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MEMORANDUM

TO: Sara Chambers, Boards and Regulations Advisor
Department of Commerce, Community and Economic Development

FROM: April Simpson, Alaska Administrative Code Coordinator 
Office of the Lieutenant Governor

DATE: March 6, 2025

RE: Filed Permanent Regulations: Department of Commerce, Community & Economic Development

Division of Corporations, Business and Professional Licensing regulations re: General Occupational Licensing Functions - Military licenses, fees (12 AAC 02.105 - .957)

Attorney General File:	2024200505
Regulation Filed:	3/6/2025
Effective Date:	4/5/2025
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cc with enclosures:

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March 5, 2025

The Honorable Nancy Dahlstrom
Lieutenant Governor
State of Alaska
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Re: *12 AAC 02.105 - .957: DCCED/CBPL - General Occ. Licensing Functions-
Military licenses, fees*
Our file: 2024200505

Dear Lieutenant Governor Dahlstrom:

The Department of Law has reviewed the attached regulations of the Department of Commerce, Community and Economic Development against the statutory standards of the Administrative Procedure Act. Based upon our review, we find no legal problems. This letter constitutes the written statement of approval under AS 44.62.060(b) and (c) that authorizes your office to file the attached regulations. The regulations were adopted by the Department of Commerce, Community and Economic Development after the close of the public comment period.

The regulations concern fees for military courtesy licenses, fees for compact privileges and renewals for audiologists and speech-pathologists under AS 08.11.300 (Audiology and Speech-Language Interstate Compact), ch. 43, SLA 2024 (CSSB 75(FIN)), and fees for compact privileges and renewals for physical therapists, physical therapist assistants, occupational therapists, and occupational therapy assistants under AS 08.84.188 (Interstate Physical Therapy Licensure Compact), ch. 42, SLA 2024 (CSSB 74(FIN)).

The January 22, 2025 public notice and the February 25, 2025 adoption order both state that this action is not expected to require an increased appropriation. Therefore, a fiscal note under AS 44.62.060 is not required.

We have made some technical corrections to conform the regulations in accordance with AS 44.62.060. The corrections are incorporated into the attached copy of the regulations.

Sincerely,

TREG TAYLOR
ATTORNEY GENERAL

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ORDER ADOPTING CHANGES TO
REGULATIONS OF THE DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE,
COMMUNITY, AND ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT

The attached five pages of regulations, dealing with military license fees, and for occupational license fees for Audiologists and Speech-Language Pathologists, the State Physical Therapy and Occupational Therapy Board, and the Board of Examiners in Optometry to clarify fees for the new interstate compacts for those professions, are adopted and certified to be a correct copy of the regulation changes that the Department of Commerce, Community, and Economic Development adopts under the authority of AS 08.01.063, AS 08.01.065, AS 08.11.050, AS 08.55.040, and AS 08.84.050 and after compliance with the Administrative Procedure Act (AS 44.62), specifically including notice under AS 44.62.190 and 44.62.200 and opportunity for public comment under AS 44.62.210.

This action is not expected to require an increased appropriation.

Although no public comments were received, the Department of Commerce, Community, and Economic Development paid special attention to the cost to private persons of the regulatory action being taken.

The regulation changes described in this order take effect on the 30th day after they have been filed by the lieutenant governor, as provided in AS 44.62.180.

DATE: 2/25/2025

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Sylvan Robb, Director
Division of Corporations, Business and
Professional Licensing

April Simpson, for

FILING CERTIFICATION

I, Nancy Dahlstrom, Lieutenant Governor for the State of Alaska, certify that on March
6th, 2025 at 8:25 a.m., I filed the attached regulations according
to the provisions of AS 44.62.040 – 44.62.120.

for 
Nancy Dahlstrom, Lieutenant Governor

Effective: April 5, 2025.

Register: 254, July 2025.

FOR DELEGATION OF THE LIEUTENANT GOVERNOR'S AUTHORITY

I, NANCY DAHLSTROM, LIEUTENANT GOVERNOR OF THE STATE OF ALASKA, designate the following state employees to perform the Administrative Procedures Act filing functions of the Office of the Lieutenant Governor:

April Simpson, Regulations and Initiatives Specialist

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have signed and affixed the Seal of the State of Alaska, in Juneau, on May 15th, 2023.



A handwritten signature in blue ink, reading "Nancy Dahlstrom", is written over a horizontal dotted line.

**NANCY DAHLSTROM
LIEUTENANT GOVERNOR**

Chapter 02. General Occupational Licensing Functions.

12 AAC 02.105(17) is amended to read:

(17) **nonrefundable application fee for a temporary license, for a temporary military courtesy license, or for an initial license under the federal Servicemembers Civil Relief Act (50 U.S.C. 4025a)** [APPLICATION FEE], \$100;

12 AAC 02.105(18) is amended to read:

(18) fee for a temporary **military courtesy** license issued under AS 08.01.063 or 08.01.064, \$100;

12 AAC 02.105 is amended by adding a new paragraph to read:

(20) fee for an initial license issued under the federal Servicemembers Civil Relief Act (50 U.S.C. 4025a), \$0. (Eff. 9/27/86, Register 99; am 11/20/86, Register 100; am 4/3/88, Register 105; am 5/28/93, Register 126; am 2/13/94, Register 129; am 12/28/97, Register 144; am 11/27/98, Register 148; am 6/13/2002, Register 162; am 3/25/2004, Register 169; am 5/14/2021, Register 238; am 1/5/2024, Register 249; am 9/12/2024, Register 251; am 12/22/2024, Register 252; am 4 / 5 / 2025, Register 254)

Authority: AS 08.01.062 AS 08.01.065 AS 08.01.100

AS 08.01.063

((Publisher, please change the period at the end of 12 AAC 02.105(19) to a semicolon.))

