

SECOND REGULAR SESSION
SENATE COMMITTEE SUBSTITUTE FOR
SENATE BILL NO. 749
93RD GENERAL ASSEMBLY

Reported from the Committee on Financial and Governmental Organizations and Elections, February 2, 2006, with recommendation that the Senate Committee Substitute do pass and be placed on the Consent Calendar.

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TERRY L. SPIELER, Secretary.

AN ACT

To repeal section 324.409, RSMo, and to enact in lieu thereof one new section relating to interior designers.

Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Missouri, as follows:

Section A. Section 324.409, RSMo, is repealed and one new section enacted in lieu thereof, to be known as section 324.409, to read as follows:

324.409. 1. To be a registered interior designer, a person:

(1) Shall take and pass or have passed the examination administered by the National Council for Interior Design Qualification or an equivalent examination approved by the council. In addition to proof of passage of the examination, the application shall provide substantial evidence to the council that the applicant:

(a) Is a graduate of a five-year or four-year interior design program from an accredited institution and has completed at least two years of diversified and appropriate interior design experience; or

(b) Has completed at least three years of an interior design curriculum from an accredited institution and has completed at least three years of diversified and appropriate interior design experience; or

(c) Is a graduate of a two-year interior design program from an accredited institution and has completed at least four years of diversified and appropriate interior design experience; or

(2) May qualify who is currently registered pursuant to sections 327.091 to 327.171, RSMo, and section 327.401, RSMo, pertaining to the practice of architecture and registered with the council. Such applicant shall give

EXPLANATION—Matter enclosed in bold-faced brackets [thus] in this bill is not enacted and is intended to be omitted in the law.

19 authorization to the council in order to verify current registration with sections
20 327.091 to 327.171, RSMo, and section 327.401, RSMo, pertaining to the practice
21 of architecture.

22 2. Verification of experience required pursuant to this section shall be
23 based on a minimum of [five] **two** client references, business or employment
24 verification and [five] **three** industry references, submitted to the council.

25 3. The council shall verify if an applicant has complied with the provisions
26 of this section and has paid the required fees, then the council shall recommend
27 such applicant be registered as a registered interior designer by the council.

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