HB 1701 -- Notaries Public

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This bill allows an attorney to serve as a notary public until his or her commission is revoked. Currently, a notary public serves a four-year term and is required to renew his or her status at the end of that term. An attorney will be required to submit a one-time notary fee of \$75 and a \$10 fee to the Secretary of State's Technology Trust Fund. Notary status for an attorney will be revoked if the attorney's law license is suspended, revoked, or terminated. The Secretary of State is authorized to promulgate rules for implementation of the bill.