

Association of Real Estate License Law Officials Research Guide

NAR Archives Research Guide

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Association of Real Estate License Law Officials (ARELLO) Series D2

The Association of Real Estate License Law Officials (ARELLO) is an international organization that enforces real estate license laws. Founded in 1930, the organization has undergone several name changes, including its first name, the National Association of Licensed Law Officials (NALLO), to National Association of Real Estate Licensed Law Officials (NARELLO) in 1965, and finally settling on its current name (ARELLO) in 1993. The history of ARELLO is generally divided into two different timelines, 1930-1979 and 1980-present. The former timeline pertains to the organization's poorly funded and disorganized stage, which was largely held together by loyal volunteers dedicated to ARELLO's mission. In 1980, the organization was provided with better funding which allowed them to build a reliable staff, accumulate resources, and conduct research necessary for its members. Today, ARELLO helps support their members by building training and certification programs, and providing resource materials that help educate individuals on the laws of real estate.

SCOPE AND CONTENT

The ARELLO Collection consists of the organization's by-laws and procedures from 1930 and 1975, committee annual reports and minutes from 1931.

Collection:

D2:01 – ARELLO organization & operation

D2:01 Box 1

- ARELLO by-laws, July 11, 1930
 - Includes the organization's constitution, an overview of administration, staff, and member roles, as well as rules of order.
- ARELLO statement of organization & procedure, May 3, 1975
 - Includes the revised committee objectives, committee minutes in brief (1 page), and a schedule of the committee's annual meeting.

D2:02 – ARELLO governance & leadership

D2:02 Box 1 (located in D2:01 Box 1)

- ARELLO annual report and committee minutes, May 28, 1931
 - Includes financial statements for membership fees statewide, proposed amendments to the Illinois Real Estate Brokers License Act (H.B. 500).
 - Minutes contain proposed amendments to several articles, resolved committee issues, and the appointment of new members of the Nominating Committee.