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State of West Virginia  
BOARD OF HEARING AID DEALERS  
DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH  
1800 Washington Street, East  
Charleston, W. Va. 25305

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING OR COMMENT PERIOD ON A PROPOSED RULE

PUBLIC HEARING

AGENCY: West Virginia Board of Hearing Aid Dealers

RULE TYPE: Legislative

RULE TITLE: Regulations governing the West Virginia Board of  
Hearing Aid Dealers

A PUBLIC HEARING ON THE ABOVE PROPOSED RULE WILL BE HELD AT 1:00  
p.m. on October 10, 1985 AT 701 Jefferson Road, South Charleston,  
West Virginia

COMMENTS ARE LIMITED TO: ORAL   X   WRITTEN   X   BOTH   X  

COMMENTS MAY ALSO BE MAILED TO: West Virginia Board of Hearing  
Aid Dealers, 701 Jefferson Road, South Charleston, West Virginia

THE BOARD REQUESTS THAT PERSONS WISHING TO MAKE COMMENTS AT THE  
HEARING MAKE AN EFFORT TO SUBMIT WRITTEN COMMENTS IN ORDER TO  
FACILITATE A REVIEW OF THESE COMMENTS.

THE ISSUES TO BE HEARD SHALL BE LIMITED TO THE PROPOSED RULE.

Ralph E. Hoover  
CHAIRMAN

## FISCAL NOTE FOR PROPOSED RULES

Rule Title: Regulations governing the West Virginia Board of Hearing Aid Dealers.

Type of Rule:   x   Legislative        Interpretive        Procedural

Agency W.Va. Board of Hearing Aid Dealers Address 701 Jefferson Avenue,  
South Charleston, W. Va.

1. Effect of Proposed Rule	ANNUAL		FISCAL YEAR		
	Increase	Decrease	Current	Next	Thereafter
Estimated Total Cost	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$
Personal Services	0	0	0	0	0
Current Expense	0	0	0	0	0
Repairs and Alterations	0	0	0	0	0
Equipment	0	0	0	0	0
Other	0	0	0	0	0

2. Explanation of above estimates.

No estimated cost increase or decrease.

3. Objectives of these rules:

To insure the safety and health of each patient by limiting the number of trainees a licensee may supervise and to comply with recent statutory changes requiring the Board to a maximum fee which may be charged when a hearing is returned.

4. Explanation of Overall Economic Impact of Proposed Rule.

A. Economic Impact on State Government.

No anticipated impact on state government.

B. Economic Impact on Political Subdivisions; Specific Industries;  
Specific groups of citizens.

Will promote the return of hearing aids in cases where the device does not properly fit or for other reasons of dissatisfaction by the elderly and handicapped and other groups so that more members of these groups who need hearing aid services will avail themselves of these services.

C. Economic Impact on Citizens/Public at Large.

See item B above.

Date 9/10/85

Signature of Agency Head or Authorized Representative

Ralph E. Hower