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LAW AND PUBLIC SAFETY DIVISION OF CONSUMER AFFAIRS

Adopted Amendments: N.J.A.C. 13:45A-17.5 and 17.14

Home Improvement Contractors

Initial and Renewal Applications

Proposed: July 7, 2014, at 46 N.J.R. 1551(a).

Adopted: September 8, 2014, by the New Jersey **Division of Consumer Affairs**, Steve C. Lee, Acting Director.

Filed: December 24, 2014, as R.2015 d.021, **with non-substantial changes** not requiring additional public notice and comment (see N.J.A.C. 1:30-6.3).

Authority: N.J.S.A. 56:8-152.

Effective Date: January 20, 2015.

Expiration Date: December 14, 2018.

Summary of Public Comment and Agency Response:

The official comment period ended on September 5, 2014. **The Division received no comments on the notice of proposal.**

Federal Standards Statement

A Federal standards analysis is not required because the adopted amendments are not subject to any Federal standards or requirements.

Full text of the adoption follows (addition to proposal indicated in boldface with asterisks ***thus***; deletion from proposal indicated in brackets with asterisks *****[thus]*):

SUBCHAPTER 17. HOME IMPROVEMENT CONTRACTOR REGISTRATION

13:45A-17.5 Initial and renewal applications

(a)-(c) (No change.)

(d) The first registration period that begins *[(after the effective date of this amendment)]* ***January 20, 2015***, shall expire on March 31 of the following year. Thereafter, a

registration period shall commence on April 1 of each year and end on the following March 31.

(e) (No change in text.)

13:45A-17.14 Fees

(a) The Division shall charge the following non-refundable home improvement contractor registration fees:

1. Initial registration fee..... \$ 110.00;

2. Renewal registration fee..... \$ 90.00;

3.-5. (No change.)