12 AAC 02.130(3) is amended to read:

(3) audiologist or speech-language pathologist license **or compact privilege** fee

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for all or part of the initial biennial license period, \$70;

12 AAC 02.130(4) is amended to read:

(4) biennial audiologist or speech-language pathologist license renewal or compact privilege renewal fee, \$70;

12 AAC 02.130 is amended by adding a new paragraph to read:

(10) nonrefundable fingerprint processing fee, as set out under 12 AAC 02.105(19). (Eff. 9/27/86, Register 99; am 10/1/88, Register 107; am 5/28/93, Register 126; am 9/11/94, Register 131; am 8/29/98, Register 147; am 11/14/99, Register 152; am 8/10/2000, Register 155; am 10/12/2000, Register 156; am 8/26/2004, Register 171; am 1/20/2005, Register 173; am 7/20/2006, Register 179; am 8/24/2016, Register 219; am 8/1/2018, Register 227; am 8/13/2022, Register 243; am 4 / 5 / 2025, Register 254)

Authority:	AS 08.01.065	AS 08.11.025	<u>AS 08.11.300</u>
	AS 08.11.010	AS 08.11.030	AS 08.55.010
	AS 08.11.015	AS 08.11.043	AS 08.55.020
	AS 08.11.020	AS 08.11.050	AS 08.55.040

((Publisher, please change the period at the end of 12 AAC 02.130(9) to a semicolon.))

12 AAC 02.300(6) is repealed:

(6) repealed 4 / 5 / 2025;

12 AAC 02.300(7) is repealed:

(7) repealed 4 / 5 / 2025. (Eff. 11/20/86, Register 100; am 10/1/88,

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Register 107; am 5/28/93, Register 126; am 10/29/94, Register 132; am 11/15/96, Register 140; am 11/27/98, Register 148; am 10/28/2000, Register 156; am 12/16/2001, Register 160; am 11/15/2002, Register 164; am 11/18/2006, Register 180; am 10/16/2011, Register 200; am 12/2/2012, Register 204; am 11/30/2014, Register 212; am 4 [04]/30/2015, Register 214; am 11/26/2016, Register 220; am 10/7/2018, Register 228; am 4 / 5 / 2025, Register 254)

Authority: [AS 08.01.063] AS 08.01.065 AS 08.72.191

12 AAC 02.320(2) is amended to read:

(2) license or compact privilege fee for a physical or occupational therapist for all or part of the initial biennial license period, \$200;

12 AAC 02.320(3) is amended to read:

(3) biennial license renewal or compact privilege renewal fee for a physical or occupational therapist, \$200;

12 AAC 02.320(6) is amended to read:

(6) license or compact privilege fee for a physical therapist assistant or occupational therapy assistant for all or part of the initial biennial license period, \$130;

12 AAC 02.320(7) is amended to read:

(7) biennial license renewal or compact privilege renewal fee for a physical therapist assistant or occupational therapy assistant, \$130; [.]

12 AAC 02.320 is amended by adding a new paragraph to read:

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(8) nonrefundable fingerprint processing fee, as set out under 12 AAC 02.105(19).
(Eff. 11/20/86, Register 100; am 10/1/88, Register 107; am 5/20/92, Register 122; am 5/28/93,
Register 126; am 3/12/98, Register 145; am 10/28/2000, Register 156; am 6/4/2008, Register
186; am 6/11/2010, Register 194; am 5/18/2014, Register 210; am 6/16/2016, Register 218; am
3/13/2020, Register 233; am 12/22/2024, Register 252; am 4 / 5 / 2025, Register 254)

Authority: AS 08.01.065 AS 08.84.050 AS 08.84.188
AS 08.84.030

12 AAC 02.956(b)(2) is amended to read:

(2) the applicable fees established in 12 AAC 02.105 for a temporary **military**
courtesy license;

(Eff. 5/14/2021, Register 238; am 1/5/2024, Register 249; am 4 / 5 / 2025, Register
254)

Authority: AS 08.01.050 AS 08.01.063 AS 08.01.065

12 AAC 02.957(b)(2) is amended to read:

(2) the applicable fees established in 12 AAC 02.105 for a temporary **military**
courtesy license;

12 AAC 02.957(d) is amended to read:

(d) A temporary license issued under this section is valid for 180 days [,] and may be
extended for an additional 180-day period by applying on a form provided by the department and
submitting the temporary **military courtesy** license fee established in 12 AAC 02.105. (Eff.

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5/14/2021, Register 238; am 4 / 5 / 2025, Register 254)

Authority: AS 08.01.050 AS 08.01.064 AS 08.01.065