



COMMONWEALTH OF PENNSYLVANIA
OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR

03/30/2020

Joseph Felker
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Transmitted via email

RE: Application of Allentown Optical Corp. to Continue Business Operations at its Physical Locations

Dear Joseph Felker:


By Executive Order dated March 19, 2020, and pursuant to powers granted to us by law, we ordered that no person or entity shall operate a place of business that is not a life-sustaining business, regardless of whether the business is open to members of the public. These orders (the "COVID-19 Orders") are necessary to stop the spread of the novel coronavirus COVID-19.

In response to your request for an exemption from the applicability of the COVID-19 Orders, pursuant to the powers granted to us to protect the legitimate business, industry, and commerce of the Commonwealth, and to prevent and control the spread of disease, it has been determined that the business identified above, to the extent described in your application, plays a critical role in the manufacture and supply of goods and services necessary to sustain life, and may continue to operate at the physical location identified in your application.

This exemption approval is subject to continuance of and compliance with the social distancing and other mitigation measures to protect employees and the public, including virtual and telework operations (e.g. work from home) as the primary option when available, which were submitted with your request and which have been established by the Department of Health and the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention to-date and going forward. In-person work at a business site is only to be performed on the most limited basis possible to deliver the services or goods of your life-sustaining business.

Sincerely,


TOM WOLF
Governor


RACHEL L. LEVINE, M.D.
Secretary of Health

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