protection and Innovation of the State of California ("Commissioner") for use by the Commissioner, for its own benefit, and for the benefit of any person or persons who may have a cause of action against us as the Obligors of this instrument under the provisions of the California Financing Law, California Financial Code section 22000 et seq., the provisions of Chapter 2 (commencing with section 995.010) of Title 14, Part 2, California Code of Civil Procedure, and Financial Code section 22112, hereafter described in the penal sum of [Bond Amount], lawful money of the United States of America, to be paid to the Commissioner for which payment well and truly to be made, we bind ourselves, our heirs, executors, administrators, successors and assigns, jointly and severally, firmly by these presents:

Whereas, the above bound Principal has applied to the Commissioner for a license to engage in the business of finance lending, brokering, or administering a PACE program, as provided by law under the California Financing Law.

THE CONDITION OF THIS OBLIGATION IS SUCH, that if the Principal and any employee or agent representing the Principal, working at any location, faithfully conform to and abide by each and every provision of the California Financing Law, California Financial Code section 22000 et seq., and all amendments thereto, and of all rules and regulations and orders lawfully made by the Commissioner, and pay to the Commissioner, and to any such person or persons having a right of action against the Obligors any and all monies that may become due or owing to the Commissioner, and to such person or persons from said Obligors under and by virtue of the provisions of the California Financing Law, then this obligation to be void; otherwise to remain in full force and effect until the Surety is released from liability by the Commissioner, subject, however, to the following conditions:

1. The Surety may reduce coverage by amending the effective date or the bond amount, or may cancel this bond thirty days from date of receipt of notice delivered electronically through NMLS to the Principal and the Commissioner, but no such amendment or cancellation shall affect any liability which arises from acts or omissions which occur prior to the termination of such thirty-day period.
2. In no event shall the aggregate liability of the Surety for any and all claims exceed the penal sum of this Bond stated herein.

3. The Commissioner has the exclusive right to proceed on this bond against the Principal or Surety hereon or both to recover any and all moneys that may become due or owing.

In Witness Whereof, The said Principal has hereto set his hand and seal and the said Surety has caused this obligation to be duly executed by its duly authorized agent to be hereunto affixed on this ______________ day of __________________, ____________.

By: __________________________
Principal

I certify under penalty of perjury under the laws of the State of California that I have executed the foregoing bond under an unrevoked power of attorney.

By: __________________________
Surety