

An Act relating to professions and occupations; amending 59 O.S. 1991, Sections 396, as last amended by Section 1, Chapter 3, O.S.L. 1998, 396.3, as amended by Section 4, Chapter 64, O.S.L. 1999, 396.4, as amended by Section 6, Chapter 64, O.S.L. 1999, 396.6, as amended by Section 7, Chapter 64, O.S.L. 1999, 396.8, as amended by Section 8, Chapter 64, O.S.L. 1999, 396.10, 396.12, as amended by Section 10, Chapter 64, O.S.L. 1999, 396.12b, 396.12c, as amended by Section 12, Chapter 64, O.S.L. 1999, 396.12f, 396.14, as amended by Section 14, Chapter 64, O.S.L. 1999, 396.17, 396.20, 396.21 and 396.27 (59 O.S. Supp. 2000, Sections 396, 396.3, 396.4, 396.6, 396.8, 396.12, 396.12c, and 396.14), which relate to the Funeral Services Licensing Act; deleting statement of option of Governor to make appointments from list furnished by association; clarifying accreditation and curriculum requirements; changing examination fees; changing date by which license nonrenewal fee shall be doubled; substituting display of license or certificate at place of business for filing with county clerk; substituting endorsement for reciprocity requirement; requiring rule changes be published in accordance with Administrative Procedures Act; prohibiting performance or advertising of funeral service at an unlicensed location or implication of such in advertising; clarifying supervision requirement; eliminating exemption of burial associations from prohibition on solicitation; clarifying prohibition on solicitation; deleting obsolete language; changing time for schedule of hearing; deleting requirement that receipts and disbursements be reported to Secretary of State; providing for Board to select a vice president; updating and clarifying references; changing and restating responsibility for precautions to reduce risk of transmission of communicable disease; and declaring an emergency.