1 AN ACT concerning regulation.

## Be it enacted by the People of the State of Illinois, represented in the General Assembly:

- Section 5. The Community Association Manager Licensing and
  Disciplinary Act is amended by changing Sections 40 and 42 as

(225 ILCS 427/40)

follows:

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- 8 (Section scheduled to be repealed on January 1, 2020)
- 9 Sec. 40. Qualifications for licensure as a community 10 association manager.
  - (a) No person shall be qualified for licensure as a community association manager under this Act, unless he or she has applied in writing on the prescribed forms and has paid the required, nonrefundable fees and meets all of the following qualifications:
- 16 (1) He or she is at least  $\frac{18}{21}$  years of age.
  - (2) He or she provides satisfactory evidence of having completed at least 20 classroom hours in community association management courses approved by the Board.
- 20 (3) He or she has passed an examination authorized by the Department.
- 22 (4) He or she has not committed an act or acts, in this 23 or any other jurisdiction, that would be a violation of

1 this Act.

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- she is of good moral character. (5) He or Ιn determining moral character under this Section, the Department may take into consideration whether the applicant has engaged in conduct or activities that would constitute grounds for discipline under this Act. Good moral character is a continuing requirement of licensure. Conviction of crimes may be used in determining moral character, but shall not constitute an absolute bar to licensure.
- (6) He or she has not been declared by any court of competent jurisdiction to be incompetent by reason of mental or physical defect or disease, unless a court has subsequently declared him or her to be competent.
- (7) He or she complies with any additional qualifications for licensure as determined by rule of the Department.
- (b) The education requirement set forth in item (2) of subsection (a) of this Section shall not apply to persons holding a real estate managing broker or real estate broker license in good standing issued under the Real Estate License Act of 2000.
- (c) The examination and initial education requirement of items (2) and (3) of subsection (a) of this Section shall not apply to any person who within 6 months from the effective date of the requirement for licensure, as set forth in Section 170

- of this Act, applies for a license by providing satisfactory
- 2 evidence to the Department of qualifying experience or
- 3 education, as may be set forth by rule, including without
- 4 limitation evidence that he or she has practiced community
- 5 association management for a period of 5 years.
- 6 (d) Applicants have 3 years from the date of application to
- 7 complete the application process. If the process has not been
- 8 completed within the 3 years, the application shall be denied,
- 9 the fee shall be forfeited, and the applicant must reapply and
- 10 meet the requirements in effect at the time of re-application.
- 11 (Source: P.A. 98-365, eff. 1-1-14.)
- 12 (225 ILCS 427/42)
- 13 (Section scheduled to be repealed on January 1, 2020)
- 14 Sec. 42. Qualifications for licensure as a supervising
- 15 community association manager.
- 16 (a) No person shall be qualified for licensure as a
- 17 supervising community association manager under this Act
- 18 unless he or she has applied in writing on the prescribed
- 19 forms, has paid the required nonrefundable fees, and meets all
- of the following qualifications:
- 21 (1) He or she is at least  $\frac{18}{21}$  years of age.
- 22 (2) He or she has been licensed at least one out of the
- 23 last 2 preceding years as a community association manager.
- 24 (3) He or she provides satisfactory evidence of having
- completed at least 30 classroom hours in community

association management courses approved by the Board, 20 hours of which shall be those pre-license hours required to obtain a community association manager license, and 10 additional hours completed the year immediately preceding the filing of the application for a supervising community association manager license, which shall focus on community association administration, management, and supervision.

- (4) He or she has passed an examination authorized by the Department.
- (5) He or she has not committed an act or acts, in this or any other jurisdiction, that would be a violation of this Act.
- (6) He or she is of good moral character. In determining moral character under this Section, the Department may take into consideration whether the applicant has engaged in conduct or activities that would constitute grounds for discipline under this Act. Good moral character is a continuing requirement of licensure. Conviction of crimes may be used in determining moral character, but shall not constitute an absolute bar to licensure.
- (7) He or she has not been declared by any court of competent jurisdiction to be incompetent by reason of mental or physical defect or disease, unless a court has subsequently declared him or her to be competent.

- 1 (8) He or she complies with any additional 2 qualifications for licensure as determined by rule of the 3 Department.
  - (b) The initial 20-hour education requirement set forth in item (3) of subsection (a) of this Section shall not apply to persons holding a real estate managing broker or real estate broker license in good standing issued under the Real Estate License Act of 2000. The 10 additional hours required for licensure under this Section shall not apply to persons holding a real estate managing broker license in good standing issued under the Real Estate License Act of 2000.
  - (c) The examination and initial education requirement of items (3) and (4) of subsection (a) of this Section shall not apply to any person who, within 6 months after the effective date of the requirement for licensure, as set forth in Section 170 of this Act, applies for a license by providing satisfactory evidence to the Department of qualifying experience or education, as may be set forth by rule, including without limitation, evidence that he or she has practiced community association management for a period of 7 years.
  - (d) Applicants have 3 years after the date of application to complete the application process. If the process has not been completed within the 3 years, the application shall be denied, the fee shall be forfeited, and the applicant must reapply and meet the requirements in effect at the time of re-application.

- (Source: P.A. 98-365, eff. 1-1-14.) 1
- Section 10. The Home Inspector License Act is amended by 2
- 3 changing Section 5-10 as follows:
- (225 ILCS 441/5-10) 4
- (Section scheduled to be repealed on January 1, 2022) 5
- 6 Sec. 5-10. Application for home inspector license. Every
- 7 natural person who desires to obtain a home inspector license
- 8 shall:
- 9 (1) apply to the Department on forms prescribed by the
- 10 Department and accompanied by the required fee; all
- 11 applications shall contain the information that, in the
- 12 judgment of the Department, enables the Department to pass
- 13 on the qualifications of the applicant for a license to
- 14 practice as a home inspector as set by rule;
- 15 (2) be at least 18 <del>21</del> years of age;
- (3) provide evidence of having attained a high school 16
- diploma or completed an equivalent course of study as 17
- determined by an examination conducted by the Illinois 18
- State Board of Education; 19
- 20 (4) personally take and pass an examination authorized
- 21 by the Department; and
- (5) prior to taking the examination, provide evidence 22
- 23 to the Department that he or she has successfully completed
- 24 the prerequisite classroom hours of instruction in home

- 1 inspection, as established by rule.
- Applicants have 3 years after the date of the application 2
- 3 to complete the application process. If the process has not
- been completed within 3 years, the application shall be denied,
- 5 the fee forfeited, and the applicant must reapply and meet the
- requirements in effect at the time of reapplication. 6
- 7 (Source: P.A. 97-226, eff. 7-28-11.)
- Section 99. Effective date. This Act takes effect upon 8
- 9 becoming law.