

1 chapter 471, part I of chapter 481, chapter 482, or chapter
2 489, are acting on behalf of an insurer under part VI of
3 chapter 626, or are persons in the manufactured housing
4 industry who are licensed under chapter 320, except when any
5 such persons or business organizations hold themselves out for
6 hire to the public as a "certified mold assessor," "registered
7 mold assessor," "licensed mold assessor," "mold assessor,"
8 "professional mold assessor," or any combination thereof
9 stating or implying licensure under this part.

10 (e) An authorized employee of the United States, this
11 state, or any municipality, county, or other political
12 subdivision, or public or private school and who is conducting
13 mold remediation within the scope of that employment, as long
14 as the employee does not hold out for hire to the general
15 public or otherwise engage in mold remediation.

16 468.8411 Definitions.--As used in this part, the term:

17 (1) "Department" means the Department of Business and
18 Professional Regulation.

19 (2) "Mold" means an organism of the class fungi that
20 causes disintegration of organic matter and produces spores,
21 and includes any spores, hyphae, and mycotoxins produced by
22 mold.

23 (3) "Mold assessment" means a process performed by a
24 mold assessor that includes the physical sampling and detailed
25 evaluation of data obtained from a building history and
26 inspection to formulate an initial hypothesis about the
27 origin, identity, location, and extent of amplification of
28 mold growth of greater than ten square feet.

29 (4) "Mold assessor" means any person who performs or
30 directly supervises a mold assessment.
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1 (5) "Mold remediation" means the removal, cleaning,
2 sanitizing, demolition, or other treatment, including
3 preventive activities, of mold or mold-contaminated matter of
4 greater than ten square feet that was not purposely grown at
5 that location; however, such removal, cleaning, sanitizing,
6 demolition, or other treatment, including preventive
7 activities, may not be work that requires a license under
8 chapter 489 unless performed by a person who is licensed under
9 that chapter or the work complies with that chapter.

10 (6) "Mold remediator" means any person who performs
11 mold remediation. A mold remediator may not perform any work
12 that requires a license under chapter 489 unless the mold
13 remediator is also licensed under that chapter or complies
14 with that chapter.

15 468.8412 Fees.--

16 (1) The department, by rule, may establish fees to be
17 paid for application, examination, reexamination, licensing
18 and renewal, inactive status application and reactivation of
19 inactive licenses, and application for providers of continuing
20 education. The department may also establish by rule a
21 delinquency fee. Fees shall be based on department estimates
22 of the revenue required to implement the provisions of this
23 part. All fees shall be remitted with the application,
24 examination, reexamination, licensing and renewal, inactive
25 status application and reactivation of inactive licenses, and
26 application for providers of continuing education.

27 (2) The application fee shall not exceed \$125 and is
28 nonrefundable. The examination fee shall not exceed \$125 plus
29 the actual per applicant cost to the department to purchase
30 the examination, if the department chooses to purchase the
31 examination. The examination fee shall be in an amount that