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**M E M O R A N D U M**

**TO:** Amy Demboski  
Department of Commerce Community and Economic Development

**FROM:** April Simpson, Office of the Lieutenant Governor   
465.4081

**DATE:** April 16, 2020

**RE:** Filed Emergency Regulations: Board of Nursing  
  
Board of Nursing Emergency Regulation re: licensure fee waivers for nurses and  
advanced practice registered nurses (12 AAC 02.280)

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Attorney General File:	Emergency Regulations
Regulation Filed:	4/16/2020
Effective Date:	4/16/2020
Expiration Date:	August 13, 2020 unless made permanent by the adopting agency
Print:	234, July 2020

cc with enclosures: Harry Hale, Department of Law  
Judy Herndon, LexisNexis  
Jun Maiquis, Regulations Specialist

## FINDING OF EMERGENCY

The Department of Commerce, Community, and Economic Development finds that an emergency exists under AS 44.62.250 and that an emergency regulation change is necessary to 12 AAC 02.280, dealing with temporary permit and courtesy license fees, for the immediate preservation of the public peace, health, safety, or general welfare. The facts constituting the emergency include the following:

Licensure fee waivers are being implemented for these license types to decrease barriers for nurses who may have a significant impact on providing patients with needed care in the coming weeks and months as the COVID-19 pandemic continues to evolve.

## ADOPTION ORDER

Under the authority of AS 08.01.010, AS 08.01.065, AS 08.01.100, and AS 08.68.220, the attached one page of regulation changes is therefore adopted as an emergency regulation to take effect immediately upon filing by the lieutenant governor, as provided in AS 44.62.180(3).

This action is not expected to require an increased appropriation.

DATE: 15 April 2020  
Juneau, Alaska

  
Sara Chambers, Director  
Division of Corporations, Business and  
Professional Licensing

April Simpson for FILING CERTIFICATION

I, Kevin Meyer, Lieutenant Governor for the State of Alaska, certify that on April 16<sup>th</sup>, 2020 at 12:33 p.m., I filed the attached regulation according to the provisions of AS 44.62.

for April Simpson  
Kevin Meyer, Lieutenant Governor

Effective: April 16, 2020

Register: 234, July 2020

Expires August 13, 2020  
unless made "permanent"  
by the adopting agency

**FOR DELEGATION OF THE LIEUTENANT GOVERNOR'S AUTHORITY**

**I, KEVIN MEYER, LIEUTENANT GOVERNOR OF THE STATE OF ALASKA,  
designate the following state employees to perform the Administrative Procedures Act  
filing functions of the Office of the Lieutenant Governor:**

**Josh Applebee, Chief of Staff  
Kady Levale, Notary Administrator  
April Simpson, Regulations and Initiatives Specialist**

**IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have  
signed and affixed the Seal of the State of  
Alaska, in Juneau, on December 11th,  
2018.**



A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read "K. Meyer", is written over a horizontal dotted line.

**KEVIN MEYER  
LIEUTENANT GOVERNOR**



THE STATE  
of ALASKA  
GOVERNOR MICHAEL J. DUNLEAVY

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In accordance with AS 44.17.010, the authority and responsibility for adopting regulations, outside of the Alcohol and Marijuana Control Office (AMCO), but for the Division of Corporations, Business and Professional Licensing (CBPL), under the Alaska Administrative Procedure Act, is hereby delegated to:

Sara Chambers  
Division Director  
Division of Corporations, Business and Professional Licensing  
DCCED  
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In accordance with AS 44.17.010, the authority and responsibility for adopting regulations of the Alcohol and Marijuana Control Office, under the Alaska Administrative Procedure Act, is hereby delegated to:

Amy Demboski  
Assistant Commissioner  
DCCED  
550 West Seventh Avenue, Suite 1535  
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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 30<sup>th</sup> day of October 2019

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read "Julie Anderson".

Julie Anderson  
Commissioner  
Department of Commerce, Community,  
and Economic Development

## EMERGENCY REGULATION

Register 234, July 2020 PROFESSIONAL REGULATIONS

### Chapter 02. General Occupational Licensing Functions.

(Words in **boldface and underlined** indicate language being added; words [CAPITALIZED AND BRACKETED] indicate language being deleted.)

12 AAC 02.280(4) and (11) are repealed:

**12 AAC 02.280. Board of Nursing: fees for nurses and advanced practice registered nurses.** The following fees are established for nurses and advanced practice registered nurses:

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(4) **repealed** 4 / 16 / 2020 [TEMPORARY PERMIT FEE, \$100];

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(11) **repealed** 4 / 16 / 2020 [COURTESY LICENSE FEE, \$50];

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(Eff. 3/6/86, Register 97; am 12/13/87, Register 104; am 6/23/90, Register 114; am 5/20/92, Register 122; am 5/28/93, Register 126; am 2/13/94, Register 129; am 7/28/95, Register 135; am 7/25/96, Register 139; am 8/26/98, Register 147; am 8/10/2000, Register 155; am 6/21/2001, Register 158; am 6/13/2002, Register 162; am 6/16/2002, Register 162; am 11/19/2008, Register 188; am 7/7/2010, Register 195; am 2/20/2014, Register 209; am 8/10/2016, Register 219; am 8/1/2018, Register 227; em am 4 / 16 / 2020 – 8 / 13 / 2020, Register 234)

**Authority:** AS 08.01.010      AS 08.01.100      AS 08.68.220  
AS 08.01.065