

**TITLE 20—DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
AND INSURANCE
Division 2270—Missouri Veterinary Medical Board
Chapter 2—Licensure Requirements for Veterinarians**

PROPOSED AMENDMENT

20 CSR 2270-1.031 Application Procedures. The board is amending sections (1), (2), and (3).

PURPOSE: This amendment updates the procedures on obtaining an application, removing the notarization requirement, and reducing the number of photos.

- (1) Application for licensure or registration must be made on the forms provided by the board. Application forms may be obtained by requesting them from the *[executive director,]* Missouri Veterinary Medical Board, PO Box 633, Jefferson City, MO 65102 **or on the board's website www.pr.mo.gov/veterinarian.asp.**
- (2) An application must be *[legible]* **submitted via the online system or legibly on paper** (printed or typed), signed, *[notarized,]* and accompanied by the appropriate fees. The fee must be **submitted online or** in the form of a cashier's check, personal check or money order.
- (3) The following documents must be on file for an application to be considered complete:
 - (D) *[Two (2)]* **A current, standard passport photo[s, black and white or color, one and one-half inches by two inches (1.5" × 2.0"), with applicant's signature on the back of each].**

AUTHORITY: sections 340.210, 340.228, and 340.300, RSMo 2016.* This rule originally filed as 4 CSR 270-1.031. Original rule filed Nov. 4, 1992, effective July 8, 1993. *For intervening history, please consult the **Code of State Regulations**. Amended: Filed July 15, 2025.*

PUBLIC COST: This proposed amendment will not cost state agencies or political subdivisions more than five hundred dollars (\$500) in the aggregate.

PRIVATE ENTITY COST: This proposed amendment will not cost private entities more than five hundred dollars (\$500) in the aggregate.

*NOTICE TO SUBMIT COMMENTS: Anyone may file a statement in support of or in opposition to this proposed amendment with the Missouri Veterinary Medical Board, PO Box 633, Jefferson City, MO 65102, via facsimile at (573) 526-3856, or via email at vets@pr.mo.gov. To be considered, comments must be received within thirty (30) days after publication of this notice in the **Missouri Register**. No public hearing is scheduled.*