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Hey Jeff,

Thanks for these. Two small things. Can you correct the formatting on the history note? The most current amendment date (8/1/22) should go first on the last line of each History Note, if that makes sense. Also, and more importantly, we need these in a MS Word format.

Other than that, we're good to go. If you send me the final version in MS Word format, I will send them on to Dana, unless you have any objections.

Thanks! Brian

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Brian:

Attached are corrected version of each revised rule with the Effective Date as per the below.

Jeff

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35 History Note: Authority G.S. 74D-2; 74D-2.1; 74D-3; 74D-5; 74D-7; 74D-8;
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| 3 | (a) Each licensee | e or qualifying agent shall submit an online application for the registration of his or her employee on |
| 4 | the website provi | ided by the Board. When this online application is submitted, it shall be accompanied by: |
| 5 | (1) | electronic submission of fingerprints from a Live Scan or similar system approved by the State |
| 6 | | Bureau of Investigation or one set of classifiable fingerprints on a standard F.B.I. fingerprint card |
| 7 | | mailed separately to the Board's office; |
| 8 | (2) | one original signed S.B.I. release of information form uploaded online and the original mailed |
| 9 | | separately to the Board's office; |
| 10 | (3) | one head and shoulders digital photograph of the applicant of acceptable [sufficient]quality for |
| 11 | | identification, taken within six months prior to online submission, and uploaded with the application |
| 12 | | submission; |
| 13 | (4) | 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 preceding 60 months; |
| 16 | (5) | the registration fee required by Rule .0302 of this Section, along with a four dollar (\$4.00) |
| 17 | | convenience fee charged by the third-party provider and [the] credit card transaction fee charged by |
| 18 | | the applicant's credit card provider and collected online; and |
| 19 | (6) | a completed affidavit form [attesting to the truth of the information provided] and public notice |
| 20 | | statement form. |
| 21 | (b) The employe | er of an applicant who is currently registered with another alarm business shall complete an online |
| 22 | application form | provided by the Board. This form shall be accompanied by the applicant's multiple registration fee |
| 23 | along with a four | r dollar (\$4.00) convenience fee charged by the third-party provider and [the] credit card transaction |
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| 25 | by a completed a | affidavit form and public notice statement form. |
| 26 | (c) The employe | er of each applicant for registration shall print and retain a copy of the applicant's online application |
| 27 | in the individual | applicant's personnel file in the employer's office. |
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| 29 | History Note: | Authority G.S. 74D-2.1; 74D-5; 74D-8; |
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Hi Jeff,

Thanks for getting these back to me. I did notice in both revised rules, you don't have an effective date specified, which you'll need to do before submitting the final version of each rule. Otherwise, I am satisfied with the changes and will recommend approval to RRC at this month's meeting.

Thanks, Brian

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I'm the attorney who reviewed the Rules submitted by the Alarm Systems Licensing Board for the July 2022 RRC meeting. The RRC will formally review these Rules at its meeting on Thursday, July 21, 2022, at 9:00 a.m. The meeting will be a hybrid of in-person and WebEx attendance, and an evite should be sent to you as we get closer to the meeting. If there are any other representatives from your agency who will want to attend virtually, let me know prior to the meeting, and we will get evites out to them as well.

Please submit the revised Rules to me via email, no later than 5 p.m. on Wednesday July 6, 2022.

In the meantime, please do not hesitate to reach out via email with any questions or concerns.

Thanks,

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REQUEST FOR CHANGES PURSUANT TO G.S. 150B-21.10

AGENCY: Alarm Systems Licensing Board

RULE CITATION: 14B NCAC 17.0201

DEADLINE FOR RECEIPT: Wednesday, July 6, 2022.

<u>PLEASE NOTE:</u> This request may extend to several pages. Please be sure you have reached the end of the document.

The Rules Review Commission staff has completed its review of this Rule prior to the Commission's next meeting. The Commission has not yet reviewed this Rule and therefore there has not been a determination as to whether the Rule will be approved. You may email the reviewing attorney to inquire concerning the staff recommendation.

In reviewing this Rule, the staff recommends the following changes be made:

In (a), line 4, and in (d), line 29, when the Rule states "...submit an online application on the website provided by the Board" would it be more accurate to say "...submit an online application provided by the Board on its website"? The application is on the website of a fee-for-service application processor. This rule was intentionally worded this way to distinguish the processor's website from the Board's website.

In (a)(2), lines 10-11, is "and uploaded with the application submission" necessary, given the language in (a), lines 4-5? $\underline{\text{Deleted}}$.

In (a)(3), line 14, please delete the "and" at the end of the line. Deleted.

In (a)(5), lines 17-18, I'm assuming the convenience fee and the credit card transaction fee are different fees. If so, I think the sentence should be revised to add a "the" before "credit card transaction fee". Change made.

Please retype the rule accordingly and resubmit it to our office at 1711 New Hope Church Road, Raleigh, North Carolina 27609.

REQUEST FOR CHANGES PURSUANT TO G.S. 150B-21.10

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In reviewing this Rule, the staff recommends the following changes be made:

In (a), lines 4-5, when the Rule states "...submit an online application . . . on the website provided by the Board" would it be more accurate to say "...submit an online application provided by the Board on <u>its</u> website"? The application is on the website of a fee-for service-application processor. This rule was intentionally worded this way to distinguish the processor's website from the Board's website.

In (a)(3), should the language here mirror the equivalent in R. 0201(a)(2)? Rule .0201 specifies the format of the digital photograph and states that the photograph shall be of "sufficient quality for identification" rather than "acceptable quality for identification". Change made.

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