

New Rules Effective April 28, 2022

New Rules (Landscape Architects)

New Rules (Certified Interior Designers)

New rules adopted by the Mississippi Landscape Architecture Advisory Committee and the Interior Design Advisory Committee and filed with the Mississippi Secretary of State in November 2021 take effect today, April 28, 2022 (see links above). Below is a summary of the rule revisions.

<u>Landscape Architects</u>

- Rule 1.2.3, regarding eligibility requirements, is amended to align the rule with *Miss. Code Ann.* § 73-2-7(b).
- Rule 1.5 is amended to align the duplicate certificate fee with the fee in the statute.
- Rule 1.10.1, regarding reinstatement requirements, is amended to allow for a waiver the Council of Landscape Architectural Registration Boards (CLARB) Certificate if the applicant is unable to acquire a Certificate and provides proof of compliance with the requirements in Mississippi's laws and rules.
- Rule 1.11 is amended to allow landscape architects to apply manual, electronic, or digital signatures to documents and to move text regarding preliminary documents from the rule commentary into the rule itself.
- Rule 1.13 is amended to comply with the "Universal Recognition of Occupational Licenses Act" (<u>HB 1263</u>, 2021 Regular Session).
- Rule 3.1 is amended to incorporate by reference the recently adopted disciplinary rules for the Board of Architecture, which expand on the disciplinary procedures in the law.

<u>Interior Designers</u>

- Rule 2.4 is amended to comply with the "Universal Recognition of Occupational Licenses Act" (<u>HB 1263</u>, 2021 Regular Session).
- Rule 6.3 is amended to update the Board's website address.

 Rule 6.8 is added to incorporate by reference the recently adopted disciplinary rules for the Board of Architecture, which expand on the disciplinary procedures in the law.

Please contact the Board office if you have any questions regarding the new rules.

Sincerely,
John Cothron
Executive Director

The mission of the Mississippi State Board of Architecture is to serve the State of Mississippi by protecting and preserving the life, health and property of the Mississippians who live, work, and play in the built environment through the regulation of the professions of architecture, landscape architecture and certified interior design.

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