

**LOI Appeal Rights:**

Title 17 Section 54380 (a) A vendor or an applicant for vendorization may appeal any of the following actions to the director of the vendoring regional center: (1) Denial of a vendorization application; (2) Failure of the vendoring regional center to comply with the provisions of these regulations; or (3) Findings of noncompliance as specified in section 54370 of these regulations.

(b) The vendor shall file an appeal with the director of the vendoring regional center within 30 days after the receipt of written notification of the action of the regional center, or within 30 days after the failure of the vendoring regional center to comply with these regulations. (c) Notwithstanding the provisions of (b) above, if a vendor wishes to have the termination of vendorization pursuant to section 54370 (b) of these regulations stayed pending appeal, such appeal must be made prior to the end of the first working day after receipt of written notification of the proposed termination from the vendoring regional center. (d) If an appeal is not filed within the time specified, it shall be denied unless good cause pursuant to section 54388 of these regulations is established for the late submission. Good cause shall be determined by the director of the vendoring regional center or his or her designee in accordance with section 54388 of these regulations. If good cause for late submission is established, the director or his or her designee shall proceed to decide the appeal in accordance with section 54382 of these regulations.