

CONTINUING EDUCATION COMMITTEE REPORT
March 8, 2006

Since the February 8, 2006 Board meeting, the following programs have been received and reviewed by the members of the Continuing Education Committee. The programs listed meet the criteria set forth in COMAR 10.29.05.03 Standards of Continuing Education Pre-approval.

Motion: The Committee requests Board approval/disapproval of the following programs:

<u>Name of Sponsor & Program</u>	<u># of Hours Requested & Approved</u>
Chesapeake Health Education Program	33.0 maximum
2006 National Disaster Medical System Conference 410-642-1857 Reno, Nevada April 24 – 26, 2006	
Aurora Casket Company	
Cremation and Marketing 1-800-457-1111 Phillips Funeral Home April 22-23, 2006	3.0
National Funeral Directors Association	
Home Study Series 1-262-789-1880	
Behavioral Style Selling	4.0
Body Preparation and Practices for Different Religions And Cultures: Jewish, Hispanic, Mormon	4.0
CFSP: It's the next Step in Your Professional Career	4.0
Creating the Ultimate Funeral Experience Through Questioning Strategies	4.0
Cremation Management: Your Business at Risk	4.0
The Danger of Not Following NFDA's Environmental Best Practices	4.0
EPA/OSHA Compliance to Protect and Enhance Your Business	4.0
FTC Compliance: 2005 Update	4.0
Having Fun with OSHA	4.0
How to Improve Personnel Management in Funeral Service	4.0
Military Funeral Honors and the Important Role of the Funeral Director	4.0
Need-to-Know Wage and Hour Compliance for Employers	4.0
Policies and Procedures: The Foundation to Crematory Operations	4.0
Price List Options and The Funeral Rule	4.0
Pricing for Profit	4.0
Reinvent Your Cremation Arrangements	4.0
Setting Up and Controlling Your Cemetery and Funeral Home Sales Program	4.0
Surviving Cremation: Operate Like It's 2010	4.0
Through the Eyes of a Child: Out Role – Their Perspective	4.0
What's Beyond Goodbye? Becoming a Full Service Funeral Home	4.0

Matthews Cremation Division

Full Cycle of Care – Pet Loss Services 2.0
 1-800-327-2831
 Location and date: TBD

CMI Institute, Inc.

Coping with Grief in a “Get Over It & Move On!” World 6.0
 716-332-0287
 Baltimore
 5/22/06

Maryland State Funeral Directors Association

MSFDA 87th Annual Convention 12.0 total
 410-553-9106
 Ocean City
 June 24 – 29, 2006

Maryland State Update	.50
News from Allied Industries	.25
New from the Community College of Baltimore	.25
OCME Update	.50
NFDA Annual Update	.75
News from Annapolis	.75
State Board Update	.50
Delivering Inspired Services	2.0
Delivering Inspired Services II	2.0
Today, Present & Future – Arlington National Cemetery	1.0
Benefits & Entitlements & Dover’s Mission	2.0
Disaster Response Update	.50
Letting the FTC Rule Work for You	1.0

The International Conference of Funeral Service Examining Board

Annual Convention	9.5 total
Association of Executives of Funeral Service Board Meeting	2.25
Disaster Results Not Rules	2.0
District Meetings	2.0
Disciplinary Database	1.0
Pandemic Disaster Planning	1.0
Sharing Best Practices	1.0
Is Your Board Ready	.75

Louisville, Kentucky
 April 8-9, 2006

Montgomery Vault

Burial Vault Construction 2.0
 301-340-2069
 Dates and Times: TBD

Individual requests:

Robert L. Freeman
 Discussion of Careers in Mortuary Science lead by Mr. Freeman
 Winter Mill High School 4.0
 Nov. 16, 2004

March Funeral Home

OSHA Standards 3.0
 410-435-0500
 Baltimore and Virginia
 May, 2005

Request for Waiver of Continuing Education Requirement - COMAR 10.29.05.06(A) "The Board shall grant an exemption from meeting the continuing education requirements to a licensed mortician, funeral director, or surviving spouse license holder who has practiced mortuary science in the State for 40 years and has submitted a request for exemption at the time of each license renewal."

<u>Name</u>	<u>License Number</u>	<u>Date of Initial License</u>	<u># of Years License</u>
Joseph Ambrose	M00007	5/1/66	40
Robert Beall, Jr.	M00025	5/1/62	44
Charles Burrier, Jr.	M00072	5/1/63	43
Philip E. Cvach, Sr.	M00128	5/1/49	57
Harry Dalton	M00934	4/1/63	43
Louise Donaldson	M00160	5/1/59	47
Henry James Eckhardt	M00176	5/1/60	46
Jerry S. Eline	M00186	6/1/63	43
Daniel Hartzler	M00278	5/1/63	43
Harvey Henderson	M00284	5/1/58	48
William Hilton	M00293	5/1/60	46
Francis Ridgely Huntt	M00310	5/1/60	46
Parnel Jones, Sr.	M00324	5/1/66	47
Stanley M. Loewner	M00381	5/1/53	53
C. Virgil Moore	M00431	5/1/37	69
Roland Phillips Stacks, Jr.	M00550	5/1/66	40
Donald C. Stottlemeyer	M00564	5/1/66	40
Willis Wells	M0062	5/1/37	69
Joseph Zannino, Jr.	M00642	5/1/54	52

Request for Inactive Status:

Phyllis Pastor Berkey	M00683
Randy Brohawn	M00054
John Cvach	M00127
John Duda	M00163
John Eberwein	M00173
Aubrey Evan Gilbert	M00384
J. Kevin Gutowski	M01106
Karen Ilgenfritz	M01018
Gerald Minnich	M00426
Deborah Whipple	M00067