

**STATE OF KANSAS**  
**KANSAS BOARD OF VETERINARY EXAMINERS**

**Notice of Public Hearing on Proposed Administrative Regulations**

**11/2/2016**

A public hearing will be conducted on **1/24/2017** at **10 a.m.** at the Office of the Kansas Board of Veterinary Examiners located at 714 Plum Street, Wamego, Kansas, to consider the adoption of proposed rules and regulations of the Board.

This 60-day notice of the public hearing shall constitute a public comment period for the purpose of receiving written public comments on the proposed adoption of K.A.R. 70-5-1. All interested parties may submit written comments prior to the hearing to Dr. Jay Hedrick, Executive Director, Kansas Board of Veterinary Examiners, 714 Plum Street, Wamego, Kansas, 66547-1834, or by email to [Jay.Hedrick@ks.gov](mailto:Jay.Hedrick@ks.gov). All interested parties will be given a reasonable opportunity to present their views orally regarding the adoption of the proposed regulations during the public hearing. In order to provide all parties an opportunity to present their views, it may be necessary to request that each participant limit any oral presentation to five minutes.

Any individual with a disability may request accommodation in order to participate in the public hearing and may request the proposed regulations and economic impact statement in an accessible format. Requests for accommodation should be made at least one week in advance of the hearing by contacting Dr. Jay Hedrick at 785-456-8781.

A summary of the proposed regulation(s) and the economic impact follows. Copies of the proposed regulation(s) and the economic impact statement for the proposed regulation(s) can be viewed at <http://agriculture.ks.gov/divisions-programs/division-of-animal-health/kansas-board-of-veterinary-examiners/home>.

**K.A.R. 70-5-1.** This regulation is an amended regulation that allows agency to recover costs of annual premise inspection from the registrant.

**Economic Impact.** Assesses a fee for the annual premise inspection to the registered premise. The proposed regulation revisions should have not have an economic impact on other governmental agencies. The proposed regulation revision will increase the fees paid by the veterinary premises owner by \$75 per annual inspection.

**K.A.R. 70-5-1. Amount of Fees.** The following fees shall be charged:

- (a) Veterinary medicine license; application ..... \$125.00
- (b) Veterinary medicine license; annual renewal..... \$ 95.00
- (c) Veterinary medicine license renewal if renewal is for an initial license that was issued after April 30 of the preceding license year ..... \$ 20.00
- (d) Veterinary medicine license; late renewal penalty .....\$100.00
- (e) Veterinary premises registration; application..... \$ 75.00
- (f) Veterinary premises registration; renewal..... \$ 50.00
- (g) Veterinary premises registration; late renewal penalty..... \$ 50.00
- (h) Veterinary premises; initial inspection..... \$ 75.00
- (i) Veterinary premises; ~~noncompliance~~ audit and compliance inspections..... \$100.00
- (j) Veterinary technician registration; application..... \$ 20.00
- (k) Veterinary technician registration; renewal..... \$ 10.00
- (l) Institutional license; application ..... \$ 50.00
- (m) Institutional license; annual renewal..... \$ 25.00

(Authorized by K.S.A. ~~2015~~ 2016 Supp. 47-821 and 47-822; implementing K.S.A. ~~2015~~ 2016 Supp. 47-822, 47-829, and 47-840; effective May 1, 1985; amended, T-70-6-13-88, June 13, 1988; amended July 3, 1989; amended May 23, 1994; amended Feb. 21, 1997; amended April 9, 2004; amended Dec. 21, 2007; amended May 27, 2016; amended P-\_\_\_\_\_.)

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**IMPACT STATEMENT**  
**Permanent Regulation Revisions**  
**K.A.R. 70-5-1**

**I. Summary of Proposed Regulation, Including Its Purpose.**

Strikes the word “initial” from the language pertaining to the fee assessed for premises inspections for the purpose of allowing the fee to be assessed for annual inspections. Replaces the word “noncompliance” with the words “audit and compliance”.

**II. Reason Or Reasons The Proposed Regulation Is Required, Including Whether Or Not The Regulation Is Mandated By Federal Law.**

Allows fees to recover agency costs of annual premises inspection program.  
Aligns regulatory language more closely with statutory authority.  
None of the proposed regulation revisions are mandated by federal law.

**III. Anticipated Economic Impact Upon The Kansas Board of Veterinary Examiners.**

The proposed regulation revision should have an economic impact on the agency of increasing fees collected by the agency by approximately \$38,325 per year.

**IV. Anticipated Financial Impact Upon Other Governmental Agencies And Upon Private Business Or Individuals.**

The proposed regulation revisions should not have an economic impact on other governmental agencies.  
The proposed regulation revision will increase the fees paid by the veterinary premises owner by \$75 per annual inspection.

**V. Less Costly or Intrusive Methods That Were Considered, But Rejected, And The Reason For Rejection.**

Continuing to not assess fees to recover costs of the annual premises inspection program was considered but rejected. The concerns included the Department of Budget’s direction to agencies to budget at the level of each agency program.

**VI. Environmental Impact**

Kansas Board of Veterinary Examiners can determine no environmental impact through the passage of these regulations.