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The Committee on Health and Human Services Appropriations
(Saunders) recommended the following amendment:

Senate Amendment (with title amendment)

On page 19, between lines 2 and 3,

insert:

Section 9. Section 464.003, Florida Statutes, is
amended to read:

464.003 Definitions.--As used in this part, the term:

(1) "Department" means the Department of Health.

(2) "Board" means the Board of Nursing.

(3)(a) "Practice of professional nursing" means the
performance of those acts requiring substantial specialized
knowledge, judgment, and nursing skill based upon applied
principles of psychological, biological, physical, and social
sciences which shall include, but not be limited to:

1. The observation, assessment, nursing diagnosis,
planning, intervention, and evaluation of care; health
teaching and counseling of the ill, injured, or infirm; and
the promotion of wellness, maintenance of health, and

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1 prevention of illness of others.

2 2. The administration of medications and treatments as
3 prescribed or authorized by a duly licensed practitioner
4 authorized by the laws of this state to prescribe such
5 medications and treatments.

6 3. The supervision and teaching of other personnel in
7 the theory and performance of any of the above acts.

8 (b) "Practice of practical nursing" means the
9 performance of selected acts, including the administration of
10 treatments and medications, in the care of the ill, injured,
11 or infirm and the promotion of wellness, maintenance of
12 health, and prevention of illness of others under the
13 direction of a registered nurse, a licensed physician, a
14 licensed osteopathic physician, a licensed podiatric
15 physician, or a licensed dentist.

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17 The professional nurse and the practical nurse shall be
18 responsible and accountable for making decisions that are
19 based upon the individual's educational preparation and
20 experience in nursing.

21 (c) "Clinical nurse specialist practice" means the
22 delivery and management of expert-level nursing care to
23 individuals or groups, including the ability to:

24 1. Assess the health status of individuals and
25 families using methods appropriate to the population and area
26 of practice.

27 2. Diagnose human responses to actual or potential
28 health problems.

29 3. Plan for health promotion, disease prevention, and
30 therapeutic intervention in collaboration with the patient or
31 client.

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1 4. Implement therapeutic interventions based on the
 2 nurse specialist's area of expertise, including, but not
 3 limited to, direct nursing care, counseling, teaching, and
 4 collaboration with other licensed health care providers.

5 5. Coordinate health care as necessary and appropriate
 6 and evaluate with the patient or client the effectiveness of
 7 care.

8 ~~(d)(c)~~ "Advanced or specialized nursing practice"
 9 means, in addition to the practice of professional nursing,
 10 the performance of advanced-level nursing acts approved by the
 11 board which, by virtue of postbasic specialized education,
 12 training, and experience, are proper to be performed by an
 13 advanced registered nurse practitioner. Within the context of
 14 advanced or specialized nursing practice, the advanced
 15 registered nurse practitioner may perform acts of nursing
 16 diagnosis and nursing treatment of alterations of the health
 17 status. The advanced registered nurse practitioner may also
 18 perform acts of medical diagnosis and treatment, prescription,
 19 and operation which are identified and approved by a joint
 20 committee composed of three members appointed by the Board of
 21 Nursing, two of whom shall be advanced registered nurse
 22 practitioners; three members appointed by the Board of
 23 Medicine, two of whom shall have had work experience with
 24 advanced registered nurse practitioners; and the secretary of
 25 the department or the secretary's designee. Each committee
 26 member appointed by a board shall be appointed to a term of 4
 27 years unless a shorter term is required to establish or
 28 maintain staggered terms. The Board of Nursing shall adopt
 29 rules authorizing the performance of any such acts approved by
 30 the joint committee. Unless otherwise specified by the joint
 31 committee, such acts shall be performed under the general

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1 supervision of a practitioner licensed under chapter 458,
 2 chapter 459, or chapter 466 within the framework of standing
 3 protocols which identify the medical acts to be performed and
 4 the conditions for their performance. The department may, by
 5 rule, require that a copy of the protocol be filed with the
 6 department along with the notice required by s. 458.348.

7 ~~(e)(d)~~ "Nursing diagnosis" means the observation and
 8 evaluation of physical or mental conditions, behaviors, signs
 9 and symptoms of illness, and reactions to treatment and the
 10 determination as to whether such conditions, signs, symptoms,
 11 and reactions represent a deviation from normal.

