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**Hamilton Board of Health Rules and Regulations Concerning
Minimum Sanitation Standards for Food Establishments**

I. Authority

These regulations are promulgated under the authority granted to the Board of Health under Massachusetts General Law chapter 111, section 31.

II. Purpose

The Hamilton Health Department seeks to enhance the protection of the public's health by improving food safety and in doing so reducing foodborne illness by implementation of a risk and intervention-based food safety program.

III. Minimum Standards and Administration

A. 105 CMR 590.000 Minimum Sanitation Standards for Food Establishments (State Sanitary Code, Chapter X) is hereby adopted in its entirety.

B. Food Code 2013 Recommendations of the United States Public Health Service Food and Drug Administration (2013 Food Code) and the Supplement to the 2013 Food Code is hereby adopted in its entirety in its current form including the 2013 Annexes. In instances where the state and federal regulations conflict, the most stringent prevails.

IV. Severability

If any paragraph or provision of this regulation is found to be illegal or against public policy or unconstitutional, it shall not affect the legality of any remaining paragraphs or provisions being in force.

V. Effective Date

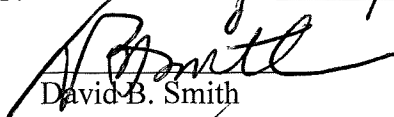
These regulations shall be effective as of April 26, 2018

Public Hearing: April 25, 2018

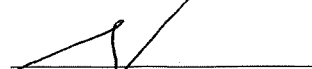
Legal Notice of Summary: May 10, 2018

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