

7-308.1.

(A) A PERSONAL REPRESENTATIVE OF A DECEASED MORTICIAN'S ESTATE SHALL BE LICENSED BY THE BOARD BEFORE CONTINUING OPERATION OF THE MORTUARY SCIENCE BUSINESS.

(B) THE BOARD SHALL ISSUE AN EXECUTOR LICENSE TO AN APPLICANT IF THE APPLICANT:

(1) IS THE APPOINTED PERSONAL REPRESENTATIVE OF A DECEASED MORTICIAN'S ESTATE IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE REQUIREMENTS ESTABLISHED IN TITLE 5 OF THE ESTATES AND TRUSTS ARTICLE;

~~(2) IS NOT A LICENSED MORTICIAN OR A LICENSED FUNERAL DIRECTOR;~~

~~(3)~~ (2) SUBMITS TO THE BOARD, WITHIN 30 DAYS OF THE DEATH OF THE LICENSED MORTICIAN OR FUNERAL DIRECTOR, WRITTEN VERIFICATION OF THE DEATH OF THE LICENSEE, WRITTEN VERIFICATION OF APPOINTMENT AS A PERSONAL REPRESENTATIVE, AND THE APPLICATION REQUIRED BY THE BOARD; AND

~~(4)~~ (3) PAYS A FEE SET BY THE BOARD.

(C) NOTHING IN THIS SECTION SHALL PREVENT A PERSONAL REPRESENTATIVE FROM SELLING THE MORTUARY SCIENCE BUSINESS THAT WAS OPERATED AND WHOLLY OR PARTLY OWNED BY THE LICENSED FUNERAL DIRECTOR OR LICENSED MORTICIAN.

(D) EXCEPT AS PROVIDED IN SUBSECTION (C) OF THIS SECTION, WHILE AN EXECUTOR LICENSE IS EFFECTIVE, IT AUTHORIZES THE LICENSEE TO:

(1) CONTINUE OPERATION OF THE MORTUARY SCIENCE BUSINESS THAT HAD BEEN OPERATED AND WHOLLY OR PARTLY OWNED BY THE DECEASED MORTICIAN OR FUNERAL DIRECTOR.

(2) ASSIST WITH THE PLANNING AND CONDUCTING OF FUNERAL SERVICES FOR THAT MORTUARY SCIENCE BUSINESS.

(E) THE BOARD MAY ISSUE A LICENSE UNDER THIS SECTION ONLY IF:

(1) THE BUSINESS IS OPERATED UNDER THE DIRECT SUPERVISION OF A LICENSED MORTICIAN; AND

(2) THE EMBALMING SERVICES ARE PROVIDED BY A LICENSED MORTICIAN.

(F) NOTWITHSTANDING THE PROVISIONS OF § 7-314 OF THIS SUBTITLE, AN EXECUTOR LICENSE IS VALID FOR SIX MONTHS FROM THE DATE OF ISSUANCE AND MAY NOT BE RENEWED OR REINSTATED AFTER EXPIRATION.

(G) A PERSONAL REPRESENTATIVE WHO WISHES TO CONTINUE OPERATION OF A MORTUARY SCIENCE BUSINESS UPON EXPIRATION OF THE EXECUTOR LICENSE