

This misconception was reinforced by the erroneous reference to "the practice of engineering as a[n] ... engineer-in-training" in the disciplinary ground set forth under former Art. 75 1/2, § 17(a)(2). The substituted language gives effect to the intended purpose of the former provisions, without using the term "engineer-in-training". The emphasis of the new language is on the right to take the examination early and the procedures that relate to that right. To the casual reader, the extreme changes in organization and language may appear to effect changes in substance. The substituted language does not, however; it merely achieves the same substantive purpose with more simplicity and clarity.

Subsection (b)(1) of this section is based on the third sentence of former Art. 75 1/2, § 14(a), as enacted by Ch. 47, Acts of 1985. That former sentence specified only the right to take the examination; it did not set forth provisions for making application for the examination or any provision on the effect of passing or failing the examination. However, it was the purpose of Ch. 47, Acts of 1985, to apply the same procedures and to obtain the same consequences under this provision as those procedures and consequences that formerly pertained to an individual who applied to be an engineer-in-training -- i.e., to an individual who applied for early examination under subsection (b)(2) of this section. The language of this section, therefore, clearly provides that all of the provisions that apply to an applicant for examination under subsection (b)(2) of this section also apply to an applicant under (b)(1) of this section.

Defined terms: "Board" § 14-101  
"License" § 14-101

#### 14-311. WAIVER OF EXAMINATION REQUIREMENTS.

##### (A) IN GENERAL.

SUBJECT TO THE PROVISIONS OF THIS SECTION, THE BOARD MAY WAIVE ANY EXAMINATION REQUIREMENT OF THIS SUBTITLE FOR AN INDIVIDUAL WHO IS LICENSED TO PRACTICE ENGINEERING IN ANOTHER STATE.

##### (B) CONDITIONS.

THE BOARD MAY GRANT A WAIVER UNDER THIS SECTION ONLY IF THE APPLICANT:

- (1) IS OF GOOD CHARACTER AND REPUTATION;