## State of California Office of Administrative Law

In re:

Department of Financial Protection and Innovation

Regulatory Action:

Title 10, California Code of Regulations

Adopt sections:

1000, 1001, 1002, 1003, 1004, 1010, 1011, 1012, 1020, 1021, 1022, 1023, 1024, 1025, 1026, 1030, 1031, 1032, 1033, 1034, 1040, 1041, 1042, 1043, 1044, 1045, 1048, 1050, 1051, 1052, 1053, 1430.1, 1461, 1462.5, 1465, 1466, 1467, 2030.5, 2044.1

Amend sections: Repeal sections:

NOTICE OF DISAPPROVAL OF REGULATORY ACTION

**Government Code Section 11349.3** 

OAL Matter Number: 2024-0314-01

OAL Matter Type: Regular (S)

In this rulemaking action, the Department proposes to adopt regulations to establish registration fees, registration requirements, and exemptions to the requirements. The proposed regulations relate to persons engaged in the business of offering to provide or providing consumer financial products or services, such as debt settlement, student debt relief, education financing, and income-based advances. The proposed adoptions further set forth annual reporting requirements and procedures for the revocation of a registration.

OAL disapproves this regulatory action because the proposed regulations failed to comply with the clarity standard of the Administrative Procedure Act (APA). Also, the Department failed to follow the required APA procedures.

Within seven (7) calendar days of the date of this notice, the Office of Administrative Law will send the adopting agency a written decision detailing the reasons for disapproval of this regulatory filing.

Date: April 26, 2024

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