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LICENSE RENEWAL INFORMATION

RENEWALS ARE DUE AUGUST 1, 2017

The South Dakota Board of Accountancy mailed out renewal postcard reminders on June 14, 2017. It is the responsibility of the licensee to renew their license regardless of whether the licensee receives a reminder notice for renewal from the Board. To complete your FY2018 license renewal you have two options:

- 1. If you want to print and mail a renewal form, please find the form at http://dlr.sd.gov/accountancy/forms.aspx OR
- 2. If you would like to use the online renewal system, please make sure you have what is needed to complete the process as described below.

Individuals filing Active

- Web ID and Initial Password
- 2. Valid email address and mailing address
- 3. Information to complete CPE reporting requirements (name of course, sponsor, location, dates, and CPE hours); if you are requesting an extension to complete your required CPE requirements, this must be done prior to completing an online renewal.
- 4. Valid MasterCard or Visa number (including security code), billing address and valid expiration date.

Individuals filing Inactive or Retired

- Web ID and Initial Password
- Valid email address and mailing address
- Valid date when services were last provided by you to the public
- 4. Valid MasterCard or Visa number (including security code), billing address and valid expiration date.

Firms

AUGUST

- Web ID and Initial Password
- 2. Valid email address and mailing address
- 3. Number of owners in the firm
- 4. Valid MasterCard or Visa number (including security code), billing address and valid expiration date.

If you used the online renewal system previously, you created a new password and that new password is not stored in our records. If you do not remember your password, you may use your Web ID and reset the password. The reset password will be sent to the email address on file with the board.

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UPCOMING BOARD MEETINGS

August 9, 2017...... 8:30 a.m. Eide Bailly Conference Room, SiouxFalls, SD

For future meeting dates, please visit our website at: www.accountancy.sd.gov

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CONGRATULATIONS!

TO OUR NEWLY APPOINTED BOARD MEMBERS DEIDRE BUDAHL & JEFF STRAND

Deidre Budahl is a shareholder and the Director of Audit Services for Casey Peterson, Ltd In Rapid City, SD. Deidre graduated from the University of South Dakota in 2002 with a B.S. in Business Administration with a major in accounting and in 2007 with a Masters of Business Administration. Deidre is a former board member for the SD CPA Society and a current board member for Regional Hospital in Rapid City. Deidre and her husband Dereck (an inactive CPA) have three young daughters: Cameron, Reese and Brittany.

Jeff Strand is the Director of Risk Management for Eide Bailly located in Sioux Falls, SD. Jeff received his B.S in Business and Economics from North Dakota State University – Fargo. Jeff is also involved as a board member for the Sioux Falls Area Community Foundation and the committee chair of Success by 6, with the Sioux Empire United Way. Outside of his professional life, Jeff enjoys walking, hunting, swimming, waterskiing, scuba diving and golfing.

NEW LICENSEES

Below is a list of new licensees in the State of South Dakota:

Wayne Marvin Hitt Melinda M. Barrett

Sarah Jean Davis

Justin Lee Werkmeister

Andrea Renee Quick

Rebecca Marie Vien

Amy Jo Roberts

Daniel Christian Foster

Kirk Russell Overaas

Timothy Lee Tordoff

Wei Zeng

Devin M Pfaff

Keegan Daniel Stock

Rebecca Jean Ellis

Jeremy Andrew Kippley

Kelly Elizabeth Graham

Wengian Pan

Nathan Leon Hall

Nathan Donald Benjamin Block

Nancy Mae Solberg

Russell David Forrest

Caleb William Veurink

Kendell Margaret Smith

Carlye Jo Williams

Allysen Lynn Boetel

Laura Elizabeth Peterson

Brent Richard Ryrholm

Megan Kay Oeltjenbruns

Daniel Herbert Semmler

Brianna Marie Neuhauser

Sarah Kay Krejci

Carrie Anne Brown

Georgetta Ann Geidel

Romaine Robert Kocer Brooke Gabrielle Bitker

Jason Cal Jeremiason

Rachel Marie Heeney

Victoria Francine Dubbelde

Kayla Marie Cuperus

Jared Milne Stearns

Amanda Jo Littlejohn

Megan D. Dix

Kacey Susan Eggink

Ryan Peter Schad

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Shelby Mae Hogue

Austin Duane Ridl

Dawn Marie Bowers

Bobbi Jo Bourk

Shannon Nicole Miller

Brett Andrew Rozenboom

Mitchell Blake Vanden Berge

Megan Jean Keiser

Lauren Marie Unruh

Jessy Joy Gochenour

Jennifer Kay Shelton

Thomas Henry Fogarty

Anna Louise O'Neill

Janet Kay Kuivenhoven

DISCIPLINARY ACTION

William R. Kallsen, #3016 Spirit Lake, IA 3-24-17

A negotiated consent agreement was reached with Mr. Kallsen and the South Dakota Board of Accountancy on March 24, 2017. The consent agreement was in regards to the individual's failure to comply with CPE requirements.

FINAL ORDERS

1. Mr. Kallsen was required to complete 63.5 hours of CPE and

- submit all documentation to the board.
- Mr. Kallsen is required to submit required CPE documentation for the next three renewal periods.
- 3. Mr. Kallsen is not eligible for any CPE extensions for the next three renewal periods.
- 4. The board will issue a public reprimand to Mr. Kallsen.
- 5. Mr. Kallsen shall pay an administrative fee of \$350.

