

Department of Justice and Consumer Affairs Contact: Dianne Kelly, (506) 453-4120	Licence for Funeral Providers <i>Pre-arranged Funeral Services Act</i> Regulation 88-32
Current Fee: N/A Proposed Fee: \$250 Effective Date: May 1, 2010	New Annual Revenue Estimate: \$14,000 Change in Annual Revenue: \$14,000
Comments: The sale of pre-arranged funeral contracts is regulated under the <i>Pre-arranged Funeral Services Act</i> to protect consumers from financial loss in the event of a failure of a funeral home. Amendments to the act provide for licensing of the funeral home (funeral provider) rather than individual funeral directors. This is a new requirement to reflect the fact that most of the 56 funeral homes are corporate entities with contractual and banking arrangements made in the corporation's name.	