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**TRANSMITTAL SHEET FOR
NOTICE OF INTENDED ACTION**

Control _____ Department or Agency: Board of Dental Examiners of Alabama

Rule No.: 270-X-2.07

Rule Title: Annual Registration For Dentists

_____ 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: 12/6/11

(DATE FILED)
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Board of Dental Examiners of Alabama

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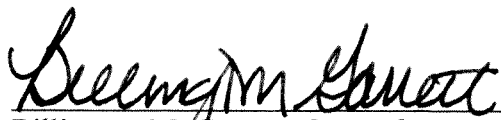
RULE NO. & TITLE: 270-X-2.07 Annual Registration For Dentists.
INTENDED ACTION: Amend

SUBSTANCE OF PROPOSED ACTION: The Board proposes to correct statutory authority, to clarify language and to provide for alternative means of disseminating registration forms.

TIME, PLACE, MANNER OF PRESENTING VIEWS: Written comments will be received by the Board until 4:30 p.m. on Friday, February 3, 2012. Comments should be directed to Sonya Lankford, Financial Secretary, at 5346 Stadium Trace Pky., Ste. 112 Hoover, AL 35244 or via electronic mail at BDEAL@dentalboard.org or via telephone at 205-985-7267.

FINAL DATE FOR COMMENT AND COMPLETION OF NOTICE:
Friday, February 3, 2012

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RULE NUMBER: 270-X-2.07

TITLE OF RULE: Annual Registration For Dentists.

(1) The Secretary-Treasurer of the Board shall ~~mail~~ furnish to each such licensee, on or before September 1st of each year, a registration form which contains space for the insertion of ~~his or her~~ his/her name, address, date and number of ~~his~~ his/her license certificate and such other information as the Board shall deem necessary.

(2) On or before the first day of October of each year, every dentist licensed to practice in the State of Alabama shall transmit to the Secretary of the Board the completed form prescribed by the Board, together with the annual registration fee.

(3) Any license and license certificate previously granted shall automatically be suspended if the holder fails to secure the annual registration certificate before January 1st of each year.

(a) The annual registration fee for the dentists shall be in an amount fixed by the Board.

(4) Any ~~dentists~~ dentist whose license shall be automatically suspended for reason of failure, neglect or refusal to secure the annual registration certificate shall be reinstated by the Board upon payment of a penalty fee as determined by the Board plus all accrued annual registration fees up to a maximum of five (5) years accompanied with the prescribed form of annual registration of such license.

(5) The Board shall waive the annual payment of fees and issue a current annual registration certificate to any licensee who because of age or physical disability has retired from the practice of dentistry or who is suffering a malady of a lingering or permanent nature. This waiver shall be effective so long as the retirement or these conditions continue. The licensee shall provide any documentation required by the Board to establish eligibility for this waiver. The Board shall also waive annual registration and the payment of annual fees while any licensee is on temporary active duty with any of the armed forces of the United States and the waiver of fees shall be effective so long as temporary active duty continues. For purposes of this rule, temporary active duty shall not exceed three (3) years.

(6) All licensed dentists shall also comply with the provisions of ~~Code of Ala. 1975~~, Code of Alabama (1975), § 34-9-15.

Statutory Authority ~~Code of Ala. 1975~~, Code of Alabama (1975), §§ 34-9-2, 34-9-3, 34-9-15, 34-9-43.

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