



College of Veterinarians of British Columbia

Registration Committee Policy: Inactive Registrants in Good Standing returning to Active Registration

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The following is a policy drafted by the Registration Committee and approved by Council.

Policy

The Registration Committee considers that the public will be adequately protected if applicants who:

- have been registered for no more than 3 years in one of the following Inactive classes (Non-Practicing, Retired, Life Inactive),
- are in good standing, and
- are otherwise eligible for active registration status,

are required to commit to updating their knowledge of the current Bylaws by reading the Bylaws, rather than being required to attend the Bylaw seminar offered by the CVBC.

The policy is not intended to apply to the following instances:

- registrants being inactive by virtue of a suspension,
- applicants for reinstatement following non-payment of fees (s. 2.29),
- applicants for reinstatement after a disciplinary suspension (s. 2.30), and
- applicants for reinstatement after a disciplinary cancellation (s. 2.31).

This policy was passed by Council pursuant to Bylaw s. 1.2(4)(e) following its proposal by the Registration Committee under the authority of Bylaw s. 1.47(3)(b). It allows the Registrar to accept an application for return to active status without the necessity of referral to the Registration Committee under s.2.25 (3), where the applicant has not furnished proof of compliance with s.2.25(2)(d).