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1           (a) Completes the application form and submits a fee  
2 set by the board, not to exceed \$150.

3           (b) Demonstrates to the department through submission  
4 of documentation, or other evidence acceptable to the  
5 department, that the applicant:

6                 1. Graduated from a foreign school of nursing; or  
7                 2. Was licensed to practice professional nursing or  
8 practical nursing in another country.

9           (c) Successfully completes a nursing-review program  
10 approved by the department and passes the examination  
11 administered by the school, college, or university that offers  
12 the nursing-review program.

13           (d) Demonstrates proficiency in English.

14           (e) Provides sufficient information to the department  
15 for purposes of a statewide criminal-records check conducted  
16 by the Department of Law Enforcement.

17           (f) Is in good mental and physical health and is of  
18 good moral character.

19           (3) By December 31, 1998, the department shall develop  
20 a nursing-review program that complies with the intent and  
21 purpose of chapter 74-105, Laws of Florida.

22           (4) If an applicant is unable to provide official  
23 documentation that verifies training or licensure in another  
24 country and provides a compelling reason why official  
25 documentation cannot be obtained, or if there is limited or no  
26 information on nursing education in the country of licensure,  
27 the applicant may prove training or licensure by presenting,  
28 in writing, substantial, detailed information on the  
29 educational program that the applicant attended or by  
30 providing at least three notarized statements from nurses  
31 currently licensed in this state who have personal knowledge

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1 of the applicant having graduated from a nursing program or  
2 having been licensed as a nurse in the foreign country.

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4 (Redesignate subsequent sections.)

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7 ===== T I T L E A M E N D M E N T =====

8 And the title is amended as follows:

9 On page 360, line 11, after the semicolon,

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11 insert:

12 creating s. 464.0145, F.S.; providing for the  
13 licensure of foreign-trained or  
14 foreign-licensed nurses;

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