

**Title 20—DEPARTMENT OF
COMMERCE AND INSURANCE
Division 2234—Board of Private Investigator and
Private Fire Investigator Examiners
Chapter 5—Examination Requirements**

PROPOSED AMENDMENT

20 CSR 2234-5.010 Examination. The board is amending section (1).

PURPOSE: This language changes the number of time someone can take the examination.

- (1) Applicants not exempt from examination shall present themselves for examination on the date and time and at the place specified by the board.
- [(A) A private investigator applicant who fails to appear as required by the board shall be deemed to have failed the examination.*
- (B) Upon written request setting forth a good cause, the board may excuse an applicant's absence, and permit the applicant to sit for the next examination.]*
- [(C)](A) An applicant who fails the examination may, upon written application, be granted permission to sit again for the examination.*
- [(D)](B) No person [who has twice failed the examination may again seek examination for one (1) year from the date of the last failure] may apply to sit for, and take, the examination more than four (4) times within a twelve (12) month period.*

AUTHORITY: section 324.1110, RSMo [Supp. 2008] Cum Supp. 2020. Original rule filed June 26, 2009, effective Jan. 30, 2010. Amended: Filed October 8, 2020.*

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

PRIVATE 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 Board of Private Investigator and Private Fire Investigator Examiners, Pam Groose, Executive Director, PO Box 1335, Jefferson City, MO 65102-1335, by fax at (573) 526-0661, or via email at pi@pr.mo.gov. To be considered, comments must be received within thirty days after publication of this notice in the **Missouri Register**. No public hearing is scheduled.*