1 12 NCAC 10B .1606 is proposed for amendment as follows: 2 3 12 NCAC 10B .1606 **HOW TO APPLY** 4 (a) All applicants for an award of the telecommunicator basic, intermediate or advanced professional certificates shall complete an "Application: Professional Certificate/Service Award", (F 6). the "Application for Professional 5 6 Certificate/Service Award," Form F-6. 7 (b) Documentation of education shall be provided by copies of transcripts, diplomas, or certified letters from the 8 accredited institution. 9 (c) Documentation of training shall be provided by copies of training records signed by the agency's training officer 10 or department head, or by providing certificates of completion. No out-of-state training shall be accepted, unless the 11 officer is employed in North Carolina as a justice officer as defined in 17E-2 during the of training. 12 (d) Documentation of the applicant's length of service in North Carolina shall be based upon the Division's 13 certification records, however, certified letters of verification of employment from present or former employers may 14 be requested of the applicant. an applicant if confirmation of dates of service is required. No out-of-state length of 15 service shall be applicable to this certificate program. (e) The applicant shall submit the "Application: Professional Certificate/Service Award", (F 6) "Application for 16 17 Professional Certificate/Service Award," Form F-6, shall be signed by the department head to the agency head who 18 shall attach his recommendation and forward the application and forwarded to the Division. Certificates shall be issued 19 to the agency department head for award to the applicant. 20 21 Authority G.S. 17E-4; History Note: 22 Eff. April 1, 2001; 23 Pursuant to G.S. 150B-21.3A, rule is necessary without substantive public interest Eff. March 6,

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