OCCUPATIONAL LICENSING ADVISORY COMMISSION

Special Meeting
November 5, 2020 at 9:00 am
Association of County Commissioners
429 NE 50th, OKC

According to Oklahoma City Ordinance No. 6514, all persons shall wear face coverings when entering and while inside any indoor place open to the public.

I. Call to Order
Leslie Osborn to call meeting to order and acknowledge handouts.

II. Introduction of Occupational Licensing Advisory Commission (“OLAC”) Members

III. Roll Call
Ruth Neville, Staff

IV. Statement of Compliance with Open Meetings Act
Ruth Neville

V. Approval of November 4, 2019 Meeting Minutes
Leslie Osborn

VI. Discussion, Recommendations, and Public Action/Vote on All Licenses Reviewed in 2020 by the OLAC Commission
Leslie Osborn

OLAC Commission and public discussion, with Commission action/vote on recommendations regarding all licenses reviewed by the OLAC Commission in 2020. The OLAC Commission shall vote on whether to recommend licenses be maintained, modified, or repealed. OLAC Commission’s recommendations shall be provided in a written report to the Governor, President Pro Tempore of the Senate, and the Speaker of the House of Representatives, in accordance with 40 O.S. § 800.1.

Licenses to be discussed, with legislative recommendations, are listed below (and in separate attachment), but may not necessarily be discussed in the order listed:

August 6, 2020 Occupational Licenses

Corporation Commission
1. Pipe Pulling & Well Plugging
2. Petroleum Storage Tank (PST) AST License
3. PST Environmental Consultant
4. PST Vapor Monitoring Well Technician
5. PST Monitoring Well Technician for Ground Water
6. PST Underground Storage Tank Installer
7. PST Underground Storage Tank Remover

Department Of Education
8. Teaching Certificates and Licenses

Department of Environmental Quality
9. On-Site Sewage Treatment System Installer Certification
10. Septage Tank Pumpers and Transporters
11. Certified Soil Profiler
12. Industrial Radiographer Certification
13. Lead-Based Paint Supervisor
14. Lead-Based Paint Inspector
15. Lead-Based Paint Risk Assessor
16. Lead-Based Paint Abatement Worker
17. Lead-Based Paint Project Designer
18. Waterworks and Wastewater Operator Certification
   D-A Operator Certification
19. Waterworks and Wastewater Works Operator Certification
   Distribution/Collection Tech
20. Waterworks and Wastewater Laboratory Operator Certification
   C-A Lab Certification

Fire Marshall
21. Fireworks Outdoor Display Operator
22. Fire Extinguisher licenses: Qualified Agent, Technician, Salesperson, Trainee

September 3, 2020 Occupational Licenses

Department of Labor
23. Alarm/Locksmith/Fire Sprinkler (Company) Manager
24. Alarm/Locksmith/Fire Sprinkler Salesperson
25. Alarm/Locksmith/Fire Sprinkler Technician
26. Alarm/Locksmith/Fire Sprinkler Trainee
27. Alternative Fuels Equipment Technician
28. Alternative Fuels Compression Technician
29. Asbestos Contractor
30. Asbestos Inspector
31. Asbestos Management Planner
32. Asbestos Project Designer
33. Asbestos Abatement Supervisor
34. Asbestos Worker
35. Boiler/Pressure Vessel Operator
36. Elevator Apprentice
37. Elevator Certificate Inspector
38. Elevator Mechanic License
39. Elevator Special Inspector License
40. Elevator Witness Inspector License

Department of Mines
41. Blaster, Surface
42. Hoisting Engineer, Underground
43. Mine Fire Boss (Underground)
44. Mine Foreman (Underground)
45. Mine Shot Firer (Underground)
46. Mine Superintendent (Underground)
47. Mine Surface Supervisor
48. Miner, Practical (Underground)

Oklahoma Board of Optometry
42. Optometry

Oklahoma Board of Pharmacy
43. Pharmacists
44. Pharmacy Technician
VII. Discussion, Recommendation, and Public Action/Vote on New Occupational License – Licensed Midwife

OLAC Commission and public discussion, with Commission action/vote on recommendations regarding the Licensed Midwife License enacted through Senate Bill No. 1823, effective November 1, 2019.


OLAC Commission and public discussion, with Commission action/vote on recommendations regarding the following specific licenses carried forward from 2019:

i. Certified Micropigmentologist License, issued by the Oklahoma State Department of Health;

ii. Whether insurance reimbursement for services rendered by or through any of the following occupations is contingent upon the occupation being licensed by the Oklahoma Board of Medical Licensure and Supervision: Anesthesiologist Assistant; Licensed Dietitian; Provisional Licensed Dietitian; Prosthetist/Orthotist; Registered Prosthetist/Orthotist Assistant; Registered Prosthetist/Orthotist Technician; Pedorthist; Radiologist Assistant; Registered Electrologist; Therapeutic Recreation Specialist; and Licensed Professional Music Therapist;

iii. Licensed Tattoo Artist, and Body Piercing Artist, issued by the Oklahoma State Department of Health; Cosmetologist, Facialist, and Manicurist, issued by the Oklahoma State Board of Cosmetology and Barbering; Embalmer and Funeral Director, issued by the Oklahoma Funeral Board; and Home Inspector, issued by the Oklahoma Construction Industries Board;

iv. Employee Alcoholic Beverage License, consideration of whether the Retail Alcoholic Beverage License has been amended to include employers’ legal obligation to provide employee training regarding the requirements/restrictions of the Oklahoma Alcoholic Beverage Control Act. Each license being issued through the Oklahoma ABLE Commission;

v. Oklahoma Water Resources Board (“OWRB”)’s restructuring and streamlining, if any, of: License to perform commercial drilling or plugging of groundwater wells including test drilling for groundwater, and commercial drilling or plugging of fresh water observation wells; License to perform commercial drilling or plugging of monitoring wells and site assessment wells, and drilling or plugging of geotechnical borings; License to perform commercial installation of water well pumps, and; License to perform
commercial drilling or plugging of wells utilized for heat exchange purposes;

vi. Potential combination of the Certified Registered Nurse Anesthetist ("CRNA") and Anesthesiologist Assistant licenses, issued by the Oklahoma Board of Nursing and the Oklahoma Board of Medical Licensure and Supervision, respectively.

IX. Next Steps

Commission discussion, with potential Commission action, of the 2020 Report preparation procedure and submission requirements, as well as preliminary discussion of potential meeting dates for 2021.

X. Adjournment

Leslie Osborn