

1 21 NCAC 18B .0209 is amended as published in 37:16 NCR 1105 with changes as follows:

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**21 NCAC 18B .0209 FEES**

- (a) ~~The application and examination fee for qualifying examinations~~ The fees for qualifying applicants for examination shall be ~~ninety dollars (\$90.00)~~ one hundred and twenty-five (\$125.00) for all classifications.
- (b) The fee for review of a failed examination is twenty-five dollars (\$25.00). All reviews ~~are~~ shall be supervised by the Board or staff.
- (c) ~~The examination fees for examinations in all classifications~~ The fees for applicants for examination and the fees for examination reviews shall be in the form of cash, check, money order, Visa, or Mastercard made payable to the Board and shall accompany the respective applications when filed with the Board.
- (d) ~~Examination fees~~The fees for applicants for examination received with applications filed for qualifying examinations shall be ~~retained by the Board nonrefundable~~ unless:
  - (1) an application is not filed as prescribed in Rule .0210 of this Section, in which case ~~the examination fee of~~ sixty dollars (\$60.00) ~~of the fees for applicants for examination~~ shall be returned and ~~the~~ application shall be returned; or
  - (2) the applicant does not take the examination during the period for which application was made, files a written request for a refund setting out extenuating circumstance, and the Board finds extenuating circumstances.
- (e) Examination review fees are non-refundable unless the applicant does not take the review, files a written request for a refund, setting out extenuating circumstance, and the Board finds extenuating circumstances.
- (f) Any fee retained by the Board shall not be creditable toward any future examination fee or examination review.
- (g) Extenuating circumstances for the purposes of ~~Paragraphs (d)(2) and (e)~~ Subparagraph (d)(2) and Paragraph (e) of this Rule are the applicant's illness, bodily injury or death, or death of the applicant's spouse, child, parent, or sibling, or a breakdown of the applicant's transportation to the designated site of the examination or examination review.

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3 **21 NCAC 18B .0404 ANNUAL LICENSE FEES**

4 (a) The fee for issuance of license, reissuance of license, or license renewal in the various license classifications shall  
5 be as follows:

6 LICENSE FEE SCHEDULE

7	CLASSIFICATION	LICENSE FEE
8	Limited	<del>\$95.00</del> <u>\$100.00</u>
9	Intermediate	<del>\$140.00</del> <u>\$150.00</u>
10	Unlimited	<del>\$190.00</del> <u>\$200.00</u>
11	SP-SFD	<del>\$95.00</del> <u>\$100.00</u>
12	Special Restricted	<del>\$95.00</del> <u>\$100.00</u>

13 (b) License fees shall be made payable to the Board. Payment shall accompany any license or license renewal  
14 application filed with the Board.

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