<u>Instructions for Completion of the Pool Drain Safety Compliance Data Form</u>

Please review the instructions below to ensure the Pool Drain Safety Compliance Data form is properly completed and all required information required. All components must be approved and field verified by the Health Department prior to the issuance of an operation permit in accordance with Rule .2539(c).

A FORM FOR EACH PUMPING SYSTEM MUST BE PROVIDED.

- 1. **PUMP FLOW** Enter the maximum flow from the manufacturer's pump performance curve. For variable speed pumps, enter the maximum flow at the highest speed. If a flow reduction is requested, attach required documentation. A functioning flow meter will be required to permit a pool with a flow reduction.
- 2. **DRAIN SUMP MEASUREMENTS** Measurements are needed to determine the size of the cover/grate and to assure the sump is deep and wide enough to meet the requirements in the cover/grate manufacturer's specifications.
- 3. **DRAIN COVER/GRATE DATA** Enter the manufacturer, model, lifespan expiration date and maximum flow for the main drain cover(s). For VGBA 2017 covers, attach a copy of the flow rate chart.
- 4. **EQUALIZER COVERS** Enter the number of operable equalizer line covers, the manufacturer, model, lifespan expiration date and maximum flow for the equalizer covers. Provide bulkhead adaptor information. If all equalizer lines are disabled or pool has no equalizer lines, please provide details on the form.
- 5. **SAFETY VACUUM RELEASE SYSTEM** (**SVRS**) SVRS is required if dual drains are closer than 3 feet on center or pump has a single drain with a blockable cover or blockable sump. Enter the manufacturer of the safety vacuum release system (SVRS). SVRS must be tested according to manufacturer's instructions, provide date of last test. If using other secondary method of preventing bather entrapment per Rule .2539(b), please attach documentation.
- 6. **VACUUM LINE** If vacuum line ports are present in the pool, please indicate the type of cover(s) on the form.

<u>FORM COMPLETION – A separate Pool Drain Safety Compliance Data form must be completed and submitted for each individual pool at a facility including spas, wading pools, and other pools.</u>

The Health Department understands that the required information and/or measurements may be beyond the scope of owners or operators. In those cases, it is recommended that you contact a Registered Design Professional (Professional Engineer or Licensed Architect) or a knowledgeable pool professional to assist you in completing the form.