

REFERENCE TITLE: registrar of contractors; administrative recovery

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Representative Hendrix

AN ACT

AMENDING SECTION 32-1133.01, ARIZONA REVISED STATUTES; RELATING TO
CONTRACTORS.

(TEXT OF BILL BEGINS ON NEXT PAGE)

1 Be it enacted by the Legislature of the State of Arizona:

2 Section 1. Section 32-1133.01, Arizona Revised Statutes, is amended
3 to read:

4 32-1133.01. Administrative recovery; statute of limitations

5 A. Notwithstanding any other provision in this chapter, if a
6 contractor license has been revoked or suspended as a result of an order
7 to remedy a violation of this chapter, the registrar may order payment
8 from the residential contractors' recovery fund to remedy the violation.

9 B. The registrar must serve the contractor with a notice setting
10 forth the amount claimed or to be awarded.

11 C. If the contractor contests the amount or propriety of the
12 payment, the contractor must respond in writing within ten days after the
13 date of service by requesting a hearing to determine the amount or
14 propriety of the payment. The contractor's failure to respond in writing
15 within ~~ten~~ TWENTY days after the date of service may be deemed a waiver by
16 the contractor of the right to contest the amount claimed or to be
17 awarded.

18 D. Service of the notice required by subsection B of this section
19 may be made by personal service to the contractor or by mailing a copy of
20 the notice by certified mail with postage prepaid to the contractor's
21 latest address of record on file in the registrar's office.

22 E. If service is made by certified mail, it is effective five days
23 after the notice is mailed. Except as provided in section 41-1092.08,
24 subsection H, the contractor or claimant may seek judicial review of the
25 registrar's final award pursuant to title 12, chapter 7, article 6.

26 F. A claimant to the residential contractors' recovery fund
27 pursuant to this section must show that the claimant has proceeded against
28 any existing bond covering the residential contractor.

29 G. A claim for payment from the residential contractor's recovery
30 fund must be submitted within two years after all proceedings, reviews and
31 appeals connected with the registrar's final order terminate.