
BOARD OF EMBALMERS AND FUNERAL DIRECTORS

- Increases all license and permit fees by \$50.
- Replaces embalmer and funeral director registration with certification of apprenticeship subject to a \$35 fee.

Authorization and fees

(R.C. 4717.03, 4717.05, 4717.07, and 4717.41)

The bill increases fees for the following licenses and permits by \$50: embalmer's license, funeral director's license, license to operate an embalming facility, license to operate a funeral home, license to operate a crematory facility, and crematory operator permit.

The bill also amends the process of obtaining an embalmer's or funeral director's license. Under current law, a person who wishes to obtain an embalmer's or funeral director's license must first register with the State of Ohio Board of Embalmers and Funeral Directors and subsequently complete an apprenticeship program. The registration fee is \$25 and the fee for filing a certificate of apprenticeship is \$10. The bill removes the registration requirement and specifies that an applicant need only obtain a certificate of apprenticeship subject to a \$35 fee.