1	14B NCAC 17	.0201 is amended under temporary procedures with changes as follows:	
2	14B NCAC 17	.0201 APPLICATION FOR LICENSE	
4	14B NCAC 17	.0201 AFFLICATION FOR LICENSE	
5	(a) Each applicant for a license shall submit an online application on the website provided by the Board. When this		
6	online application is submitted, it shall be accompanied by:		
7	(1)	electronic submission of fingerprints from a Live Scan or similar system approved by the State	
8		Bureau of Investigation or one set of classifiable fingerprints on an F.B.I. fingerprint card provided	
9		by the Board and mailed separately to the Board's office;	
10	(2)	one head and shoulders digital photograph of the applicant in JPG format of sufficient quality for	
11		identification, taken within six months prior to the online submission, and uploaded with the	
12		application submission;	
13	(3)	statements of the results of a statewide criminal history records search by the reporting service	
14		designated by the Board pursuant to G.S. 74D-2.1(a) for any state where the applicant has resided	
15		within the preceeding 60 months; and	
16	(4)	the applicant's application fee, along with a four dollar (\$4.00) convenience fee charged by the	
17		third-party vendor and credit card transaction fee charged by the applicant's credit card provider	
18		and collected online.	
19	(b) Each applicant shall upload evidence of high school graduation either by diploma, G.E.D. certificate, or other		
20	equivalent documentation.		
21	(c) Each applicant for a license shall meet personally with either a Board investigator, the Screening Committee, the		
22	Director, or a Board representative designated by the Director prior to being issued a license. The applicant shall		
23	discuss the provisions of G.S. 74D and the administrative rules in this Chapter during the personal meeting. The		
24	applicant shall sign a form provided by the Board stating that the applicant has reviewed the information with the		
25	Board's representative and that the applicant understands G.S. 74D and the administrative rules in this Chapter.		
26	During a national or State declared state of emergency [which] that restricts or prohibits [travel] travel, the personal		
27	meeting requirement may be waived if requested by the applicant in lieu of alternative means of communication.		
28	(d) Each applicant for a branch office license shall submit an online application on the website provided by the		
29	Board. This onl	ine application shall be accompanied by the branch office application fee.	
30	History Note:	Authority G.S. 74D-2; 74D-2.1; 74D-3; 74D-5; 74D-7; 74D-8;	
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