

**TRANSMITTAL SHEET FOR
NOTICE OF INTENDED ACTION**

Control _____ Department or Agency: Alabama Board of Licensure for Professional Geologists

Rule No.: 364-X-4

Rule Title: Fees

_____ 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: August 23, 2013

(DATE FILED)
(STAMP)

Alabama Board of Licensure for Professional Geologists

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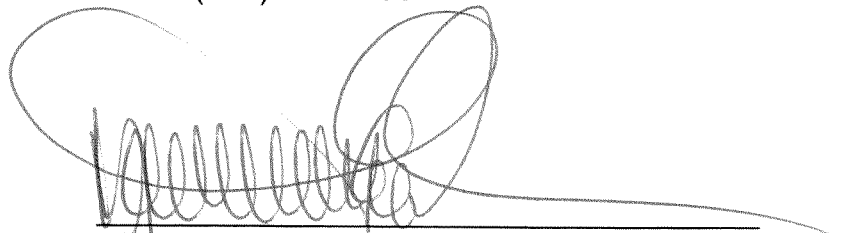
INTENDED ACTION: Amend

SUBSTANCE OF PROPOSED ACTION: The Board proposes to amend this rule to increase the fee for a professional seal and stamp and increase the practice of Geology examination fee. These two fees are assessed by the vendor and not controlled by the Board.

TIME, PLACE, MANNER OF PRESENTING VIEWS: Written comments will be received by the Board until 4:00 p.m. on Monday, November 4, 2013. Comments should be directed to Keith E. Warren, Executive Director at 2777 Zelda Road, Montgomery, AL 36106 or via electronic mail at keith@warrenandco.com or via telephone at 334-420-7236.

FINAL DATE FOR COMMENT AND COMPLETION OF NOTICE:
Monday, November 4, 2013.

CONTACT PERSON AT AGENCY: Keith E. Warren
Executive Secretary
2777 Zelda Road
Montgomery, AL 36106
(334) 420-7236

A large, stylized handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Keith E. Warren', is written over a horizontal line. The signature is highly cursive and loops around itself.

Keith E. Warren, *Executive Secretary*
Alabama Board of Licensure for Professional Geologists

**CHAPTER 364-X-4
FEES**

364-X-4-.01 Method of Payment

364-X-4-.02 Application, Certification and Registration Fees

364-X-4-.01 Method of Payment. Fees shall be payable to the Alabama Board of Licensure for Professional Geologists, Montgomery, Alabama, at the address noted on the Application. Payment of fees must be made by check (personal, company or cashier's) or money order. ~~No cash or credit cards will be accepted as payment of fees.~~ Credit card payments may only be used for payment online through Alabama Interactive. Partial payments will not be accepted. Applications not accompanied by the proper fee will be returned to the applicant.

Author: Thornton L. Neathery

History: Filed May 10, 1996; effective June 4, 1996

(Auth: Section 34-41-5, Code of Alabama, 1975)

364-X-4-.02 Fees. No fee, or part of any fee, paid by any applicant for application, examination and/or licensure will be returned to the applicant, either in the event of his/her failure to take the examination, or in the event of his/her failure to pass the required examination, if and when given.

Fees to be collected by the Board are as follows:

1. Application Fee	\$150
2. License Fee	\$150
3. Geologist-In-Training	\$ 75
4. Seals and Stamps	\$ 50 <u>75</u>
5. Renewal Fee	\$150
6. Late Fee	\$100
7. Temporary License Fee	\$200
8. Fundamentals of Geology Exam	\$150
9. Practice of Geology Exam	\$ 200 <u>250</u>
10. Roster Fee	\$ 25
11. License Replacement Fee	\$ 10

Author: Thornton L. Neathery

Statutory Authority: Code of Ala. 1975, §34-41-5.

History: New Rule: Filed May 10, 1996; effective June 14, 1996.

Amended: Filed August 27, 2007; effective October 1, 2007

Amended: Filed October 30, 2008; effective December 4, 2008

(Auth: Section 34-41-5, Code of Alabama, 1975)