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**TRANSMITTAL SHEET FOR
NOTICE OF INTENDED ACTION**

Control No. 140 Department or Agency Alabama Board of Athletic Trainers
Rule No. 140-X-4-.02
Rule Title: Requisites for Renewal
 New Amend Repeal Adopt by Reference

Would the absence of the proposed rule significantly harm or endanger the public health, welfare, or safety? No

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 *Leah Taylor*

Date August 10, 2011

(DATE FILED)
(STAMP)

ALABAMA BOARD OF ATHLETIC TRAINERS

NOTICE OF INTENDED ACTION

AGENCY NAME: Alabama Board of Athletic Trainers
RULE NO. & TITLE: 140-X-4-.02 - Requisites for Renewal
INTENDED ACTION: Amend existing rule.

SUBSTANCE OF PROPOSED ACTION: The proposed amendment to 140-X-4-.02 will update obsolete language relating to renewal of licenses and continuing education requirements.

TIME, PLACE, MANNER OF PRESENTING VIEWS: Interested persons may present their views in writing at the address listed below. Those wishing to present views in person should contact the Board of Athletic Trainers at 334/264-1929 Tuesday through Friday between the hours of 8:00 a.m. and 4:00 p.m.

FINAL DATE FOR COMMENT AND COMPLETION OF NOTICE:
Wednesday, October 5, 2011.

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140-X-4-.02 **Requisites For Renewal.** To qualify for a renewal of license previously issued by the Board, the licensee, except where specifically exempted, shall comply with all of the following requirements:

(1) Complete applications for renewal on forms prescribed by the Board, including the Physician/Athletic Trainer Protocol Consent Form.

(2) Submit a seventy-five (\$75) dollar renewal fee on or before November 30 of the year in which the existing license expires, and an additional fifty (\$50) dollar late fee when submitting application for renewal after the November 30 renewal deadline of existing license but within the 90-day grace period. Licensees issued a license between July 1 and December 31 shall be exempt from the \$50 late fee for the first renewal period.

(3) Submit late fee(s) as appropriate for delinquent CEUs earned after the renewal deadline of November 30. Licensees issued a license between July 1 and December 31 shall be exempt from continuing education requirements and payment of late fees for the first renewal period.

(4) Proof of completion of continuing education requirements on forms prescribed by the Board. Licensees issued a license between July 1 and December 31 shall be exempt from continuing education requirements for the first renewal period.

(5) Proof of good standing with the Board of Certification, Inc., except for those specifically exempted from this requirement through Code of Ala. 1975, Section 34-40-7.

Authors: Leah Taylor, Executive Secretary

Statutory Authority: Code of Ala. 1975, §§34-40-3(g), 34-40-5(b), 34-40-8.

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