

1 **Rule 15-416. Licensed paralegal practitioners on active status not practicing law**
2 **in Utah; licensed paralegal practitioners on active status engaged in full-time**
3 **volunteer work in remote locations.**

4 (a) A licensed paralegal practitioner on active status who is not engaged in practice
5 in Utah may file and attach to his or her Utah Certificate of Compliance evidence
6 showing that the licensed paralegal practitioner has met the Utah MCLE
7 requirements in Rule 15-404 with CLE courses accredited in the state in which the
8 licensed paralegal practitioner resides and practices. This may include certificates of
9 compliance, certificates of attendance or other information indicating the identity of
10 the accrediting jurisdiction.

11 (a)(1) The licensed paralegal practitioner must attach to his or her Utah Certificate of
12 Compliance a copy of the licensed paralegal practitioner's Certificate of Compliance
13 with the MCLE requirements from that jurisdiction together with evidence that the
14 licensed paralegal practitioner has completed a minimum of three hours of
15 accredited ethics or professional responsibility. One of the three hours of ethics or
16 professional responsibility must be in the area of professionalism and civility.

17 (a)(2) If the licensed paralegal practitioner lives in a jurisdiction where there is not a
18 CLE requirement, the licensed paralegal practitioner must comply with the Utah CLE
19 requirements or place his or her license on inactive status.

20 (b) Upon application by a licensed paralegal practitioner on active status, the Board
21 may grant a waiver of the MCLE requirements of Rule 15-404 and issue a certificate
22 of exemption if the licensed paralegal practitioner:

23 (b)(1) resides in a remote location outside of Utah where audio or video
24 presentations or computer interactive telephonic programs sufficient to allow the
25 licensed paralegal practitioner to participate in CLE credit hours are not reasonably
26 available to the licensed paralegal practitioner; and

27 (b)(2) is engaged in full-time volunteer work for a religious or charitable organization.