FULL NOTICE OF INTENT TO AMEND ADMINISTRATIVE RULES

TAKE NOTICE that the Municipal Facilities Division of the North Dakota Department of Environmental Quality will hold a public hearing to address proposed amendment to N.D. Admin. Code § 33.1-19-01-06 Fees for Certification at 10:00 am on Monday, July, 12 2021, at 2639 East Main Ave, Bismarck ND. The purpose of the proposed amendment is to increase certification fees from ten dollars per examination and five dollars per certificate renewal to fifty dollars per examination and twenty-five dollars per certificate renewal. The proposed amendment address(es) the increase of fees for examination and certificate renewal.

The proposed amendment is not expected to have an impact on the regulated community more than \$50,000.

The proposed rules may be reviewed at the Department's office located at 2639 East Main Ave, Bismarck, ND 58501, Environmental Training Center or on the Department's website at: https://deq.nd.gov/PublicNotice.aspx. A copy of the proposed rules may be requested by writing the above address, 2639 East Main Ave, Bismarck ND 58501, emailing swheinle@nd.gov, or calling 701-328-6627. Written, or oral comments on the proposed rules sent to the above address, email address, or telephone number and received by July 23, 2021 will be fully considered.

If you plan to attend the public hearing and will need special facilities or assistance relating to a disability, please contact the Municipal Facilities Division at the above telephone number or address at least **5 days** prior to the public hearing.

Dated this 6th day of May 2021.

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NORTH DAKOTA DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY

CHAPTER 33.1-19-01

Section

33.1-19-01-06 Fees for Certification

33.1-19-01-06. Fees for certification.

- 1. Fees for certification are fifty dollars per examination.
- 2. Fees for annual renewals are twenty-five dollars per certificate.
- 3. The certification fee from a qualified applicant is nonrefundable and must be received by the department prior to the examination. Applicants will be notified of the results of the examinations. Papers and test material remain the property of the department. Applicants may, upon request, review the results with the department.
- 4. Fees received from operators whose application for certification has been rejected will be returned.

History: Effective January 1, 2019. General Authority: NDCC 23.1-07-06

Law Implemented: NDCC 23.1-07-05, 23.1-07-06