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TRANSMITTAL SHEET FOR
NOTICE OF INTENDED ACTION

Control No. _____ Department or Agency The Licensure Board For Interpreters and Translators

Rule No. 488-X-1-.09

Rule Title: Deaf Interpreter & Transliterator Exemption Request.

_____ New X Amend _____ Repeal _____ Adopt by Reference

Would the absence of the proposed rule significantly harm or endanger the public health, welfare, or safety? Yes

Is there a reasonable relationship between the state's police power and the protection of the public health, safety, or welfare? Yes

Is there another, less restrictive method of regulation available that could adequately protect the public? No

Does the proposed rule have the effect of directly or indirectly increasing the costs of any goods or services involved and, if so, to what degree? No

Is the increase in cost, if any, more harmful to the public than the harm that might result from the absence of the proposed rule? No

Are all facets of the rulemaking process designed solely for the purpose of, and so they have, as their primary effect, the protection of the public? Yes

Does the proposed rule have an economic impact? No

If the proposed rule has an economic impact, the proposed rule is required to be accompanied by a fiscal note prepared in accordance with subsection (f) of Section 41-22-23, Code of Alabama 1975.

Certification of Authorized Official

I certify that the attached proposed rule has been proposed in full compliance with the requirements of Chapter 22, Title 41, Code of Alabama 1975, and that it conforms to all applicable filing requirements of the Administrative Procedure Division of the Legislative Reference Service.

Signature of certifying officer: 

Date: July 20, 2015

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The Alabama Licensure Board for Interpreters & Transliterators

NOTICE OF INTENDED ACTION

AGENCY NAME:

The Alabama Licensure Board for Interpreters & Transliterators

RULE NO. & TITLE:

488-X-1-.02 – Fees
488-X-1-.04 – Initial License
488-X-1-.05 – Renewal of License
488-X-1-.06 – Permit
488-X-1-.07 – Permit Renewal
488-X-1-.08 – Non-Renewable Permit
488-X-1-.09 – Deaf Interpreter & Transliterators Exemption Request
488-X-1-.10 – Deaf Interpreter & Transliterators Exemption Renewal
488-X-1-.11 – Exemptions
488-X-1-.12 – Complaint Procedures
488-X-1-.13 – Reinstatement of License
488-X-4-.14 – Reinstatement of Permit

INTENDED ACTION:

To amend Rules and Regulations.

SUBSTANCE OF PROPOSED ACTION:

The Alabama Licensure Board for Interpreters & Transliterators proposes to amend its Administrative Code or Rules and Regulations under which to operate.

TIME, PLACE, MANNER OF PRESENTING VIEWS:

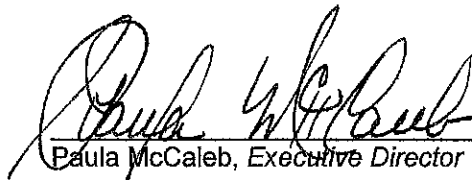
Written comments, views, or arguments will be received by the Alabama Board for Interpreters & Transliterators until 4:30 p.m. on September 4, 2015. Comments should be directed to Paula McCaleb, Executive Director, at Post Office Box 240187, Montgomery, AL 36124, or via fax at 334-277-0188.

FINAL DATE FOR COMMENT AND COMPLETION OF NOTICE:

September 4, 2015

CONTACT PERSON AT AGENCY:

Paula McCaleb, Executive Director
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Paula McCaleb, Executive Director

488-X-1-.09 Deaf Interpreter & Transliterator Exemption Request.

(1) A Deaf Interpreter and Transliterator Permit will be issued only to a person who is deaf. A Deaf Interpreter Permit may be obtained by submitting the following:

- (a) ~~Notarized~~ A Application for the Deaf Interpreter Permit,
- (b) One of the following:
 - (i) GED, High School Diploma or Certified transcripts or
 - (ii) College diploma or college certified transcripts
- (c) Documentation from a licensed ~~practicing physician~~ audiologist stating that you are legally deaf, according to Federal Government Standards.
- (d) Proof of Citizenship and
- (e) Proof of Citizenship form.

(2) Beginning March, 15, 2016, anyone applying for a deaf Interpreter and Transliterator exemption will be required to have proof of 2.0 continuing education points prior to applying.

Author: The Alabama Board of Interpreter and Transliterators

Statutory Authority: Code of Ala. 1975, §34-16-7(4).

Filed: July 20, 2015 **Effective Date:** September 11, 2015