All disciplinary action taken by the board is posted at http://accountancy.sd.gov/disciplinary actions.aspx

DON'T BE THAT EXAM CANDIDATE:

MISCONDUCT AND PROHIBITED ITEMS DURING TESTING

As a Uniform CPA Exam candidate, you know that reviewing the Exam tutorial and sample tests before taking the Exam is very important. But do you know that reading the Candidate Bulletin and knowing the regulations applicable to Exam candidates at Prometric Testing Centers are just as important?

While there are some obvious prohibited items and behaviors (cheating, bringing study material into the testing room, and communicating with other candidates during testing), there are some less obvious items and behaviors that are prohibited. Did you know that you can't wear a watch or a fitness tracker in the testing room? Food and beverages aren't allowed in the testing room, either.

All Exam sessions are audio/video recorded to document the occurrence of any unusual activity, and the test center staff is trained to watch for unusual behavior and incidents during the Exam. Candidate misconduct is reported to boards of accountancy daily.

Consequences of misconduct include, but are not limited to, a warning from test center staff, confiscation of the prohibited item (whether or not in use), expulsion from the test center, invalidation of Exam scores, and the pursuit of civil or criminal charges.

Below are some recent incidents of misconduct reported to boards of accountancy by test center staff:

 Candidate arrived 45 minutes late for the Exam and was told he could not test. Candidate became belligerent and exhibited rude and unprofessional behavior (Disruptive and Rude Conduct).

- Candidate was checking in and was told his ID was expired. Because he was unable to provide another acceptable form of identification, he was told he could not test. Candidate became verbally abusive and used vulgar language with the test center staff (Disruptive and Abusive Conduct).
- During the routine search conducted during check-in, notes were found taped to the candidate's leg inside his socks (Prohibited Item and Conduct).
- Candidate took a break, went to her locker, retrieved her cell phone and made/received a call (Prohibited Conduct).
- Candidate decided to take a break and when he was asked to sign his correct name on the sign-out sheet, he used vulgar language and was verbally abusive to the test center staff (Disruptive and Abusive Conduct).
- Candidate took a break, went to his locker, removed review course notes and began reading them (Prohibited Conduct).
- Candidate concealed exam review notes in the waistband of her pants. She pulled them out and starting reading them (Prohibited Item and Conduct).
- When a candidate returned from break, the test center staff noticed a black object under her shirt collar; it was a Bluetooth device (Prohibited Item).

Don't be that candidate whose test-day behavior ruins all your hard work. Reading the Candidate Bulletin (https://nasba.org/exams/exam-resources/) and reviewing the Prometric test center regulations and lists of prohibited and permitted items (www.prometric.com) can keep you out of trouble and on your path to becoming a CPA.

Source: Activity Review, No. 07-2017, North Carolina State Board of Certified Public Accountant Examiners

CONGRATULATIONS TO OUR TOP CANDIDATES

Congratulations to the following individuals for passing all four sections of the CPA exam on their first attempt; sitting uninterruptedly.

<u>Name</u>	University
Reanna Bertram	University of South Dakota
Lacey Bunkers	University of Sioux Falls
Kelly Graham	Strayer University
Brandon Gronseth	University of South Dakota
Jessy Gochenour	Augustana Univeristy
Nathan Hall	University of South Dakota
Matthew Horan	University of Sioux Falls
Jeremy Kippley	Bellevue University
Austin Ridl	Univerity of Minnesota
Brett Rozenboom	Dordt College
Powers Schurrer	University of Nebraska - Lincoln

ALERT: CPE STANDARDS NOTICE

The Board has not changed its rules to allow the new AICPA/NASBA CPE standards. At this time we do not accept nano learning, CPE credits awarded in one-fifth increments or CPE credits starting at 0.5 hours. For the Board's CPE rules visit http://www.sdlegislature.gov/rules/DisplayRule.aspx?Rule=20:75:04.

NEW FIRM PERMITS ISSUED

Below is a list of new firm permits issued in the State of South Dakota by the Board of Accountancy:

Schellman & Company, LLC

Insero & Co. CPAs, LLP

Jerry Rieck, CPA

BAS Partners LLC

Kathleen McNamara, CPA

Casey Peterson, Ltd.

Christianson PLLP

Anderson Zurmuehlen & Co., P.C.

Johnson, Mattson, Smail & Cavanaugh, PLLC

Halse Company, PLC

Hofer, Humpal & Hadler

Showalter & Co CPA LLC

Aprio, LLP

Jill Whitley, CPA

Plante & Moran, PLLC

James Wigdahl, CPA, Prof. LLC

Miranda CPA & Consulting LLC

Carter & Company CPA, LLC

curter a company cr7, LLC

Peterson Whitaker & Bjork, LLC Lang Accounting and Tax Solutions, LLC

Nipe Accounting & Consulting, Prof. LLC

MOVING - LET US KNOW

SDCL: 36-20B-29 requires holders of certificates to notify the Board within 30 days of change of address or in employment.

Certificate Holder					
	Last name	Jr./III	First		Middle
Certificate #		Send Mail to		Home	Business
E-mail Address					
New Home Address					
City			State	Zip	
Home ()					
CPA Firm/Business Name					
New Business Address					
City			State	Zip	
Bus. Telephone ()		Bus. Fa	ax ()		
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