

Rule Summary and Fiscal Analysis (Part A)**Ohio Occupational Therapy, Physical Therapy, And Athletic Trainers Board**

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Rule Number

NEW

TYPE of rule filing

Rule Title/Tag Line

Fee for restoration of an escrowed license.**RULE SUMMARY**

1. Is the rule being filed consistent with the requirements of the RC 119.032 review? **No**

2. Are you proposing this rule as a result of recent legislation? **No**

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: **4755.05**

5. Statute(s) the rule, as filed, amplifies or implements: **4755.05, 4755.09, 4755.11**

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

To put the restoration fee into its own rule and to clarify the amount of the fee, which is currently based on a sliding scale. In addition to being difficult for the board and the licensee to determine the exact amount of the fee, this change will make processing restoration applications administratively easier.

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 fee to restore an escrowed license. The fee is set at \$80. The existing restoration fee, which is located in rule 4755-5-03, is the biennial renewal fee prorated for the balance of the current licensure period, but not less than one-eighth of the regular charge for active license renewal.

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:

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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:

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 If the rule is being **rescinded** and incorporates a text or other material by reference, and it was **infeasible** for the agency to file the text or other material, provide an explanation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

Not Applicable.

12. 119.032 Rule Review Date:

(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 increase revenues.

1000.00

The board would see a potential increase of approximately \$1000 over the biennium as a result of this change. However, by moving from a sliding scale fee to a fixed fee, it will enhance the board's ability to administer the restoration process.

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

890-608 (Fund 4K9)

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:

Under the current rule, licensees restoring a license need to pay \$60 if they renewed their escrowed license that year or they would pay \$3.34 per month if they renewed their escrowed license the previous year. As a result of this change, individuals may end up paying \$20 to \$40 more to restore an escrowed license. Based on historical trends, approximately 20 individuals restore a license per year.

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**