

**CITY OF PHILADELPHIA
DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC HEALTH
BOARD OF HEALTH**

Regulation Regarding Public Swimming Places

SECTION 1. Adoption of the Public Bathing Law.

(A) Any violation of the Public Bathing Law, Act of June 23, 1931, P.L. 899, No. 299, as amended (35 P.S. § 672 *et seq.*), or of any regulation under Chapter 18 of Title 28 of the Pennsylvania Code (regulations issued by the Department of Health of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania pursuant the Public Bathing Law), with respect to any “swimming place” as defined by § 6-102(50) and subject to § 6-402(5) of The Philadelphia Code (pertaining to swimming places), shall be a violation of this Regulation.

(B) Any person who violates subsection (A) shall be subject to a fine of not less than one hundred fifty (150) dollars and not more than three hundred (300) dollars. Where the Department of Public Health finds that any continuing violation of subsection (A) constitutes a public nuisance pursuant to Phila. Code § 6-402(9), it may order abatement of such nuisance, and seek any remedy provided under Phila. Code § 6-103(5). This Regulation shall not limit the authority of the Department of Public Health to order a swimming place closed pursuant to Phila. Code § 6-402(5)(c).

SECTION 2. The regulation titled “Regulations Governing Bacteriological Quality and Disinfection of Water in Swimming Places,” submitted to the Department of Records on May 31, 1956, is hereby rescinded.