

WSR 22-24-050

PERMANENT RULES

DEPARTMENT OF LICENSING

[Filed November 30, 2022, 4:36 p.m., effective December 31, 2022]

Effective Date of Rule: Thirty-one days after filing.

Purpose: The department is increasing fees to cover the cost of administering the collection agencies program.

Citation of Rules Affected by this Order: Amending WAC 308-29-045 Collection agency fees.

Statutory Authority for Adoption: RCW 43.24.086 Fee policy for professions, occupations, and businesses—Determination by rule.

Adopted under notice filed as WSR 22-21-132 on October 19, 2022.

Number of Sections Adopted in Order to Comply with Federal Statute: New 0, Amended 0, Repealed 0; Federal Rules or Standards: New 0, Amended 0, Repealed 0; or Recently Enacted State Statutes: New 0, Amended 0, Repealed 0.

Number of Sections Adopted at the Request of a Nongovernmental Entity: New 0, Amended 0, Repealed 0.

Number of Sections Adopted on the Agency's own Initiative: New 0, Amended 1, Repealed 0.

Number of Sections Adopted in Order to Clarify, Streamline, or Reform Agency Procedures: New 0, Amended 0, Repealed 0.

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AMENDATORY SECTION (Amending WSR 11-23-159, filed 11/22/11, effective 12/23/11)

WAC 308-29-045 Collection agency fees. The following fees will be charged by the business and professions division of the department of licensing:

Title of Fee	Fee
Collection agency—Main office:	
Original application	((\$850.00)) <u>\$890.00</u>
Renewal	((\$475.00)) <u>\$515.00</u>
Reregistration fee after 30 days	((\$1,325.00)) <u>\$1,405.00</u>
Branch office (with WA main office):	
Original application	((\$550.00)) <u>\$590.00</u>
Renewal	((\$300.00)) <u>\$340.00</u>

Title of Fee	Fee
Reregistration fee after 30 days	((\$850.00)) <u>\$930.00</u>
Out-of-state collection agency—Main office:	
Original application	((\$425.00)) <u>\$445.00</u>
Renewal	((\$237.50)) <u>\$257.50</u>
Reregistration fee after 30 days	((\$662.50)) <u>\$702.50</u>
Branch office—With out-of-state main office:	
Original application	((\$275.00)) <u>\$295.00</u>
Renewal	((\$150.00)) <u>\$170.00</u>
Reregistration fee after 30 days	((\$425.00)) <u>\$465.00</u>
<u>License print fee</u>	<u>\$5.00</u>

[Statutory Authority: RCW 19.16.140, 43.24.086, and 2011 1st sp.s. c 50. WSR 11-23-159, § 308-29-045, filed 11/22/11, effective 12/23/11. Statutory Authority: RCW 19.16.140, 43.24.086. WSR 04-18-043, § 308-29-045, filed 8/26/04, effective 10/1/04. Statutory Authority: [RCW 19.16.410]. WSR 01-11-132, § 308-29-045, filed 5/22/01, effective 6/22/01. Statutory Authority: RCW 43.24.086. WSR 90-06-052, § 308-29-045, filed 3/2/90, effective 4/2/90; WSR 87-10-028 (Order PM 650), § 308-29-045, filed 5/1/87. Statutory Authority: 1983 c 168 § 12. WSR 83-22-060 (Order PL 446), § 308-29-045, filed 11/2/83; WSR 83-17-031 (Order PL 442), § 308-29-045, filed 8/10/83. Formerly WAC 308-29-040.]