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The Committee on Health Care (Jones) recommended the following  
**amendment to amendment** (243786):

**Senate Amendment (with title amendment)**

On page 1, between lines 17 and 18,

insert:

Section 1. Subsection (1) of section 456.041, Florida  
Statutes, is amended to read:

456.041 Practitioner profile; creation.--

(1)(a) The Department of Health shall compile the  
information submitted pursuant to s. 456.039 into a  
practitioner profile of the applicant submitting the  
information, except that the Department of Health shall  
develop a format to compile uniformly any information  
submitted under s. 456.039(4)(b). Beginning July 1, 2001, the  
Department of Health may compile the information submitted  
pursuant to s. 456.0391 into a practitioner profile of the  
applicant submitting the information.

(b) Beginning July 1, 2005, the department shall  
verify the information submitted by the applicant under s.

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1 456.039 concerning disciplinary history and medical  
 2 malpractice claims at the time of initial licensure and  
 3 license renewal using the National Practitioner Data Bank. The  
 4 physician profiles shall reflect the disciplinary action and  
 5 medical malpractice claims as reported by the National  
 6 Practitioner Data Bank.

7       ~~(c)(b)~~ Within 30 calendar days after receiving an  
 8 update of information required for the practitioner's profile,  
 9 the department shall update the practitioner's profile in  
 10 accordance with the requirements of subsection (7).

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 12 (Redesignate subsequent sections.)

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16 And the title is amended as follows:

17           On page 9, line 4, after the first semicolon,  
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 19 insert:

20           amending s. 456.041, F.S.; requiring the  
 21           Department of Health to verify information  
 22           submitted by a person who applies for initial  
 23           or renewal licensure as a physician;

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