

BOARDS AND COMMISSIONS
Board of Interpreters for the Deaf and Hard of Hearing
(New Administrative Regulation)

201 KAR 39:130. Registration for nonresident interpreters.

RELATES TO: KRS 309.301(2)(a)

STATUTORY AUTHORITY: KRS 309.301(2)(a), 309.304(3)

NECESSITY, FUNCTION, AND CONFORMITY: KRS 309.301(2)(a) provides the provisions of KRS 309.300 to 309.319 shall not apply to nonresident interpreters working in the Commonwealth less than twenty (20) days per year. Nonresident interpreters are exempt from licensure so long as they provide interpreting services in this state for less than twenty (20) days per year. This regulation is necessary to ensure nonresident interpreting services do not exceed the number of days authorized by statute.

Section 1. Registration.

- (1) A nonresident interpreter providing interpreting services in the state shall:
 - (a) Register with the Board of Interpreters for the Deaf and Hard of Hearing before providing nonresident interpreting services using the form provided in Section 2(1) of this administrative regulation; and
 - (b) Report each date of nonresident interpreting service being provided in the state to the Board of Interpreters for the Deaf and Hard of Hearing using the form provided in Section 2(2) of this administrative regulation.
- (2) For purposes of the duty to register and report, each partial day of interpreting by a nonresident interpreter shall be counted as a full day.
- (3) Nonresident interpreting services shall be less than twenty (20) days per calendar year.
- (4) A registration number shall be provided by the board and the nonresident interpreter shall include the registration number on any report of services for purposes of record keeping.

Section 2. Incorporation by Reference.

- (1) The following material is incorporated by reference:
 - (a) Form "Registration of Nonresident Interpreter", DPL-KBI-010, April 2024; and
 - (b) Form "Report of Service by Nonresident Interpreter", DPL-KBI-011, April 2024.
- (2) This material may be inspected, copied, or obtained, subject to applicable copyright law, at the Board of Interpreters for the Deaf and Hard of Hearing, 500 Mero St., Frankfort, Kentucky 40601, Monday through Friday, 8:00 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. and on the board's Web site at www.kbi.ky.gov.

MARVA JOHNSON, Chair

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PUBLIC HEARING AND COMMENT PERIOD: A public hearing on this administrative regulation shall be held on August 27, 2024, at 11:00 a.m., at the Mayo-Underwood Building, Room 127CW, 500 Mero Street, Frankfort, Kentucky. Individuals interested in being heard at this hearing shall notify this agency in writing by five (5) workdays prior to the hearing, of their intent to attend. If no notification of intent to attend the hearing was received by that date, the hearing may be cancelled. A transcript of the public hearing will not be made unless a written request for a transcript is made. If you do not wish to be heard at the public hearing, you may submit written comments on the proposed administrative regulation. Written comments shall be accepted through August 31,

2024. Send written notification of intent to be heard at the public hearing or written comments on the proposed administrative regulation to the contact person by using the PPC public comment portal at the address listed below.

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