
SENATE BILL 5357

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By Senators Prentice, Winsley and Franklin; by request of Department of Licensing

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1 AN ACT Relating to engineers and land surveyors; amending RCW
2 18.43.080; and prescribing penalties.

3 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF WASHINGTON:

4 **Sec. 1.** RCW 18.43.080 and 1985 c 7 s 43 are each amended to read
5 as follows:

6 The renewal fee, renewal interval, and date of renewal for
7 certificates of registration, professional licenses, and certificates
8 of authorization ((and renewals thereof shall expire on the last day of
9 the month of December following their issuance or renewal and shall
10 become invalid on that date unless renewed. It shall be the duty of
11 the administrator of the division of professional licensing to notify
12 every person, firm or corporation registered under this chapter, of the
13 date of the expiration of his certificate and the amount of the renewal
14 fee that shall be required for its renewal for one year. Such notice
15 shall be mailed at least thirty days before the end of December of each
16 year. Renewal may be effected during the month of December by the
17 payment of a fee determined by the director as provided in RCW
18 43.24.086. In case any professional engineer and/or land surveyor
19 registered under this chapter shall fail to pay the renewal fee

1 ~~hereinabove provided for, within ninety days from the date when the~~
2 ~~same shall become due, the renewal fee shall be))~~ issued under the
3 provisions of this chapter shall be determined by the director of the
4 department of licensing in accordance with chapter 43.24 RCW. Notices
5 of pending renewals may be sent by the director of the department of
6 licensing to the certificate holder or licensee as a courtesy reminder
7 specifying the date of expiration and amount of the renewal fee.
8 Certificates and licenses that are not renewed by the date of
9 expiration become invalid on that date. It is the responsibility of
10 the certificate holder or licensee to ensure timely renewal of their
11 credential. In a case where a certificate or license is expired for a
12 period of ninety days, the reinstatement of the certificate or license
13 shall be conditioned upon payment of the current renewal fee plus a
14 penalty fee in an amount equal to one year's renewal fee.

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