

**FORENSIC POLYGRAPH EXAMINERS ACT (EXCERPT)**  
**Act 295 of 1972**

**338.1707 Rules; filing of applications; collection and disposition of fees; order as prima facie proof; appropriation of funds.**

Sec. 7.

(1) The department shall promulgate rules consistent with the provisions of this act for the dissemination, retention and destruction of polygraph results to protect the general public for the administration and enforcement of this act pursuant to the administrative procedures act of 1969, 1969 PA 306, MCL 24.201 to 24.328. An application for an examination, license, renewal or other provisions under this act shall comply with the requirements of the department and board and shall be accompanied by the license fee, which is not returnable except by a showing of mistake, inadvertence, error in the collection of the fee, or pursuant to section 15(3).

(2) An order or a certified copy, over the board seal and purporting to be signed by the board members or board chair shall be prima facie proof of the following:

- (a) That the signatures are the genuine signatures of the board members or the board chair.
- (b) That the board members or the chair are duly appointed and qualified.
- (c) That the board and its members are fully qualified to act.

(3) All fees collected under this act shall be deposited to the credit of the general fund of the state. Funds necessary for the enforcement and administration of this act shall be appropriated by the legislature within the budget of the department of labor and economic growth.

**History:** 1972, Act 295, Eff. Mar. 30, 1973 ;-- Am. 2004, Act 276, Imd. Eff. July 23, 2004

**Compiler's Notes:** For transfer of powers and duties of certain occupational functions, boards, and commissions from the Department of Licensing and Regulation to the Department of Commerce, see E.R.O. No. 1991-9, compiled at MCL 338.3501 of the Michigan Compiled Laws. For abolishment of the state board of forensic polygraph examiners and transfer of its powers and duties to the department of labor and economic growth, see E.R.O. No. 2007-18, compiled at MCL 445.2024.

**Admin Rule:** R 338.9001 et seq. of the Michigan Administrative Code.