

Rulemaking Hearing Rules

Board of Communications Disorders and Sciences
Council for Licensing Hearing Instrument Specialists

Chapter 1370-02 General Rules Governing Hearing Instrument Specialists

Amendments

Rule 1370-02-.05, Procedures for Licensure, is amended by deleting subparagraphs (1) (g), (3) (g), and (4) (g) in their entirety and substituting instead the following language, so that as amended, the new subparagraphs (1) (g), (3) (g), and (4) (g) shall read:

- (1) (g) An applicant shall submit with his application a “passport” style photograph taken within the preceding twelve (12) months and attach it to the appropriate page of the application.
- (3) (g) An applicant shall submit with his application a “passport” style photograph taken within the preceding twelve (12) months and attach it to the appropriate page of the application.
- (4) (g) An applicant shall submit with his application a “passport” style photograph taken within the preceding twelve (12) months and attach it to the appropriate page of the application.

Authority: T.C.A. §§ 4-5-202, 4-5-204, 63-17-105, 63-17-203, 63-17-207, and 63-17-208.

Rule 1370-02-.06, Fees, is amended by deleting subparagraph (1) (c) in its entirety and substituting instead the following language, so that as amended, the new subparagraph (1) (c) shall read:

- (1) (c) Examination (and Retake) Fee – A fee to be paid prior to each time an examination, or any component of an examination, is taken or retaken. The Examination (and Retake) Fee is nonrefundable if the examination, or any component of an examination, is taken or retaken. If the Examination (and Retake) Fee is paid but the examination or examination component(s) are not taken or retaken, the Examination (and Retake) Fee, except for twenty-five dollars (\$25.00), shall be refunded if the applicant submits a refund request within thirty (30) days from when the examination that the applicant was scheduled to take was administered.

Authority: T.C.A. §§ 4-5-202, 4-5-204, 63-17-105, 63-17-201, 63-17-203, and 63-17-210.

Rule 1370-02-.09, Renewal of License, is amended by deleting part (2) (b) 5. in its entirety.

Authority: T.C.A. §§ 4-5-202, 4-5-204, 63-17-105, 63-17-203, 63-17-214, and 63-17-216.

Rule 1370-02-.15, Disciplinary Actions, Civil Penalties, Informal Settlements, Assessment of Costs and Subpoenas, is amended by deleting the catchline in its entirety and substituting instead the following language, and is further amended by deleting subparagraph (1) (a) in its entirety and renumbering the remaining subparagraphs accordingly, and is further amended by deleting paragraph (6) in its entirety and substituting instead the following language, so that as amended, the new catchline and the new paragraph (6) shall read:

1370-02-.15 Disciplinary Actions, Civil Penalties, Assessment of Costs and Subpoenas.

- (6) The Council authorizes the member who chaired the Council for a contested case to be the agency member to make the decisions authorized pursuant to rule 1360-4-1-.18 regarding petitions for reconsiderations and stays in that case.

Authority: T.C.A. §§ 4-5-202, 4-5-204, 63-17-105, 63-17-203, and 63-17-219.

The rulemaking hearing rules set out herein were properly filed in the Department of State on the 29th day of June, 2007, and will become effective on the 12th day of September, 2007. (FS 06-45-07; DBID 2598)