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MEMORANDUM

TO:

Jun Maiguis, AAC Contact

Department of Commerce, Community and Economic Development

FROM:

DATE:

Scott Meriwether

Special Assistant 907.465.4081

March 31, 2015

RE:

Filed Permanent Regulations: Department of Commerce, Community and Economic

Development

Regulations re: occupational licensing fees for professions regulated by the Board of

Examiners in Optometry (12 AAC 02.300)

Attorney General File:

JU2014200944

Regulation Filed:

March 31, 2015

Effective Date:

April 30, 2015

Print:

214, July 2015

cc with enclosures:

Linda Miller, Department of Law

Genevieve Wojtusik, Administrative Regulation Review Committee

Judy Herndon, LexisNexis

JU2014200944

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

The attached one page of regulations, dealing with establishing a military courtesy license fee for the Board of Examiners in Optometry, is 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 08.72.191 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.

Sara Chambers, Director Division of Corporations, Business and

Professional Licensing

FILING CERTIFICATION

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

Mallott, Lieutenant Governor

Effective: April 30, 2015.

Register: 214, July 2015.

Register 214, July 2015 PROFESSIONAL REGULATIONS

Chapter 02. General Occupational Licensing Functions.

12 AAC 02.300 is amended to read:

12 AAC 02.300. Board of Examiners in Optometry. The following fees are established for optometrists:

- (1) nonrefundable application fee for initial license, \$100;
- (2) examination fee, 100;
- (3) license fee for all or part of the initial biennial license period, \$480;
- (4) biennial license renewal fee, \$480;
- (5) retired status license fee, \$150;

 (6) military courtesy license fee, \$240;

 (7) extension of military courtesy license fee, \$240. (Eff. 11/20/86, Register

100; am 10/1/88, Register 107; am 5/28/93, Register 126; am 10/29/94, Register 132; am 11/15/96, Register 140; am 11/27/98, Register 148; am 10/28/2000, Register 156; am 12/16/2001, Register 160; am 11/15/2002, Register 164; am 11/18/2006, Register 180; am 10/16/2011, Register 200; am 12/2/2012, Register 204; am 11/30/2014, Register 212; am

4/30/2015, Register 214)
AS 08.01.063
Authority: AS 08.01.065
AS 08.72.191