



**Rohit Aggarwala**  
Commissioner

## **REGULATORY INTERPRETATION MEMORANDUM 01-23**

### **ASBESTOS CONTROL PROGRAM**

This document is intended to clarify DEP's position, regarding compliance with Title 15 Chapter 1 Section 1-16(a)(2). It is the Department's position, that the Certified Asbestos Investigator (CAI) must be physically present at the site to conduct the asbestos survey and that any individuals who assist the CAI during the conduct of an asbestos survey must be physically present at the site and under the direct and continuing supervision of the CAI. Electronic media, such as the use of a cell phone, iPad; tablet; laptop; or applications such as ZOOM; Teams Facetime; WhatsApp does not satisfy the requirement of being physically present at the site.

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