

Department of Agriculture, Kansas Board of Veterinary Examiners
Notice of Hearing on Proposed Administrative Regulation

A public hearing will be conducted at 10:00 a.m., Monday, May 2, 2016, in the 1st floor meeting room 124 of the Kansas Department of Agriculture, 1320 Research Park Dr., Manhattan, Kansas, to consider the adoption of a proposed regulation.

This 60-day notice of the public hearing shall constitute a public comment period for the purpose of receiving written public comments on the proposed regulation. All interested parties may submit written comments prior to the hearing to the Secretary of Agriculture, 1320 Research Park Dr., Manhattan, Kansas, 66502, or by e-mail at ronda.hutton@kda.ks.gov. All interested parties will be given a reasonable opportunity to present their views orally on the adoption of the proposed regulation during the hearing. In order to give all parties an opportunity to present their views, it may be necessary to request that each participant limit any oral presentation to five minutes. This regulation is proposed for adoption on a permanent basis. A summary of the proposed regulation and its economic impact follows:

K.A.R. 70-5-1 establishes fees applicable to veterinary licensees.

Economic Impact Statement:

The amendment to K.A.R. 70-5-1 eliminates fees no longer applicable, and establishes new fees necessitated by statutory creation of a new license category.

None of the proposed regulation revisions are mandated by federal law. K.A.R. 70-5-1 establishes a fee for institutional licenses, following a statutory change that creates this license beginning in 2016.

K.A.R. 70-5-1 will have an economic impact associated on KDA as follows: Subsection (d): This will increase revenue to KDA by approximately \$2000 per year. Subsections (l) and (m): Issuance and renewal of institutional veterinary licenses will increase revenue to KDA by approximately \$3500 the first year, and \$2000 in subsequent years.

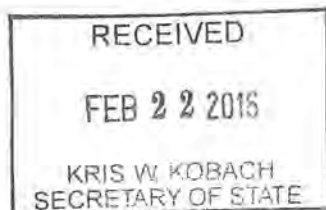
K.A.R. 70-5-1 should have an economic impact on individuals as follows: Subsection (d) will increase license renewal fee of veterinarians should they renew late by \$50 per year. Subsections (l) and (m) will have an economic impact on the Kansas State College of Veterinary Medicine and practitioner-faculty members associated with issuance and renewal of institutional veterinary licenses, in the amount of \$50 per license issued and \$25 per license renewed.

This regulation amendment is implementing a statutory change in 2015, creating the institutional license. The fee amount was determined based on discussions between the KDA/KBVE and the KSU College of Veterinary Medicine. No other less costly methods were considered.

No environmental impact is expected as a result of this amendment.

Any individual with a disability may request accommodations in order to participate in the public hearing and may request the proposed regulation and impact statement in an accessible format. Requests for accommodations should be made at least five working days in advance of the hearing by contacting Ronda Hutton at (785) 564-6715 or fax (785) 564-6777. Handicapped parking is located on the west side of the building located at 1320 Research Park Drive, Manhattan, and the west entrance to the building is accessible to individuals with disabilities.

Copies of the regulation and economic impact statement may be obtained by contacting the Department of Agriculture, Ronda M. Hutton, 1320 Research Park Drive, Manhattan, KS 66502 or (785) 564-6715 or by accessing the department's Web site at agriculture.ks.gov. Comments may also be made through our website under the proposed regulation.



Jackie McClaskey
Secretary
Kansas Department of Agriculture

K.A.R. 70-5-1. Amount of fees. The following fees shall be charged:

- (a) Veterinary medicine license; application \$125.00
- (b) ~~Veterinary medicine license; application with national board examination application fee.....~~ \$ 75.00
- (c) ~~National board examination; application fee.....~~ \$ 50.00
- (d) ~~Veterinary medicine license; annual renewal.....~~ \$ 95.00
- (e) (c) Veterinary medicine license renewal if renewal is for an initial license that was issued after April 30 of the preceding license year \$ 20.00
- (f) (d) Veterinary medicine license; late renewal penalty~~\$ 50.00~~ \$100.00
- (g) (e) Veterinary premises registration; application..... \$ 75.00
- (h) (f) Veterinary premises registration; renewal..... \$ 50.00
- (i) (g) Veterinary premises registration; late renewal penalty..... \$ 50.00
- (j) (h) Veterinary premises; initial inspection..... \$ 75.00
- (k) (i) Veterinary premises; noncompliance inspections..... \$100.00
- (l) (j) Veterinary technician registration; application..... \$ 20.00
- (m) (k) Veterinary technician registration; renewal..... \$ 10.00
- (l) Institutional license; application \$ 50.00
- (m) Institutional license; annual renewal..... \$ 25.00

(Authorized by K.S.A. ~~2015~~ 2015 Supp. 47-821; and ~~K.S.A. 2006~~ 2015 Supp. 47-822, ~~K.S.A. 47-829~~, ~~K.S.A. 2006~~ 2015 Supp. 47-840; implementing K.S.A. ~~2006~~ 2015 Supp. 47-822, ~~K.S.A. 47-829~~, and ~~K.S.A. 2006~~ 2015 Supp. 47-840; effective May 1, 1985; amended, T-70-6-13-88, June 13, 1988; amended July 3, 1989; amended May 23, 1994; amended Feb. 21, 1997; amended April 9, 2004; amended Dec. 21, 2007; amended P-_____.)

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**KANSAS DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE
IMPACT STATEMENT
AMENDMENTS TO PERMANENT REGULATION
K.A.R. 70-5-1**

I. Summary of Proposed Regulation, Including Its Purpose.

The amendment to K.A.R. 70-5-1 eliminates fees no longer applicable, and establishes new fees necessitated by statutory creation of a new license category.

II. Reason Or Reasons The Proposed Regulation Is Required, Including Whether Or Not The Regulation Is Mandated By Federal Law.

None of the proposed regulation revisions are mandated by federal law. K.A.R. 70-5-1 establishes a fee for institutional licenses, following a statutory change that creates this license beginning in 2016.

III. Anticipated Economic Impact Upon The Kansas Department Of Agriculture.

K.A.R. 70-5-1 will have an economic impact associated on KDA as follows:

Subsection (d): This will increase revenue to KDA by approximately \$2000 per year.

Subsections (l) and (m): Issuance and renewal of institutional veterinary licenses will increase revenue to KDA by approximately \$3500 the first year, and \$2000 in subsequent years.

IV. Anticipated Financial Impact Upon Other Governmental Agencies And Upon Private Business Or Individuals.

K.A.R. 70-5-1 should have an economic impact on individuals as follows:

Subsection (d): This will increase license renewal fee of veterinarians should they renew late by \$50 per year.

Subsections (l) and (m): These subsections will have an economic impact on the Kansas State College of Veterinary Medicine and practitioner-faculty members associated with issuance and renewal of institutional veterinary licenses, in the amount of \$50 per license issued and \$25 per license renewed.

V. Less Costly or Intrusive Methods That Were Considered, But Rejected, And The Reason For Rejection.

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VI. Environmental Impact

No environmental impact is expected as a result of this amendment.

