## Rule Summary and Fiscal Analysis (Part A)

**Board of Nursing** 

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# **AMENDMENT**

TYPE of rule filing

Rule Title/Tag LineCertificate of authority renewal; notification of national<br/>recertification.

## RULE SUMMARY

1. Is the rule being filed for five year review (FYR)? No

2. Are you proposing this rule as a result of recent legislation? Yes

Bill Number: HB188 General Assembly: 131 Sponsor: Reps. Manning and Huffman

3. Statute prescribing the procedure in accordance with the agency is required to adopt the rule: **119.03** 

4. Statute(s) authorizing agency to adopt the rule: **4723.07** 

5. Statute(s) the rule, as filed, amplifies or implements: 4723.42, 4723.47

6. State the reason(s) for proposing (i.e., why are you filing,) this rule:

HB 188, 131st GA, effective March 23, 2016, amended the RN and PN license expiration date from September 1 to November 1 so that the renewal application is due by September 15, or a "late application" may be submitted before the license lapses on November 1. All rules referencing March 1 (beginning of renewal) are

changed from March 1 to July 1. This provides a four-month renewal period as opposed to the six-month period in current rule, however, it would allow for all license fees for renewal to be incurred in the same fiscal year (the State fiscal year begins July 1). The "late processing fee/date" of July 1 needs to change to September 15; the last day to renew date changes from August 31 to October 31; and September 1 changes to November 1. The rule is being changed to reflect recent statutory changes to renewal dates.

7. If the rule is an AMENDMENT, then summarize the changes and the content of the proposed rule; If the rule type is RESCISSION, NEW or NO CHANGE, then summarize the content of the rule:

The rule establishes the requirements to renew a certificate of authority to practice as a certified nurse-midwife, certified nurse practitioner, clinical nurse specialist, or certified registered nurse anesthetists. Changes were made to rule dates to reflect the changes made in HB 188, 131st GA, effective March 23, 2016; to reflect submission of applications online for purposes of clarification; and, to reflect cross-reference to rule 4723-1-03 for ease of public reference.

8. If the rule incorporates a text or other material by reference and the agency claims the incorporation by reference is exempt from compliance with sections 121.71 to 121.74 of the Revised Code because the text or other material is **generally available** to persons who reasonably can be expected to be affected by the rule, provide an explanation of how the text or other material is generally available to those persons:

The rule states that the materials are available to the public at http://www.nursing.ohio.gov/forms.htm and will be cross-referenced in rule 4723-1-03.

9. If the rule incorporates a text or other material by reference, and it was **infeasible** for the agency to file the text or other material electronically, provide an explanation of why filing the text or other material electronically was infeasible:

The material referenced are forms that are readily available on a public website and will be cross-referenced in rule 4723-1-03. Forms contain data (e.g., calendar dates, references to statutes) that are updated from time to time, and it is infeasible, and not a good use of state resources, to file new rules and hold public rule hearings, each time changes are made to forms. In addition, some forms referenced are representative samples, as the forms used by individuals are mailed to them directly and contain secure passwords to access and file the form on the Ohio eLicense Center electronic database, and it is infeasible to attach forms containing personal

identifiers to public rule filings.

10. If the rule is being **rescinded** and incorporates a text or other material by reference, and it was **infeasible** for the agency to file the text or other material, provide an explanation of why filing the text or other material was infeasible:

Not Applicable.

11. If **revising** or **refiling** this rule, identify changes made from the previously filed version of this rule; if none, please state so. If applicable, indicate each specific paragraph of the rule that has been modified:

Not Applicable.

#### 12. Five Year Review (FYR) Date: 10/15/2020

(If the rule is not exempt and you answered NO to question No. 1, provide the scheduled review date. If you answered YES to No. 1, the review date for this rule is the filing date.)

NOTE: If the rule is not exempt at the time of final filing, two dates are required: the current review date plus a date not to exceed 5 years from the effective date for Amended rules or a date not to exceed 5 years from the review date for No Change rules.

## FISCAL ANALYSIS

13. Estimate the total amount by which *this proposed rule* would **increase / decrease** either **revenues / expenditures** for the agency during the current biennium (in dollars): Explain the net impact of the proposed changes to the budget of your agency/department.

This will have no impact on revenues or expenditures.

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14. Identify the appropriation (by line item etc.) that authorizes each expenditure necessitated by the proposed rule:

Not applicable.

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15. Provide a summary of the estimated cost of compliance with the rule to all directly affected persons. When appropriate, please include the source for your information/estimated costs, e.g. industry, CFR, internal/agency:

No cost anticipated.

16. Does this rule have a fiscal effect on school districts, counties, townships, or municipal corporations? No

17. Does this rule deal with environmental protection or contain a component dealing with environmental protection as defined in R. C. 121.39? No

## S.B. 2 (129th General Assembly) Questions

18. Has this rule been filed with the Common Sense Initiative Office pursuant to R.C. 121.82? Yes

19. Specific to this rule, answer the following:

A.) Does this rule require a license, permit, or any other prior authorization to engage in or operate a line of business? Yes

The rule requires a license to renew.

B.) Does this rule impose a criminal penalty, a civil penalty, or another sanction, or create a cause of action, for failure to comply with its terms? Yes

Failure to renew or maintain national certification in an APRN specialty would be practicing without a license and actionable.

C.) Does this rule require specific expenditures or the report of information as a condition of compliance? Yes

The rule requires completion of an application and verification of certain items in order to obtain renewal of licensure or certification.