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TRANSMITTAL SHEET FOR NOTICE OF INTENDED ACTION

Control 420 Department or Agency Alabama Department of Public Health

Rule Number : 420-2-1-.18

Rule Title: EMS Personnel License Status Categories

 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

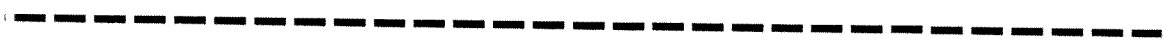
Does the proposed rule have an economic impact? NO

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 §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 Jamie B... Date Oct 15, 2012



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**STATE BOARD OF HEALTH
NOTICE OF INTENDED ACTION**

AGENCY NAME: Alabama Department of Public Health

RULE NUMBER AND TITLE: 420-2-1-.18 EMS Personnel Licensure Status
Categories


INTENDED ACTION: To add unrestricted and probationary license status.

SUBSTANCE OF PROPOSED ACTION: Active license will be expanded to include
the classifications – unrestricted and probationary.

TIME, PLACE, AND MANNER OF PRESENTING VIEWS: A public hearing will
be held on November 27, 2012, at 10:00 a.m., in Montgomery at the RSA Tower,
201 Monroe Street, Room 1586.

FINAL DATE FOR COMMENTS AND COMPLETION OF NOTICE: Written
or oral comments will be received until the close of the record at 5:00 p.m. on
December 5, 2012. All comments and requests for copies of the proposed rule should
be addressed to the contact person listed below.

CONTACT PERSON AT AGENCY: Dennis Blair, Alabama Department of Public
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Patricia E. Ivie, Agency Secretary

420-2-1-.18 EMS Personnel Licensure Status Categories.

Classification of Licenses.

(1) Active - A license that allows an individual the privilege to practice all duties within the scope defined pursuant to his or her level of licensure.

(a) Unrestricted - An unrestricted license may be granted by the Board after it has determined that the Emergency Medical Services Personnel (EMSP) is willing and capable of maintaining compliance with these rules.

(b) Probationary - At its discretion, the Board may grant a probationary license or downgrade an unrestricted license, for a specific period which shall not exceed one year, when it determines that the following condition exists:

(1) The EMSP has engaged in one or more deficient practices which are serious in nature, chronic in nature, or which the EMSP has failed to correct. This failure could lead to additional licensure actions including suspension or revocation.

(2) Expired - A license that has not been renewed upon its stated expiration date.

(3) Revoked - A license terminated due to a violation of these rules, or state or federal law.

(4) Suspended - A license that has had its associated privileges temporarily removed.

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STATUTORY AUTHORITY: Code of Ala. 1975, §22-18-1, et seq.

EFFECTIVE DATE: May 25, 2011