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MEMORANDUM

TO: Jun Maiquis, AAC Contact

Department of Commerce, Community and Economic Development

FROM: Scott Meriwether, Special Assistant

907.465.4081

DATE: September 18, 2015

RE: Filed Permanent Regulations: Department of Commerce, Community, & Economic

Development

Regulations re: 12 AAC 02.340: Occupational Licensing Fees: Board of Public

Accountancy (12 AAC 02.340)

Attorney General File: JU2015200575

Regulation Filed: September 18, 2015

Effective Date: October 18, 2015

Print: 216, January 2016

cc with enclosures: Linda Miller, Department of Law

Genevieve Wojtusik, Administrative Regulation Review Committee

Judy Herndon, LexisNexis

ORDER ADOPTING CHANGES TO REGULATIONS OF THE DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE, COMMUNITY, AND ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT

The attached two pages of regulations, dealing with occupational licensing fees related to the Board of Public Accountancy, are adopted and certified to be a correct copy of the regulation changes that the Department of Commerce, Community, and Economic Development adopts under the authority of AS 08.01.065 and AS 08.04.495 and after compliance with the Administrative Procedure Act (AS 44.62), specifically including notice under AS 44.62.190 and 44.62.200 and opportunity for public comment under AS 44.62.210.

This action is not expected to require an increased appropriation.

In considering public comments, the Department of Commerce, Community, and Economic Development paid special attention to the cost to private persons of the regulatory action being taken.

The regulation changes adopted under this order take effect on the 30th day after they have been filed by the lieutenant governor, as provided in AS 44.62.180.

Janey Hovenden, Director

Division of Corporations, Business and

Professional Licensing

FILING CERTIFICATION

I, Byron Mallott, Lieutenant Governor for the State of Alaska, certify that 2015 at What A.m., I filed the attached regulations according to the provisions of AS 44.62.040 - 44.62.120.

Lieutenant Governor

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ALASKA DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE, COMMUNITY, AND ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT

Delegation of Authority

In accordance with AS 44.17.010, the authority and responsibility for adopting regulations, outside of the Division of Corporations, Business and Professional Licensing (CBPL), but for the Department of Commerce, Community, and Economic Development (DCCED), under the Alaska Administrative Procedure Act, is hereby delegated to:

Micaela Fowler
Legislative Liaison
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DCCED
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In accordance with AS 44.17.010, the authority and responsibility for adopting regulations of the Division of Corporations, Business and Professional Licensing, under the Alaska Administrative Procedure Act, is hereby delegated to:

Janey Hovenden
Director
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This Delegation of Authority will remain in effect until modified or revoked by a subsequent delegation. This Delegation supersedes and revokes all delegations preceding it.

Dated the 16th day of March, 2015

Chris Hladick

Commissioner

Department of Commerce, Community,

and Economic Development

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Chapter 02. General Occupational Licensing Functions.

12 AAC 02.340 is amended to read:

- 12 AAC 02.340. Board of Public Accountancy. The following fees are established for accountants, partnerships, corporations, limited liability companies, and other legal entities:
 - (1) nonrefundable application fee for
 - (A) initial license, permit, or practice privilege, \$300 [\$100];
 - (B) repealed 10 / 18 / 2015 [INITIAL EXAMINATION, \$165];
 - (2) repealed 11/18/2006;
- (3) certified public accountant license fee for all or part of the initial biennial license period, \$390 [\$290];
 - (4) certified public accountant biennial active license renewal fee, \$390 [\$290];
 - (5) certified public accountant biennial inactive license renewal fee, \$245 [\$185];
- (6) uncertified public accountant biennial license renewal fee, under AS 08.04.661, \$200 [\$185];
- (7) <u>uncertified public accountant biennial inactive license renewal fee, under AS 08.04.661, \$200;</u>
- (8) partnership, corporation, limited liability company, or other legal entity registration and permit fee for all or part of the initial biennial registration period, \$530 [\$310];
- (9) [(8)] biennial partnership, corporation, limited liability company, or other legal entity permit renewal fee, \$530 [\$310];
- (10) [(9)] out-of-state practice privilege permit fee for all or part of the initial biennial registration period, \$900 [\$600];

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(11) biennial out-of-state practice privilege permit renewal fee, \$900

- [(10) REEXAMINATION FEE:
 - (A) ONE SECTION, \$70;
 - (B) TWO SECTIONS, \$85;
 - (C) THREE SECTIONS, \$105;
 - (D) FOUR SECTIONS, \$120];
- (12) [(11)] license reactivation fee, \$150;
- (13) [(12)] delayed renewal penalty fee, [.] \$100. (Eff. 11/20/86, Register 100; am 10/1/88, Register 107; am 5/28/93, Register 126; am 11/3/95, Register 136; am 11/14/99, Register 152; am 6/21/2001, Register 158; am 12/16/2001, Register 160; am 3/25/2004, Register 169; am 11/18/2006, Register 180; am 1/1/2008, Register 184; am 11/30/2013, Register 208; am 12/29/2013, Register 208; am 10/18/2015, Register 206;

Authority: AS 08.01.065 AS 08.04.495