## RULE 5 FOREIGN ACCOUNTANTS

## 5.1 QUALIFICATIONS FOR ISSUANCE OF A RECIPROCAL CERTIFICATE TO A HOLDER OF A SUBSTANTIALLY EQUIVALENT FOREIGN DESIGNATION

See A.C.A. § 17-12-308 (c) for the qualifications for issuance of a reciprocal certificate to the holder of a substantially equivalent foreign designation.

## 5.2 BACKGROUND CHECK REQUIREMENT

Such an applicant is also required to undergo a federal and state background check, as is required of non-foreign accountants for a certificate as a Certified Public Accountant.