



# LAWS OF ALASKA

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**Chapter No.**

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**AN ACT**

Creating the Board of Electrical Examiners and relating to the principal executive officer of the State Medical Board; and providing for an effective date.

**BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF ALASKA:**

THE ACT FOLLOWS ON PAGE 1, LINE 11.

UNDERLINED MATERIAL INDICATES TEXT THAT IS BEING ADDED TO THE LAW AND BRACKETED MATERIAL IN CAPITAL LETTERS INDICATES DELETIONS FROM THE LAW; COMPLETELY NEW TEXT OR MATERIAL REPEALED AND RE-ENACTED IS IDENTIFIED IN THE INTRODUCTORY LINE OF EACH BILL SECTION.

Approved by the Governor: June 4, 1988  
Actual Effective Date: July 1, 1988

AN ACT

Creating the Board of Electrical Examiners and relating to the principal executive officer of the State Medical Board; and providing for an effective date.

\* Section 1. AS 08.01.010 is amended by adding a new paragraph to read:

(28) Board of Electrical Examiners (AS 08.40.011)

\* Sec. 2. AS 08.01.050(a) is amended to read:

(a) The department shall perform the following administrative and budgetary services when appropriate:

(1) collect and record fees;

(2) maintain records and files;

(3) issue and receive application forms;

(4) notify applicants of acceptance or rejection as determined by the board or as determined by the department under AS 08.11 for audiologists, [UNDER AS 08.40 FOR ELECTRICAL ADMINISTRATORS,] under AS 08.45 for naturopaths, or under AS 08.55 for hearing aid dealers;

(5) designate dates examinations are to be held and notify applicants;

(6) publish notice of examinations and proceedings;

(7) arrange space for holding examinations and proceedings;

(8) notify applicants of results of examinations;

(9) issue licenses or temporary licenses as authorized by

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1 the board or as authorized by the department under AS 08.11 for  
2 audiologists, [UNDER AS 08.40 FOR ELECTRICAL ADMINISTRATORS,] under  
3 AS 08.45 for naturopaths, or under AS 08.55 for hearing aid dealers;

4 (10) issue duplicate licenses upon submission of a written  
5 request by the licensee attesting to loss of or the failure to receive  
6 the original and payment by the licensee of a fee established by  
7 regulation adopted by the department;

8 (11) notify licensees of renewal dates at least 30 days  
9 before the expiration date of their licenses;

10 (12) compile and maintain a current register of licensees;

11 (13) answer routine inquiries;

12 (14) maintain files relating to individual licensees;

13 (15) arrange for printing and advertising;

14 (16) purchase supplies;

15 (17) employ additional help when needed;

16 (18) perform other services that may be requested by the  
17 board;

18 (19) provide inspection, enforcement, and investigative  
19 services to the boards and for the occupations listed in AS 08.01.010,  
20 regarding all licenses issued by or through the department;

21 (20) retain and safeguard the official seal of a board and  
22 prepare, sign, and affix a board seal, as appropriate, for licenses  
23 approved by a board.

24 \* Sec. 3. AS 08.03.010(c) is amended by adding a new paragraph to read:

25 (21) Board of Electrical Examiners (AS 08.40.011) --  
26 June 30, 1991.

27 \* Sec. 4. AS 08.40 is amended by adding a new section to read:

28 Sec. 08.40.011. BOARD OF ELECTRICAL EXAMINERS. (a) There is  
29 created the Board of Electrical Examiners consisting of three members,  
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1 two of whom are licensed electrical administrators and one of whom is  
2 a public member.

3 (b) The board shall meet at least annually. The board may also  
4 meet at other times as determined by the board.

5 \* Sec. 5. AS 08.40.045 is amended to read:

6 Sec. 08.40.045. CATEGORIES OF LICENSES. The board [DEPARTMENT]  
7 may adopt regulations establishing categories of electrical adminis-  
8 trators, establishing qualifications for those categories and the  
9 content of examinations for applicants for each category.

10 \* Sec. 6. AS 08.40.050 is amended to read:

11 Sec. 08.40.050. REGULATIONS. The board [DEPARTMENT] shall adopt  
12 regulations subject to the Administrative Procedure Act (AS 44.62),  
13 relating to the examination and licensing of electrical administra-  
14 tors, the establishing of the continued competency of an applicant for  
15 license renewal and reinstatement, and the suspension or revocation of  
16 licenses.

17 \* Sec. 7. AS 08.40.060 is amended to read:

18 Sec. 08.40.060. EXAMINATIONS. A licensing examination shall be  
19 offered [CONDUCTED] by the board [DEPARTMENT] at least twice during  
20 each year at appropriate places in the state.

21 \* Sec. 8. AS 08.40.120(b) is amended to read:

22 (b) If an applicant for a license submits proof satisfactory to  
23 the board [DEPARTMENT] that the applicant is licensed as an electrical  
24 administrator or the equivalent by another state or territory, that  
25 the applicant meets qualifications established by the board [DEPART-  
26 MENT] under AS 08.40.045, and that the applicant has passed an ex-  
27 amination equivalent to the test administered under (a) of this sec-  
28 tion except insofar as that examination tests knowledge and skill  
29 particularly required to meet the environment and usages of the trade  
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peculiar to Alaska, the board [DEPARTMENT] shall waive all of the examination required under 4) of this section except those parts that test knowledge and skill particularly required to meet the environment and usages of the trade peculiar to Alaska.

\* Sec. 9. AS 08.40.170(a) is amended to read:

(a) The board [DEPARTMENT] may suspend, revoke, or refuse to grant a license upon a finding that

(1) the application is fraudulent or misleading;

(2) the licensee has knowingly violated this chapter or a lawful rule, order, or regulation of the board [DEPARTMENT];

(3) the licensee is incompetent, or has engaged in fraudulent practices.

\* Sec. 10. AS 08.40.180 is amended to read:

Sec. 08.40.180. VIOLATION OF CHAPTER. A person who knowingly violates this chapter, or who knowingly violates a valid rule, regulation, or order of the board [DEPARTMENT], is guilty of a misdemeanor, and upon conviction is punishable by a fine of not more than \$300, or by imprisonment for not more than 60 days or by both.

\* Sec. 11. AS 08.40.200 is amended by adding a new paragraph to read:

(6) "board" means the Board of Electrical Examiners.

\* Sec. 12. AS 39.25.120(c)(9) is amended to read:

(9) the principal executive officer of the following boards, councils, or commissions:

(A) Alaska Public Broadcasting Commission;

(B) Professional Teaching Practices Commission;

(C) Parole Board;

(D) Board of Nursing;

(E) Real Estate Commission;

(F) Alaska Royalty Oil and Gas Development Advisory

1 Board;

2 (G) Alaska Historical Commission;

3 (H) Alaska State Council on the Arts;

4 (I) Alaska Police Standards Council;

5 (J) [REPEALED

6 (K)] Older Alaskans Commission;

7 (K) [(L)] Alaska Mental Health Board;

8 (L) State Medical Board;

9 \* Sec. 13. This Act takes effect July 1, 1988.

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