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MEMORANDUM

TO:

Sara Chambers, Boards and Regulations Advisor

Department of Commerce, Community and Economic Development

FROM:

April Simpson, Alaska Administrative Code Coordinator

Office of the Lieutenant Governor

DATE:

January 24, 2025

RE:

Filed Permanent Regulations: Board of Chiropractic Examiners

Board of Chiropractic Examiners regulations re: Continuing Education (12 AAC 16.340,

.925, .990)

Attorney General File:

2024200336

Regulation Filed:

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January 22, 2025

The Honorable Nancy Dahlstrom Lieutenant Governor State of Alaska P.O. Box 110015 Juneau, AK 99811-0015

Re: 12 AAC 16.340, .925, .990: Board of Chiropractic Examiners: Continuing

Ed

Our file: 2024200336

Dear Lieutenant Governor Dahlstrom:

The Department of Law has reviewed the attached regulations of the Board of Chiropractic Examiners against the statutory standards of the Administrative Procedure Act. Based upon our review, we find no legal problems. This letter constitutes the written statement of approval under AS 44.62.060(b) and (c) that authorizes your office to file the attached regulations. The regulations were adopted by the Board of Chiropractic Examiners after the close of the public comment period.

The regulations amend 12 AAC 16.340 to add the Alaska Chiropractic Society to the list of board-approved nonacademic continuing education programs.

Both the November 17, 2024 public notice and the December 30, 2024 order certifying the changes state that this action is not expected to require an increased appropriation. Therefore, a fiscal note under AS 44.62.060 is not required.

No technical corrections were necessary to conform the regulations in accordance with AS 44.62.060.

Sincerely,

TREG TAYLOR ATTORNEY GENERAL

Rebecca C. Digitally signed by Rebecca C. Polizzotto
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By:

Rebecca C. Polizzotto Chief Assistant Attorney General Legislation, Regulations, and Legislative Research Section

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ORDER CERTIFYING THE CHANGES TO REGULATIONS OF THE BOARD OF CHIROPRACTIC EXAMINERS

The attached one page of regulations, dealing with updating regulations on approved nonacademic continuing education programs, is certified to be a correct copy of the regulation changes that the Board of Chiropractic Examiners adopted at its December 30, 2024 meeting, under the authority of AS 08.20.055, AS 08.20.120, and AS 08.20.170, 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.

On the record, in considering public comments, the Board of Chiropractic Examiners paid special attention to the cost to private persons of the regulatory action being taken.

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

Brian Larson, D.C., Chair

Alaska Board of Chiropractic Examiners

ph Simpson for

FILING CERTIFICATION

I, Nancy Dahlstrom, Lieutenant Governor for the State of Alaska, certify that on Tanvary 24, 2025 at 9:45 a.m., I filed the attached regulations according to the provisions of AS 44.62.040 - 44.62.120.

Effective: <u>February 23, 2025</u>.

Register: <u>253, April 2025</u>.

FOR DELEGATION OF THE LIEUTENANT GOVERNOR'S AUTHORITY

I, NANCY DAHLSTROM, 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:

April Simpson, Regulations and Initiatives Specialist

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have signed and affixed the Seal of the State of Alaska, in Juneau, on May 15th, 2023.

OF THE STATE OF ALASKA

NANCY DAHLSTROM LIEUTENANT GOVERNOR (Words in <u>boldface and underlined</u> indicate language being added; words [CAPITALIZED AND BRACKETED] indicate language being deleted. Complete new sections are not in boldface or underlined.)

Chapter 16. Board of Chiropractic Examiners.

12 AAC 16.340(a)(1) is amended to read:

- (1) educational meetings of the following associations [,] if the documentation required <u>under [BY] 12 AAC 16.290</u> demonstrates that the meeting [IN QUESTION] meets the requirements <u>set out under [OF] 12 AAC 16.320</u> and 12 AAC 16.330:
 - (A) American Chiropractic Association;
 - (B) International Chiropractors Association;
 - (C) Canadian Chiropractic Association;

(D) Alaska Chiropractic Society;

(Eff. 6/29/84, Register 90; add'l am 6/29/84, Register 90; am 6/10/2000, Register 154; am 5/27/2006, Register 178; am 1/29/2009, Register 189; am 2 / 23/2025, Register 253)

Authority: AS 08.20.055 AS 08.20.120 AS 08.20.170