ENGINEERING AND LAND SURVEYING EXAMINING BOARD[193C]

Notice of Intended Action

Twenty-five interested persons, a governmental subdivision, an agency or association of 25 or more persons may demand an oral presentation hereon as provided in Iowa Code section 17A.4(1)"b."

Notice is also given to the public that the Administrative Rules Review Committee may, on its own motion or on written request by any individual or group, review this proposed action under section 17A.8(6) at a regular or special meeting where the public or interested persons may be heard.

Pursuant to the authority of Iowa Code section 542B.6, the Engineering and Land Surveying Examining Board proposes to amend Chapter 5, "Land Surveying Licensure," Iowa Administrative Code.

For Iowa State Specific Land Surveying examination candidates, this amendment allows examinees ample time, after two successive failing scores, to acquire the necessary skill and knowledge to pass the state-specific examination.

Any interested person may make written or oral suggestions or comments on the proposed amendment on or before July 20, 2011. Comments should be directed to Robert Lampe, Executive Officer, Iowa Engineering and Land Surveying Examining Board, 1920 SE Hulsizer Road, Ankeny, Iowa 50021; by telephone at (515)281-7360; or by E-mail to robert.lampe@iowa.gov.

A public hearing will be held on Wednesday, July 20, 2011, from 9 to 11 a.m. at the offices of the Professional Licensing Bureau, 1920 SE Hulsizer Road, Ankeny, Iowa. At the hearing, persons who wish to speak will be asked to give their names and addresses for the record and to confine their remarks to the subject of the proposed amendment.

Any person who plans to attend the public hearing and has special requirements, such as those related to hearing or mobility impairments, should contact the Board to discuss specific needs.

This amendment is subject to waiver or variance pursuant to 193—Chapter 5.

This amendment was approved by the Board on May 12, 2011.

After analysis and review of this rule making, no impact on jobs has been found.

This amendment is intended to implement Iowa Code sections 542B.13 and 542B.14.

The following amendment is proposed.

Amend paragraph 5.1(8)"e" as follows:

- *e. Reexamination.* An applicant who fails an examination may request reexamination at the next examination period without reapplication.
 - (1) to (3) No change.
- (4) An applicant who has failed two consecutive examinations of the state-specific portion of the professional land surveying examination shall not be allowed to retake the state-specific portion for the next two years in order for the applicant to acquire the necessary skill and knowledge to successfully pass the examination.