ADOPTED REGULATION OF THE

BOARD OF MEDICAL EXAMINERS

LCB File No. R141-11

Effective September 14, 2012

EXPLANATION - Matter in *italics* is new; matter in brackets [omitted material] is material to be omitted.

AUTHORITY: §1, NRS 630.130 and 630.267.

A REGULATION relating to licensure; revising provisions concerning the expiration of a license; providing an exception to allow for the refund of the fees for biennial registration under certain circumstances; and providing other matters properly relating thereto.

Section 1. NAC 630.175 is hereby amended to read as follows:

630.175 Unless the license has [been suspended] expired for nonpayment of the fee for registration, any person licensed to practice by the Board after July 1 of the second year of a period of biennial registration shall pay one-half of the fee for biennial registration for the current period of biennial registration. Any person licensed to practice by the Board after commencement of a period of biennial registration, but on or before July 1 of the second year of a period of biennial registration, shall pay the full fee for biennial registration. [The] Except as otherwise provided by specific regulation, the fees for biennial registration are not refundable.

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INFORMATIONAL STATEMENT

Pursuant to the provisions of NRS 233B.066, the following informational statement is submitted:

DESCRIPTION OF HOW PUBLIC COMMENT WAS SOLICITED SUMMARY OF THE PUBLIC RESPONSE EXPLANATION HOW OTHER INTERESTED PERSONS MAY OBTAIN A COPY OF THE SUMMARY

How public comment was solicited:

The Nevada State Board of Medical Examiners (Board) published a Notice of Intent to Act Upon Regulation to solicit comments on proposed changes to the regulation. The hearing was to be conducted in Reno on Tuesday, May 1, 2012, at the hour of 11:00 o'clock a.m., at the Board office located at 1105 Terminal Way, Suite 301, Reno, Nevada, and videoconferenced to the Las Vegas Board office located at 6010 S. Rainbow Blvd., Bldg. A., Suite 1, Las Vegas, Nevada.

In the notice the public was notified that a copy of the proposed regulation was on file at the State Library, 100 Stewart St., Carson City, Nevada; available at the offices of the Board at 1105 Terminal Way, Suite 301, Reno, Nevada; in all counties in the state of Nevada in which the Board does not maintain an office, at the main public library; in the State of Nevada Register of Administrative Regulations which is prepared and published monthly by the Legislative Counsel Bureau pursuant to NRS 233B.0653; and on the Internet at http://www.leg.state.nv.us., as well as posted at the following locations:

Washoe County Courthouse Carson City Library Clark County District Library Churchill County Library Douglas County Library Elko County Library Esmeralda County Library **Humboldt County Library Lander County Library Lincoln County Library Lvon County Library Mineral County Library Tonopah Library Pershing County Library Storey County Library** White Pine County Library

Reno, Nevada Carson City, Nevada Las Vegas, Nevada Fallon, Nevada Minden. Nevada Elko, Nevada Goldfield, Nevada Winnemucca, Nevada White Pine, Nevada Pioche, Nevada Yerington, Nevada Hawthorne, Nevada Tonopah, Nevada Lovelock, Nevada Virginia City, Nevada Ely, Nevada

Attached hereto, and made a part hereof, are copies of certifications of posting from many of the above named.

Summary of the public response:

No oral comment or written responses were provided to the Board.

How other interested persons may obtain a copy of the public response to the regulations:

On file with the Board at the offices of the Board at 1105 Terminal Way, Suite 301, Reno, Nevada, is a complete transcript of the hearing conducted on the regulation change.

Any member of the public may visit the offices of the Board and may review any or the entire transcript referred to above. Also, any member of the public may request copies of the transcript of all the public comment by contacting the court reporter and requesting a copy.

The court reporter may be contacted at:

Bonanza Reporting 1111 Forest Street Reno, Nevada 89509 (775) 786-7655

Persons who attended the workshop and hearing:

None

Persons who testified at the workshop or public hearing:

None

The number of persons who submitted written statements:

No written comment was received by the Board.

HOW COMMENT WAS SOLICITED FROM AFFECTED BUSINESSES, A SUMMARY OF THEIR RESPONSE, AND HOW INTERESTED PERSONS MAY OBTAIN A COPY OF THE SUMMARY

The comments, conclusions, and information set out above and all information contained thereunder applies to this portion of the informational statement as well.

THE REGULATION WAS ADOPTED IN ENCLOSED FORM.

THE ESTIMATED ECONOMIC EFFECT OF THE REGULATION ON THE BUSINESS WHICH THE BOARD REGULATES AND ON THE PUBLIC

The economic effect of the regulation on the medical profession:

There will be no economic effect to the medical profession by adoption of this regulation.

The economic effect of the regulation on the general public:

There will be no economic effect to the general public by adoption of this regulation.

THE ESTIMATED COST TO THE NEVADA STATE BOARD OF MEDICAL EXAMINERS TO ENFORCE THE PROPOSED REGULATION

The Nevada State Board of Medical Examiners estimates that there will be no additional cost to itself to enforce the proposed regulation.

THE REGULATION OF THE NEVADA STATE BOARD OF MEDICAL EXAMINERS DOES NOT OVERLAP OR DUPLICATE ANY REGULATIONS OF ANY OTHER STATE OR GOVERNMENTAL AGENCIES, INCLUDING THE FEDERAL GOVERNMENT.

THE REGULATION OF THE NEVADA STATE BOARD OF MEDICAL EXAMINERS DOES NOT INCLUDE PROVISIONS WHICH ARE MORE STRINGENT THAN A FEDERAL REGULATION WHICH REGULATES THE SAME ACTIVITY.

THE NEW REGULATION DOES NOT PROVIDE OR INVOLVE A NEW FEE.