

Rule Summary and Fiscal Analysis

Part A - General Questions

Rule Number: 4741-1-01

Rule Type: No Change

Rule Title/Tagline: Animal technician duties, registration and continuing education requirements.

Agency Name: State Veterinary Medical Licensing Board

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I. Rule Summary

1. Is this a five year rule review? Yes
 - A. What is the rule's five year review date? 3/4/2019 and 03/04/2024
2. Is this rule the result of recent legislation? No
3. What statute is this rule being promulgated under? 119.03
4. What statute(s) grant rule writing authority? 4741.03(C)(9)
5. What statute(s) does the rule implement or amplify? 4741.19
6. What are the reasons for proposing the rule?

The rule provides guidance to the Registered Veterinary Technician for obtaining and maintaining a license to practice veterinary medicine.

7. Summarize the rule's content, and if this is an amended rule, also summarize the rule's changes.

The Rule defines Registered veterinary technician duties, registration and continuing education requirements.

8. Does the rule incorporate material by reference? No

9. If the rule incorporates material by reference and the agency claims the material is exempt pursuant to R.C. 121.71 to 121.76, please explain the basis for the exemption and how an individual can find the referenced material.

Not Applicable

10. If revising or re-filing the rule, please indicate the changes made in the revised or re-filed version of the rule.

Not Applicable

II. Fiscal Analysis

11. As a result of this proposed rule, please estimate the increase / decrease in revenues or expenditures affecting this agency, or the state generally, in the current biennium or future years. If the proposed rule is likely to have a different fiscal effect in future years, please describe the expected difference and operation.

This will have no impact on revenues or expenditures.

\$0.00

Not applicable

12. What are the estimated costs of compliance for all persons and/or organizations directly affected by the rule?

The initial cost for a registered veterinary technician license is \$35.00. The renewal cost every two years is \$35.00.

13. Does the rule increase local government costs? (If yes, you must complete an RSFA Part B). No

14. Does the rule regulate environmental protection? (If yes, you must complete an RSFA Part C). No

III. Common Sense Initiative (CSI) Questions

15. Was this rule filed with the Common Sense Initiative Office? Yes

16. Does this rule have an adverse impact on business? No

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

A registered veterinary technician must obtain a license to practice veterinary medicine in the State of Ohio.

- 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? No**

There is a law (ORC 4741.99) which prescribes the type of cause of action for practicing veterinary medicine without a license.

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

The law requires the registered veterinary technician to obtain 10 hours of continuing education in order to renew. The rule merely repeats the requirement as stated in ORC 4741.19(C)