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In general I don't think notaries that have been notaries for at least 10 years should not have to take the class just to renew a notary license. I have been a notary for over 15 years and it seems that when I renew my license every 4 years the price of getting a new stamp etc. goes up.

I work for a small surveying firm and technically do not have to do that many items to notorize so for me to have to take an exam is out of line. I do feel that the State has other issues more troubling that need to be seen to than whether a seasoned notary should take up the State's time with exams. A new notary understandably should take the exam as rules and regulations change. An online update after that would make more sense for all involved.

As far as the journal is concerned that is the concern and responsibility of the Notary. I pay for my own stamp and journal . The Employer is not the established notary and therefore has no responsibility or concern regarding the journal.

Thank you for your time.

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