

# Federal Conformity Regulation Updates

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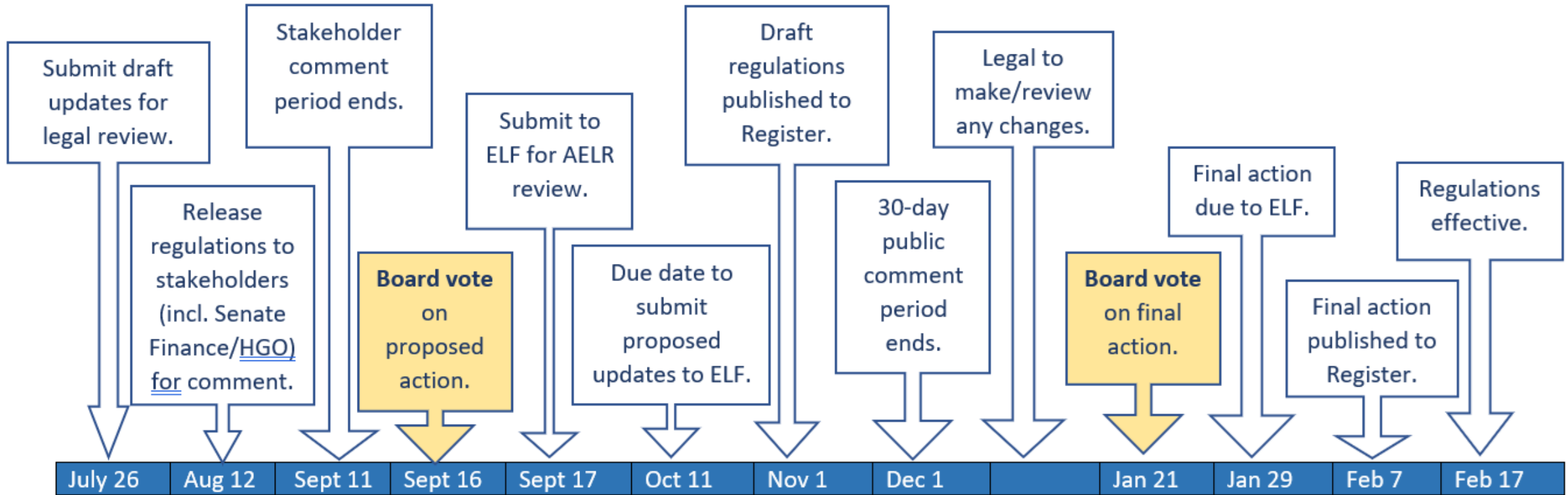
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- Clarify effective date for change to failure to file and reconcile (FTR) policy
- Eliminate 15th of the month rule for all special enrollment periods (SEPs)
- Remove requirement that expected contribution must be 0% for those with incomes below 150% FPL to be eligible for an SEP
- Allow retroactive termination of private plans when enrollees enroll in Medicare Part A or B with a retroactive effective date
- Technical update to 11.35.07.11: remove redundant subsections related to the due date for the first month's premium payment

# Timeline



# Request for Approval of Final Regulatory Updates and Authorization to Submit for Publication

MOTION: I move to [approve/defer/reject] the final regulations as presented, and authorize MHBE to submit them to the Division of State Documents for publication in the Maryland Register [as presented/as amended].