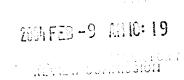
4501 Chambers Hill Road Harrisburg, PA 17111-2406 Teiephone (717) 561-1303 Fax (717) 561-8796



February 2, 2004

Judith Pachter Schulder, Counsel State Real Estate Commission PO Box 2649 Harrisburg, PA 17105-2649

Dear Ms. Schulder:

As an organization that represents nearly 28,000 of the Commonwealth's real estate licensees, we welcome the opportunity to provide input on the proposed regulation entitled "Deletion of Examination Fees" (16A-569).

The proposed rulemaking deletes references to the examination fee determined by contract and charged by a professional testing organization from the schedule of fees and examination provisions. Currently, the regulations must be revised each time the examination fee is altered. We agree that, since the Commission has no role in setting such fees, publication in the Commission's regulations is a tedious and time-consuming process.

After careful review, the Pennsylvania Association of REALTORS® has no opposition to the proposal of deleting the examination fees. We do, however, propose that the examination fees be posted on the Commission's website for timely updating and quick access for licensees.

Again, thank you for the opportunity to comment on this regulatory proposal. Please feel free to contact me should you have any questions.

Sincerely,

Derenda Updegrave

Derenda Updegrave Director, Government Affairs

Cc: Independent Regulatory Review Commission (IRRC)

ORIGINAL: 2374

IRRC

From: Jewett, John H.

Sent: Monday, February 02, 2004 11:08 AM

To: IRRC

Subject: FW: Comments on Regulation 16A-569

Please file this under "proposed comments" for #2374. Thanks

----Original Message----

From: Jennifer Shockley [mailto:jshockley@parealtor.org]

Sent: Monday, February 02, 2004 10:46 AM

To: jschulder@state.pa.us

Cc: Jewett, John H.

Subject: Comments on Regulation 16A-569

Judy,

Attached please find PAR's comments on the proposed regulation 16A-569 "Deletion of Examination Fees."

Jennifer Shockley Assistant, Government Affairs Pennsylvania Association of REALTORS (p) 717-561-1303 (f) 717-561-8796 4501 Chambers Hill Road Harrisburg, PA 17111 2406 Telephone (717) 561-1303 Fax (717) 561-8796

February 2, 2004

Judith Pachter Schulder, Counsel State Real Estate Commission PO Box 2649 Harrisburg, PA 17105-2649

Dear Ms. Schulder:

As an organization that represents nearly 28,000 of the Commonwealth's real estate licensees, we welcome the opportunity to provide input on the proposed regulation entitled "Deletion of Examination Fees" (16A-569).

The proposed rulemaking deletes references to the examination fee determined by contract and charged by a professional testing organization from the schedule of fees and examination provisions. Currently, the regulations must be revised each time the examination fee is altered. We agree that, since the Commission has no role in setting such fees, publication in the Commission's regulations is a tedious and time-consuming process.

After careful review, the Pennsylvania Association of REALTORS® has no opposition to the proposal of deleting the examination fees. We do, however, propose that the examination fees be posted on the Commission's website for timely updating and quick access for licensees.

Again, thank you for the opportunity to comment on this regulatory proposal. Please feel free to contact me should you have any questions.

Sincerely,

Derenda Updegrave

Derenda Updegrave Director, Government Affairs

Cc: Independent Regulatory Review Commission (IRRC)