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The final stage of the comprehensive revision of the Standards for Licensed Assisted Living Facilities will be published in the Virginia Register of Regulations, Volume 34, Issue 6 on November 13, 2017. A 30-day final adoption period will begin on that date, which includes a public comment forum.

The final stage of the regulation was originally intended to be published in the Register on September 18, 2017. The delay is due to the need to obtain approval from the Office of the Attorney General related to two previous regulatory actions, regarding liability insurance disclosure and hospice care. These actions were based on the current regulation and now need to be incorporated into the new regulation.