



1 HB70

ACT #2024 - 89

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3 By Representative McCampbell

4 RFD: Health

5 First Read: 06-Feb-24

6 PFD: 30-Jan-24





1 Enrolled, An Act,

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3 Relating to the Board of Dental Examiners of Alabama;
4 to add Section 34-9-10.01 to the Code of Alabama 1975; to
5 authorize the board to issue special volunteer licenses to
6 allow eligible nonresident dentists and dental hygienists to
7 practice in this state for a limited time under the
8 supervision of a licensed dentist in connection with an
9 organized charitable event; and to amend Section 34-9-16, Code
10 of Alabama 1975, to increase the annual dental hygiene
11 registration fee and to establish a fee for the issuance of
12 special volunteer licenses.

13 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF ALABAMA:

14 Section 1. Section 34-9-10.01 is added to the Code of
15 Alabama 1975, to read as follows:

16 §34-9-10.01 Special Volunteer License

17 (a) The board may issue a special volunteer license to
18 practice dentistry or dental hygiene, or both, in this state
19 pursuant to this section.

20 (b) The board may issue or deny issuance of a special
21 volunteer license, and the denial, suspension, restriction,
22 limitation, or revocation of a special volunteer license does
23 not require a contested case proceeding under the Alabama
24 Administrative Procedure Act.

25 (c) An applicant for a special volunteer license shall
26 satisfy all of the following:

27 (1) Hold an active, full, and unrestricted license to
28 practice dentistry or dental hygiene, as applicable, in



29 another state or the District of Columbia and not be subject
30 to any pending disciplinary action by any applicable licensing
31 authority.

32 (2) Submit to the board a completed application and a
33 fee prescribed by the board.

34 (d) The scope of practice authorized by a special
35 volunteer license to practice dentistry or dental hygiene, or
36 both, shall be the scope of practice for dentists and dental
37 hygienists prescribed by this chapter. This chapter and the
38 rules adopted by the board pursuant to this chapter are
39 applicable to any holder of a special volunteer license, and a
40 holder of a special volunteer license is deemed to have
41 submitted to the disciplinary jurisdiction of the board for
42 purposes of any disciplinary action arising out of his or her
43 activities within this state.

44 (e) (1) A special volunteer license authorizes the
45 holder to provide dental or dental hygiene treatment, or both,
46 as applicable, in connection with an organized charitable
47 event at a specific location approved in advance by the board.
48 Each organized charitable event shall have at least one
49 Alabama licensed dentist who regularly practices dentistry in
50 this state who shall be the responsible custodian of all
51 record of treatment provided in connection with the event.

52 (2) All treatment provided by a holder of a special
53 volunteer license shall be provided under the direct
54 supervision of at least one Alabama licensed dentist who
55 regularly practices dentistry in this state, and each record
56 of treatment shall specifically identify the supervising



57 licensed dentist.

58 (3) The holder of a special volunteer license shall not
59 solicit, receive, or accept any compensation, remuneration, or
60 gratuity of any kind in connection with the provision of
61 dental or dental hygiene treatment in this state other than
62 reimbursement for actual expenses incurred.

63 (4) A holder of a special volunteer license is not
64 eligible to receive an Alabama controlled substance
65 certificate or any permit to perform sedation or anesthesia.

66 (f) A special volunteer license shall be valid for up
67 to 15 calendar days, at the discretion of the board, within
68 the 30-day period following the date of issuance and shall
69 expire automatically by operation of law on the 31st day
70 following issuance. The board, upon application, may renew a
71 special volunteer license for no more than 15 calendar days
72 each.

73 (g) The board may adopt rules as necessary to implement
74 this section.

75 Section 2. Section 34-9-16 of the Code of Alabama 1975,
76 is amended to read as follows:

77 "§34-9-16

78 The board shall establish and collect reasonable fees
79 provided for in this chapter within the ranges set forth below
80 and without having to engage in the rulemaking process:

