TITLE 12 TRADE, COMMERCE AND BANKING

CHAPTER 2 CONSUMER PROTECTION

PART 16 APPLICATION FOR REGISTRATION

**12.2.16.1 ISSUING AGENCY:** New Mexico Regulation and Licensing Department.

[12.2.16.1 NMAC - N, 8/12/2021]

**12.2.16.2 SCOPE:** This part sets forth application procedures to the department pursuant to the Sale of Recycled Metals Act, Sections 57-30-1 through 57-30-14 NMSA 1978.

[12.2.16.2 NMAC - N, 8/12/2021; A, 10/10/2023]

**12.2.16.3 STATUTORY AUTHORITY:** These rules are promulgated pursuant to the Sale of Recycled Metals Act, Sections 57-30-1 through 57-30-14 NMSA 1978.

[12.2.16.3 NMAC - N, 8/12/2021; A, 10/10/2023]

**12.2.16.4 DURATION:** Permanent.

[12.2.16.4 NMAC - N, 8/12/2021]

**12.2.16.5 EFFECTIVE DATE:** August 12, 2021, unless a later date is cited at the end of a section.

[12.2.16.5 NMAC - N, 8/12/2021]

**12.2.16.6 OBJECTIVE:** The purpose of this part is to register secondhand metal dealers pursuant to

Section 57-30-2.1 NMSA 1978.

[12.2.16.6 NMAC - N, 8/12/2021; A, 10/10/2023]

## 12.2.16.7 **DEFINITIONS:** [RESERVED]

[12.2.16.7 NMAC - N, 8/12/2021]

## **12.2.16.8 APPLICATION REQUIREMENTS:**

- **A.** Effective July 1, 2012, all secondhand metal dealers shall not buy or sell regulated material without a valid registration issued by the department.
  - **B.** Applications for registration shall be completed on a form provided by the department.
- **C.** Electronic signatures will be acceptable for applications submitted pursuant to Section 14-16-1 through Section 14-16-21 NMSA 1978.
  - **D.** Information submitted shall include:
    - (1) the full name and business address of the applicant;
- (2) the location at which the applicant engages or will engage in the business of buying or selling regulated material;
  - a non-refundable registration fee as set forth in 12.2.16.9 NMAC;
  - (4) affirmation of compliance with all federal requirements;
- (5) affirmation of registration with metal theft alert system as described in Subsection C of 12.2.18.8 NMAC.
- **E.** Any occupational or professional registration pursuant to these rules shall be issued as soon as practicable, but no later than 30 days after a military service member or a veteran as defined in these rules submits an application, pays any required fees, and provides a background check if required.

[12.2.16.8 NMAC - N, 8/12/2021; A, 4/22/2022; A, 10/10/2023]

## 12.2.16.9 FEES:

- **A.** The fee for application registration is twenty-five dollars (\$25.00).
- **B.** The fee for renewal of registration is twenty-five dollars (\$25.00).
- **C.** A military service member or veteran as defined in these rules shall not be charged a registration fee for the first three years a registration issued under these rules is valid.

[12.2.16.9 NMAC - N, 8/12/2021; A, 4/22/2022]

## 12.2.16.10 RENEWAL REQUIREMENTS:

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- Original and renewed registrations shall be valid for a period of three years from the date of A. issuance, unless the registration is suspended or revoked.

  B. Prior to the expiration of the license, a registered secondhand metal dealer shall apply for
- registration renewal and shall pay the renewal fee as set forth in 12.2.16.9 NMAC.
- A current registration shall be posted in the business of operation. [12.2.16.10 NMAC - N, 8/12/2021; A, 10/10/2023]

**HISTORY OF 12.2.16 NMAC: [RESERVED]** 

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