

License Expiration Dates Have Changed for Architects, Professional Engineers and Professional Land Surveyors

By early January 2012, all Architects, Professional Engineers and Professional Land Surveyors who have an active license, an inactive license, or a retired license, should have a license with an expiration date of October 31, 2013.

Those who don't may have an expired license and may have to apply for reinstatement. Check the status of your license online at www.doradls.state.co.us/alison. If you need to apply for reinstatement of your license, click on the link to your profession in the Licensee/Applicant Services Box from the Board's homepage at www.dora.state.co.us/aes.

Architects

Be sure to review the changes to the rule requirements for continuing education so that you will be in compliance in 2013 when your license renewal comes up. Click [here](#) to review the rule changes.

Professional Engineers and Professional Land Surveyors

What do we hope to accomplish with this change to one license renewal?

- Having one expiration date for all Engineers and Land Surveyors eliminates renewal fee inequities. Currently, if you renew in June, you often may pay a different fee than if you renew in July, due to the change in our fees with the transition in fiscal years.
- Having one expiration date for all three professions associated with the AES Board (Architects, Engineers, and Land Surveyors) allows us to leverage communication channels through the Board's tools, industry association resources, and professionals talking to one another, to raise awareness of the renewal period. The anticipated outcome is fewer professionals practicing with an expired license and fewer disciplinary actions, both of which would be beneficial to consumers and to licensees.
- Having one expiration date for Engineers and Land Surveyors over the two-year license period increases our Division's efficiency by accomplishing the renewal process once instead of continually during that timeframe.

Everyone

Please keep your contact information, **especially your email address**, current by visiting the Division homepage at www.dora.state.co.us/registrations and clicking the button on the left titled "Registrations Online Services."