

**CHAPTER 4610**  
**DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH**  
**DISPOSITION OF THE DEAD**

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**4610.0200** [Renumbered 4610.0410]

**4610.0300** [Renumbered 4610.0420]

**4610.0400** [Repealed, L 1997 c 215 s 46]

**4610.0410** [Repealed, L 1997 c 215 s 46]

**MORTUARY SCIENCE LICENSE**

**4610.0420 RESIDENT INTERN REGISTRATION.**

Resident intern registration with the commissioner of health shall show the date on which the internship began, the name and address of the individual licensed to practice mortuary science in Minnesota under whom the intern is registered, and the name and address of the company, corporation, or firm of which the supervising mortuary science licensee is the owner, partner, or employee. Discontinuance of the internship or transfer to some other supervising mortuary science licensee for service as an intern shall be immediately reported to the commissioner of health. The intern shall file with the commissioner of health not less than 25 case reports upon the forms provided by the commissioner, which shall be signed by the supervising mortuary science licensee under whom the intern is registered.

The application for the initial or renewal registration shall be accompanied by a registration fee in an amount specified in part 4610.2800. The initial and renewal registration shall be issued for the calendar year for which application is made and shall expire on December 31 of each year. Renewal applications and fees shall be submitted no later than December 31 of the year preceding the year for which application is made.

Intern registration shall be permitted for no more than three years; provided that for good cause the commissioner of health may extend the registration for an additional period not to exceed one year.

**Statutory Authority:** *MS s 16A.128; 144.12; 144.122; 149.05; 149A.03*

**History:** *10 SR 2319; 22 SR 2300*

**4610.0500 LICENSE APPLICATION, RENEWAL, AND ENDORSEMENT FEES.**

Subpart 1. **Examination fee.** An applicant for examination for a license in mortuary science, shall submit an application to the commissioner on forms provided by the commissioner together with a fee in an amount specified in part 4610.2800.

Subp. 2. **License fee.** When the applicant has successfully completed the examination and all other requirements for original license, the applicant shall submit to the commissioner a license application on a form provided by the commissioner and a fee in an amount specified in part 4610.2800, payable to the commissioner of finance, after which the license shall be issued.

Subp. 3. **License by endorsement.** An applicant for a license in mortuary science by endorsement without examination as to qualifications pursuant to Minnesota Statutes, section 149A.30, shall submit an application on forms provided by the commissioner together with a fee in an amount specified in part 4610.2800. The applicant shall pass an examination on the Minnesota laws and rules relating to mortuary science prior to licensure.

Subp. 4. [Repealed, 10 SR 2319]

Subp. 5. **License issuance and renewal.** Initial and renewal mortuary science licenses shall be issued for the calendar year for which application is made and shall expire on December 31 of that year.

Renewals shall be obtained on an annual basis. Application for license renewal, together with the renewal fee in an amount specified in part 4610.2800 shall be submitted to the commissioner on forms provided no later than December 31 of the year preceding the year for which application is made. Failure to submit the renewal application and fee by the date specified above shall result in an increase in the fee in an amount specified in part 4610.2800. If the renewal application and fee are not submitted within 31 days after the expiration date, the license shall automatically lapse.

**Statutory Authority:** *MS s 16A.128 subd 2a; 144.12; 144.122; 149.05 subds 2,4*

**History:** *10 SR 2319; L 1997 c 215 s 46; L 2003 c 112 art 2 s 50*

#### FUNERAL DIRECTOR'S LICENSE

##### 4610.0600 FUNERAL DIRECTORS.

Subpart 1. **Licensing requirement.** Every person who wishes to qualify to engage in the practice of funeral directing under Minnesota Statutes, chapter 149A, shall comply with the following requirements.

The applicant shall submit two affidavits from ordained religious leaders of the applicant's faith substantiating the beliefs and convictions of the applicant's faith which forbids the practice of embalming.

Subp. 2. [Repealed by amendment, 10 SR 2319]

Subp. 3. **Application for license.** An applicant for a funeral directors license, by examination, shall submit an application on forms provided by the commissioner together with a fee in an amount specified in part 4610.2800.

Subp. 4. **Renewal.** Initial or renewal funeral director licenses shall be issued for the calendar year for which application is made and shall expire on December 31 of such year. Renewals shall be obtained on an annual basis. Applications for license renewal, together with the renewal fee in an amount specified in part 4610.2800, shall be submitted no later than December 31 of the year preceding the year for which application is made. Failure to submit the renewal application and fee within 31 days of the date specified above shall result in an automatic lapse.

Subp. 5. [Repealed, 10 SR 2319]

**Statutory Authority:** *MS s 16A.128; 144.12; 144.122; 149.05; 149A.03*

**History:** *10 SR 2319; L 1997 c 215 s 46; 22 SR 2300*

#### FUNERAL ESTABLISHMENT PERMIT

##### 4610.0650 FUNERAL ESTABLISHMENT LICENSE.

Applications for an original or renewal license to operate a funeral establishment must be submitted on forms provided by the commissioner together with a fee in an amount specified in part 4610.2800. Original licenses are effective from the day of issuance to the next June 30. Renewal licenses must be issued on an annual basis from July 1 to June 30 of the following year. Failure to submit the renewal application and fee by the expiration date results in an increase in the fee in an amount specified in

part 4610.2800. If the renewal application and fee are not paid within 31 days after the expiration date, the license automatically lapses.

