21 NCAC 34B .0211 is proposed for amendment as follows:

3	21 NCAC 34B	.0211 NATIONAL BOARD CERTIFICATE
4	The Board shall	accept a "National Board Certificate," National Board Certificate for Arts, certifying the successful
5	completion of the National Board Examination for Arts of the International Conference of Funeral Service Examining	
6	Boards Inc., as the equivalent of that portion of the Board's entry-level examination which deals with basic health	
7	sciences, funeral service sciences, and funeral service administration in funeral directing. The Board shall accept a	
8	National Board Certificate for Sciences, certifying the successful completion of the National Board Examination for	
9	Sciences of the International Conference of Funeral Service Examining Boards Inc., as the equivalent of that portion	
10	of the Board's examination on the topics of embalming, restorative arts, chemistry, pathology, microbiology, and	
11	anatomy. National Board Certificates shall be accepted for fivethree years from the date of issue for eligibility toward	
12	licenses issued u	under G.S. 90-210.25(a)(1), (2), or (3).
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14	History Note:	Authority G.S. 90-210.23(a); 90-210.25(a)(5);
15		Eff. February 1, 1976;
16		Readopted Eff. September 27, 1977;
17		Amended Eff. February 1, 2009; November 1, 2004; September 1, 1979.
18		Pursuant to G.S. 150B-21.3A, rule is necessary without substantive public interest Eff. August 19,
19		2017.
20		<i>Eff. Date</i>
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