

Bill No. SB 472

Amendment No. 1

<u>Senate</u>	CHAMBER ACTION	<u>House</u>
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11 The Committee on Regulated Industries recommended the  
 12 following amendment:

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 14 **Senate Amendment (with title amendment)**

15 On page 11, between lines 25 and 26,

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 17 insert:

18 Section 8. Notwithstanding the transfer of the  
 19 Division of Medical Quality Assurance to the Department of  
 20 Health or any other provision of law to the contrary,  
 21 veterinarians licensed under chapter 474, Florida Statutes,  
 22 shall be governed by the treatment of impaired practitioners  
 23 provisions of section 455.707, Florida Statutes, as if they  
 24 were under the jurisdiction of the Division of Medical Quality  
 25 Assurance, except that for veterinarians the Department of  
 26 Business and Professional Regulation shall, at its option,  
 27 exercise any of the powers granted to the Department of Health  
 28 by that provision, and "board" shall mean board as defined in  
 29 chapter 474, Florida Statutes.

30 (Renumber subsequent sections.)

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2 And the title is amended as follows:

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5 insert:

6           providing for participation of veterinarians in

7           impaired practitioner treatment programs;

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