**Statutory Authority:** *MS s 16A.128; 144.12; 144.122; 149.05; 149A.03*

**History:** *10 SR 2319; 22 SR 2300*

**4610.0700** [Repealed, L 1997 c 215 s 46]

**4610.0800** [Repealed, L 1997 c 215 s 46]

**4610.0900** [Repealed, L 1997 c 215 s 46]

**4610.1000** [Repealed, L 1997 c 215 s 46]

**4610.1100** [Repealed, L 1997 c 215 s 46]

**4610.1200** [Repealed, L 1997 c 215 s 46]

**4610.1300** [Repealed, L 1997 c 215 s 46]

**4610.1400** [Repealed, 10 SR 2319]

**4610.1500** [Repealed, L 1997 c 215 s 46]

**4610.1550** [Repealed, L 1997 c 215 s 46]

**4610.1600** [Repealed, L 1997 c 215 s 46]

**4610.1700** [Repealed, L 1997 c 215 s 46]

**4610.1800** [Repealed, L 1997 c 215 s 46]

**4610.1900** [Repealed, L 1997 c 215 s 46]

**4610.2000** [Repealed, L 1997 c 215 s 46]

**4610.2100** [Renumbered 4610.2210]

**4610.2200** [Repealed, L 1997 c 215 s 46]

**4610.2210** [Repealed, L 1995 c 233 art 3 s 3; L 1995 c 248 art 3 s 3]

**4610.2300** Subpart 1. [Repealed, 10 SR 2319]

Subp. 2. [Repealed, L 1997 c 215 s 46]

Subp. 3. [Repealed, L 1997 c 215 s 46]

Subp. 4. [Repealed by amendment, 10 SR 2319]

**4610.2400** Subpart 1. [Repealed, L 1997 c 215 s 46]

Subp. 1a. [Repealed, L 1997 c 215 s 46]

Subp. 2. [Repealed, 10 SR 2319]

Subp. 3. [Repealed, L 1997 c 215 s 46]

Subp. 4. [Repealed, L 1997 c 215 s 46]

Subp. 4a. [Repealed, L 1997 c 215 s 46]

Subp. 4b. [Repealed, L 1997 c 215 s 46]

Subp. 5. [Repealed, L 1997 c 215 s 46]

Subp. 6. [Repealed, L 1997 c 215 s 46]

Subp. 6a. [Repealed, L 1997 c 215 s 46]

Subp. 7. [Repealed, 10 SR 2319]

Subp. 8. [Repealed, L 1997 c 215 s 46]

Subp. 9. [Repealed, L 1997 c 215 s 46]

Subp. 9a. [Repealed, L 1997 c 215 s 46]

Subp. 9b. [Repealed, L 1997 c 215 s 46]

Subp. 10. [Repealed, L 1997 c 215 s 46]

Subp. 10a. [Repealed, L 1997 c 215 s 46]

Subp. 10b. [Repealed, L 1997 c 215 s 46]

Subp. 10c. [Repealed, L 1997 c 215 s 46]

Subp. 11. [Repealed, L 1997 c 215 s 46]

Subp. 12. [Repealed, L 1997 c 215 s 46]

Subp. 12a. [Repealed, L 1997 c 215 s 46]

Subp. 13. [Repealed, L 1997 c 215 s 46]

Subp. 14. [Repealed, L 1997 c 215 s 46]

**4610.2500** [Repealed, L 1997 c 215 s 46]

**4610.2600** [Repealed, L 1997 c 215 s 46]

**4610.2700** [Repealed, L 1997 c 215 s 46]

#### LICENSING AND PERMIT FEES

##### **4610.2800 FEES.**

Subpart 1. **Generally.** Fees for registration, examination, and licenses under parts 4610.0420 to 4610.0650 are in subparts 2 and 3.

Subp. 2. **Mortuary science fees.** The following fees are mortuary science fees:

- A. intern registration and renewal fee, \$50;
- B. examination fee, \$100;
- C. original license fee, \$100;
- D. license by endorsement, \$200;
- E. renewal fee, \$100; and
- F. renewal fee late charge, \$25.

Subp. 3. **Funeral directors.** The following fees are funeral director fees:

- A. application fee, \$100;
- B. renewal fee, \$100; and
- C. renewal fee late charge, \$25.

Subp. 4. **Funeral establishments.** The following fees are funeral establishment fees:

- A. funeral establishment license fee, \$225;
- B. renewal license fee, \$225; and
- C. renewal license late charge, \$25.

**Statutory Authority:** *MS s 16A.128; 144.12; 144.122; 149.04; 149.05; 149A.03*

**History:** *10 SR 2319; 12 SR 846; L 1997 c 215 s 46; 22 SR 2300*