## Chapter PT 8

## **BIENNIAL LICENSE RENEWAL**

PT 8.01 Authority and purpose. PT 8.05 Requirements for late renewal and reinstatement. PT 8.02 Renewal required; method of renewal.

**PT 8.01 Authority and purpose.** The rules in this chapter are adopted by the board pursuant to the authority delegated by ss. 15.08 (5) (b), 227.11 (2) and 448.53, Stats., and govern biennial renewal of licensees of the board.

**History:** Cr. Register, September, 1995, No. 477, eff. 10–1–95; am., Register, June, 1998, No. 510, eff. 7–1–98; CR 03–020: am. Register April 2004 No. 580, eff. 5–1–04.

**PT 8.02 Renewal required; method of renewal.** Each licensee shall renew his or her license biennially with the department. Each licensee shall complete a renewal application form and return it with the required fee to the department prior to the next succeeding March 1.

**History:** Cr. Register, September, 1995, No. 477, eff. 10–1–95; am., Register, June, 1998, No. 510, eff. 7–1–98; CR 13–007: am. Register November 2013 No. 695, eff. 12–1–13; CR 15–027: am. Register January 2016 No. 721, eff. 2–1–16.

- **PT 8.05** Requirements for late renewal and reinstatement. A license shall expire if it is not renewed by March 1 of each odd–numbered year, except for temporary licenses granted pursuant to ch. PT 3. A licensee who allows their license to expire may apply to the board to renew or reinstate their license by completing one of the following:
- (1) RENEWAL BEFORE 5 YEARS. If the licensee applies for renewal of the license less than 5 years after its expiration, the license shall be renewed upon payment of the renewal fee and completion of the continuing education requirements specified in ch. PT 9.

- (2) RENEWAL AFTER 5 YEARS OR MORE. If the licensee applies for renewal of the license more than 5 years after its expiration, the board shall make inquiry as it finds necessary to determine whether the applicant is competent to practice under the license in this state, and shall impose any reasonable conditions on renewal of the license, including oral examination, as the board deems appropriate. All applicants under this paragraph shall be required to pass the open book examination on statutes and rules, which is the same examination given to initial applicants. This section does not apply to licensees who have unmet disciplinary requirements or whose licenses have been surrendered or revoked.
- (3) REINSTATEMENT. A licensee who has unmet disciplinary requirements and failed to renew within 5 years of the renewal date or whose license has been surrendered or revoked, may apply to have the license reinstated in accordance with all of the following:
- (a) Evidence of the completion of the requirements under s. PT = 8.05 (2).
- (b) Evidence of completion of disciplinary requirements, if applicable.
- (c) Evidence of rehabilitation or change in circumstances warranting reinstatement of the license.

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