12 ~~(f)(e)~~ "Nursing treatment" means the establishment and
 13 implementation of a nursing regimen for the care and comfort
 14 of individuals, the prevention of illness, and the education,
 15 restoration, and maintenance of health.

16 (4) "Registered nurse" means any person licensed in
 17 this state to practice professional nursing.

18 (5) "Licensed practical nurse" means any person
 19 licensed in this state to practice practical nursing.

20 (6) "Clinical nurse specialist" means any person
 21 licensed in this state to practice professional nursing and
 22 certified in clinical nurse specialist practice.

23 ~~(7)(6)~~ "Advanced registered nurse practitioner" means
 24 any person licensed in this state to practice professional
 25 nursing and certified in advanced or specialized nursing
 26 practice, including certified registered nurse anesthetists,
 27 certified nurse midwives, nurse practitioners, and clinical
 28 nurse specialists.

29 ~~(8)(7)~~ "Approved program" means a nursing program
 30 conducted in a school, college, or university which is
 31 approved by the board pursuant to s. 464.019 for the education

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1 of nurses.

2 Section 10. Section 464.0115, Florida Statutes, is
3 created to read:

4 464.0115 Certification of clinical nurse
5 specialists.--

6 (1) Any nurse desiring to be certified as a clinical
7 nurse specialist shall apply to the department and submit
8 proof that he or she holds a current license to practice
9 professional nursing, a master's degree in a clinical nursing
10 specialty, and current certification in a specialty area as a
11 clinical nurse specialist from a nationally recognized
12 certifying body as determined by the board.

13 (2) The board shall certify, and the department shall
14 issue a certificate to, any nurse fulfilling the
15 qualifications in this section. The board shall establish an
16 application fee not to exceed \$25 and a biennial renewal fee
17 not to exceed \$10.

18 (3) The board may adopt rules pursuant to ss.
19 120.536(1) and 120.54 necessary to administer this section.

20 Section 11. Subsections (2) and (3) of section
21 464.012, Florida Statutes, are amended to read:

22 464.012 Certification of advanced registered nurse
23 practitioners; fees.--

24 (2) The board shall provide by rule the appropriate
25 requirements for advanced registered nurse practitioners in
26 the categories of certified registered nurse anesthetist,
27 certified nurse midwife, ~~and~~ nurse practitioner, and clinical
28 nurse specialist.

29 (3) An advanced registered nurse practitioner shall
30 perform those functions authorized in this section within the
31 framework of an established protocol. A practitioner

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1 currently licensed under chapter 458, chapter 459, or chapter
2 466 shall maintain supervision for directing the specific
3 course of medical treatment. Within the established
4 framework, an advanced registered nurse practitioner may:

5 (a) Monitor and alter drug therapies.

6 (b) Initiate appropriate therapies for certain
7 conditions.

8 (c) Perform additional functions as may be determined
9 by rule in accordance with s. 464.003(3)(d) ~~s. 464.003(3)(c)~~.

10 (d) Order diagnostic tests and physical and
11 occupational therapy.

12 Section 12. Section 464.015, Florida Statutes, is
13 amended to read:

14 464.015 Titles and abbreviations; restrictions;
15 penalty.--

16 (1) Only persons who hold licenses to practice
17 professional nursing in this state or who are performing
18 nursing services pursuant to the exception set forth in s.
19 464.022(8) shall have the right to use the title "Registered
20 Nurse" and the abbreviation "R.N."

21 (2) Only persons who hold licenses to practice as
22 licensed practical nurses in this state or who are performing
23 practical nursing services pursuant to the exception set forth
24 in s. 464.022(8) shall have the right to use the title
25 "Licensed Practical Nurse" and the abbreviation "L.P.N."

26 (3) Only persons who are graduates of approved
27 programs or the equivalent may use the term "Graduate Nurse"
28 and the abbreviation "G.N.," pending the results of the first
29 licensure examination for which they are eligible.

30 (4) Only persons who are graduates of approved
31 programs or the equivalent may use the term "Graduate

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1 Practical Nurse" and the abbreviation "G.P.N.," pending the
2 results of the first licensure examination for which they are
3 eligible.

4 (5) Only persons who hold valid certificates to
5 practice as clinical nurse specialists in this state may use
6 the title "Clinical Nurse Specialist" and the abbreviation
7 "C.N.S."

8 (6) Only persons who hold valid certificates to
9 practice as certified registered nurse anesthetists in this
10 state may use the title "Certified Registered Nurse
11 Anesthetist" and the abbreviations "C.R.N.A." or
12 "anesthetist."

