

(3) THE LAWS OF THE STATE THAT RELATE TO THE ACTIVITIES OF A FRATERNAL BENEFIT AGENT.

(D) FEE.

THE EXAMINATION FEE IS \$15 FOR EACH EXAMINATION.

REVISOR'S NOTE: This section is new language derived without substantive change from former Art. 48A, § 344E(3).

In subsections (a) and (c)(3) of this section, the defined term "fraternal benefit agent" is substituted for the former references to a "fraternal insurance agent" to use the defined term.

Defined terms: "Certificate of qualification" § 8-401
"Commissioner" § 1-101
"Fraternal benefit agent" § 8-401
"Insurance" § 1-101
"Policy" § 1-101
"Society" § 8-401

8-452. ISSUANCE OF CERTIFICATE OF QUALIFICATION.

THE COMMISSIONER SHALL ISSUE A CERTIFICATE OF QUALIFICATION TO EACH APPLICANT WHO MEETS THE REQUIREMENTS OF THIS SUBTITLE.

REVISOR'S NOTE: This section is new language derived without substantive change from former Art. 48A, § 344E(1), as it related to issuing a certificate.

The word "shall" is substituted for the former word "may" to clarify that the Commissioner's authority is not discretionary if the applicant has complied with the requirements of this subtitle.

Defined terms: "Certificate of qualification" § 8-401
"Commissioner" § 1-101

8-453. SCOPE OF CERTIFICATE OF QUALIFICATION.

A CERTIFICATE OF QUALIFICATION AUTHORIZES THE HOLDER TO ACT AS A FRATERNAL BENEFIT AGENT FOR A SOCIETY AUTHORIZED TO DO INSURANCE BUSINESS IN THE STATE.

REVISOR'S NOTE: This section is new language derived without substantive change from former Art. 48A, § 344E(1), except as it related to a biennial fee and to issuing a certificate.

Defined terms: "Certificate of qualification" § 8-401
"Fraternal benefit agent" § 8-401
"Society" § 8-401

8-454. TERM AND RENEWAL OF CERTIFICATE OF QUALIFICATION.

(A) TERM OF CERTIFICATE.