

An Act relating to professions and occupations; amending 59 O.S. 2001, Sections 46.1, 46.2, 46.3, as amended by Section 1, Chapter 77, O.S.L. 2005, 46.4, as amended by Section 1, Chapter 30, O.S.L. 2004, 46.6, 46.7, 46.8a, 46.9, 46.10, 46.11, 46.12, 46.14, 46.17, 46.18, 46.19, 46.21, 46.24, 46.25, 46.28, as amended by Section 2, Chapter 77, O.S.L. 2005, 46.29, 46.30, 46.31, 46.32, 46.33 and 46.34 (59 O.S. Supp. 2005, Sections 46.3, 46.4 and 46.28), which relate to the State Architectural Act; modifying short title; adding reference for interior designers throughout act; providing for the restriction for the use of certain names; modifying and adding certain definitions; modifying composition of certain board; clarifying status of the position of secretary-treasurer; modifying and adding powers and duties of the board; modifying the reference to the term registration; modifying recipient of certain payment; adding landscape architects to those subject to certain limitations when practicing through certain entities; modifying issuance requirements for certificates of incorporation by the Secretary of State; providing for use of the name interior designer under certain circumstances; authorizing the Secretary of State to take certain action on certificates of title; requiring certain entities to file an application; prohibiting issuance of certificates of incorporation and registration of a trade name under certain circumstances; adding occupation of interior designer as a person to pay certain fee; deleting certain action taken by the board; adding certain items eligible for reinstatement; adding certain violations subject to actions taken by the board; adding legal costs to liability for certain violations; requiring architects to make certain plans and specifications for certain buildings; providing that certain building Code Use Groups are subject to the act; providing that certain Code Use Groups and buildings are exempt from the act; modifying recipient of certain payment of fee; modifying requirement for a seal; clarifying applicability of the act on the prohibition of registering certain professions and occupations; providing that certain credit on examinations be subject to rules of the board; deleting certain documentation requirement for landscape architects; deleting restrictions on the practice of landscape architecture through certain entities; modifying seal requirements for landscape architects; providing for effective date for registration for interior designers; prohibiting certain representation; providing exceptions; providing for registration; providing requirements; providing certain exemptions; authorizing the board to take certain actions on licenses; providing method of registration for certain entities; prohibiting the Secretary of State from issuing certificates of incorporation under certain circumstances; providing for renewal of registration or certificate; providing for alternate registration within certain time period; providing waiver of certain requirements for interior designers; prohibiting the use of certain title; providing penalty; repealing 59 O.S. 2001, Section 46.37, which relates to the severability provisions of the State Architectural Act; providing for codification; providing effective dates; and declaring an emergency.