81	Description	Not More Than
82	Dental Examination Application Fee	\$750.00
83	Dental Examination Fee	\$2,500.00

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84	Dental Examination Materials Fee	\$500.00
85	Dental Licensure by Credentials Application Fee	\$4,000.00
86	Dental Licensure by Regional Exam Application Fee	\$1,000.00
87	Special Purpose Licensure Fee	\$750.00
88	Special Purpose Licensure Renewal Fee	\$750.00
89	Dental Annual Registration Fee	\$500.00
90	Dental License Reinstatement Penalty	\$500.00
91	Dental Hygiene Program Application Fee	\$500.00
92	Alabama Dental Hygiene Training Permit Fee	\$450.00
93	Alabama Dental Hygiene Training Education Fee	\$600.00
94	Alabama Dental Hygiene Program Instructor Certification	
95		\$200.00
96	Course Fee	
97	Alabama Dental Hygiene Program Instructional Materials Fee	\$950.00
98	Dental Hygiene By Regional Exam Application Fee	\$500.00
99	Dental Hygiene Examination Application Fee	\$500.00
100	Dental Hygiene Examination Fee	\$600.00
101	Dental Hygiene Examination Materials Fee	\$400.00
102	Dental Hygiene Licensure by Credentials Fee	\$2,000.00
103	Dental Hygiene Annual Registration Fee	\$75.00 <u>\$150.00</u>
104	Dental Hygiene License Reinstatement Penalty	\$200.00
105	Dental Hygiene Infiltration Anesthesia Permit Fee	\$250.00
106	Dental Hygiene Infiltration Anesthesia Renewal Fee	\$250.00
107	License Certificate Fee	\$500.00

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108	Duplicate or Replacement License Fee	\$150.00
109	Dental Faculty Teaching Permit Fee	\$350.00
110	Dental Faculty Special Teaching Permit Fee	\$500.00
111	Alabama Controlled Substance Permit Fee	\$400.00
112	Alabama Controlled Substance Permit Renewal Fee	\$400.00
113	General Anesthesia Permit Fee	\$1,500.00
114	General Anesthesia Permit Renewal Fee	\$750.00
115	Parenteral Sedation Permit Fee	\$1,500.00
116	Parenteral Sedation Permit Renewal Fee	\$750.00
117	Oral Conscious Sedation Permit Fee	\$250.00
118	Oral Conscious Sedation Permit Renewal Fee	\$250.00
119	Mobile Dental Application/Inspection Fee	\$1,500.00
120	Mobile Dental Renewal Fee	\$1,500.00
121	Mobile Dental Facility/Portable Dental Operation Application	
122	for Certificate of Registration Fee	\$750.00
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124	Mobile Dental Facility/Portable Dental Operation Renewal of	
125	Certificate of Registration Fee	\$500.00
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127	Alabama Impaired Dental Professionals Committee Annual	
128	Monitoring Fee	\$2,000.00
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130	<u>Special Volunteer License - Dentistry</u>	<u>\$150.00</u>
131	<u>Special Volunteer License - Dental Hygiene</u>	<u>\$150.00"</u>
132	Section 3. This act shall become effective on October	
133	1, 2024.	



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Speaker of the House of Representatives

President and Presiding Officer of the Senate

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I hereby certify that the within Act originated in and was passed by the House 29-Feb-24.

John Treadwell
Clerk

Senate

09-Apr-24

Passed

APPROVED

4-17-2024

TIME

3:15 pm

GOVERNOR

Alabama Secretary Of State

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ADDITIONAL SIGNATURES OF CO-SPONSORS

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HOUSE ACTION
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REPORT OF 2ND STANDING COMMITTEE
 This bill having been referred by the House to its standing committee on _____ was acted upon by such a committee in session, and returned therefrom to the House with the recommendation that it be Passed, w/amend(s) _____ w/sub _____ this _____ day of _____, 20____, Chair _____

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
 R. 3 at length and passed
 Yeas 22 Nays 13 Abs 1
 Date 2/24/04
 JOHN TREADWELL, Clerk

SENATE ACTION
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This bill having been referred to the Committee on Rules pursuant to Senate Rule 23 is reported to the Senate for assignment to the Committee on: _____ This _____ day of _____, 20____

Signed (Committee Chair) _____

Date: _____ Referred

Committee _____

DATE: _____ 20____

RE-REFERRED RE-COMMITTED
 Committee _____

This Bill was referred to the Standing Committee of the Senate on _____

and was acted upon by such Committee in session and is by order of the Committee returned therefrom with a favorable report w/amd(s) _____ w/sub _____ w/leng sub _____ by a vote of _____ yeas _____ nays _____ abstain _____ this _____ day of _____, 20____, Chair _____

DATE: _____ 20____
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