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We are sharing this information since many of our member companies do work in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania

PENNSYLVANIA: Action Needed to Prevent Construction from Shutting Down

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COVID-19 UPDATE

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Last evening, Governor Tom Wolf issued an unprecedented executive order closing all non-life sustaining businesses, including the construction industry, until further notice. The full list of businesses that may or may not continue operations can be found [here](#).

The order states that enforcement actions will be taken against businesses who are out of compliance as of 12:01 a.m. Saturday, March 21. Penalties for non-compliance can include citations, fines, and license suspensions.

ABC is sharing resources, exploring options, and encouraging members to take action. If your business has questions about the order or wishes to seek a waiver from the order, please see the information below:

- **Waiver:** The Department of Community and Economic Development (DCED) has established a waiver process. ABC PA has been in direct communication with the DCED throughout this evolving situation. The waiver form is located on the DCED's main website, that link can be located [here](#).
- **General Questions:** If you have questions about whether your business needs to close, you can email: ra-dcedcs@pa.gov

In general, we are alarmed the Governor's executive order is open-ended, overly broad, and will have severe consequences on the construction industry. We need you to contact the Governor today!

Link to Website: <https://abckeystone.org/government-affairs-politics/voter-voice/>

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