13 (7) Only persons who hold valid certificates to
14 practice as certified nurse midwives in this state may use the
15 title "Certified Nurse Midwife" and the abbreviations "C.N.M."
16 or "nurse midwife."

17 (8)(5) Only persons who hold valid certificates to
18 practice as advanced registered nurse practitioners in this
19 state may shall have the right to use the title "Advanced
20 Registered Nurse Practitioner" and the abbreviation "A.R.N.P."

21 (9)(6) A No person may not shall practice or advertise
22 as, or assume the title of, registered nurse, licensed
23 practical nurse, clinical nurse specialist, certified
24 registered nurse anesthetist, certified nurse midwife, or
25 advanced registered nurse practitioner or use the abbreviation
26 "R.N.," "L.P.N.," "C.N.S.," "C.R.N.A.," "C.N.M.," or
27 "A.R.N.P." or take any other action that would lead the public
28 to believe that person was certified as such or is performing
29 nursing services pursuant to the exception set forth in s.
30 464.022(8), unless that person is licensed or certified to
31 practice as such.

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1 ~~(10)(7)~~ A violation of this section is a misdemeanor
2 of the first degree, punishable as provided in s. 775.082 or
3 s. 775.083.

4 Section 13. Section 464.016, Florida Statutes, is
5 amended to read:

6 464.016 Violations and penalties.--

7 (1) Each of the following acts constitutes a felony of
8 the third degree, punishable as provided in s. 775.082, s.
9 775.083, or s. 775.084:

10 (a) Practicing advanced or specialized, professional,
11 or practical nursing, as defined in this part, unless holding
12 an active license or certificate to do so.

13 (b) Using or attempting to use a license or
14 certificate which has been suspended or revoked.

15 (c) Knowingly employing unlicensed persons in the
16 practice of nursing.

17 (d) Obtaining or attempting to obtain a license or
18 certificate under this part by misleading statements or
19 knowing misrepresentation.

20 (2) Each of the following acts constitutes a
21 misdemeanor of the first degree, punishable as provided in s.
22 775.082 or s. 775.083:

23 (a) Using the name or title "Nurse," "Registered
24 Nurse," "Licensed Practical Nurse," "Clinical Nurse
25 Specialist," "Certified Registered Nurse Anesthetist,"
26 "Certified Nurse Midwife," "Advanced Registered Nurse
27 Practitioner," or any other name or title which implies that a
28 person was licensed or certified as same, unless such person
29 is duly licensed or certified.

30 (b) Knowingly concealing information relating to
31 violations of this part.

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1 Section 14. For the purpose of incorporating the
 2 amendment to section 464.016, Florida Statutes, in a reference
 3 thereto, paragraph (g) of subsection (3) of section 921.0022,
 4 Florida Statutes, is reenacted to read:

5 921.0022 Criminal Punishment Code; offense severity
 6 ranking chart.--

7 (3) OFFENSE SEVERITY RANKING CHART

Florida	Felony		
Statute	Degree	Description	
			(g) LEVEL 7
316.027(1)(b)	2nd	Accident involving death, failure to stop; leaving scene.	
316.193(3)(c)2.	3rd	DUI resulting in serious bodily injury.	
316.1935(3)(b)	1st	Causing serious bodily injury or death to another person; driving at high speed or with wanton disregard for safety while fleeing or attempting to elude law enforcement officer who is in a patrol vehicle with siren and lights activated.	
327.35(3)(c)2.	3rd	Vessel BUI resulting in serious bodily injury.	
402.319(2)	2nd	Misrepresentation and negligence or intentional act resulting in great bodily harm, permanent disfiguration, permanent	

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1			disability, or death.
2	409.920(2)	3rd	Medicaid provider fraud.
3	456.065(2)	3rd	Practicing a health care
4			profession without a license.
5	456.065(2)	2nd	Practicing a health care
6			profession without a license
7			which results in serious bodily
8			injury.
9	458.327(1)	3rd	Practicing medicine without a
10			license.
11	459.013(1)	3rd	Practicing osteopathic medicine
12			without a license.
13	460.411(1)	3rd	Practicing chiropractic medicine
14			without a license.
15	461.012(1)	3rd	Practicing podiatric medicine
16			without a license.
17	462.17	3rd	Practicing naturopathy without a
18			license.
19	463.015(1)	3rd	Practicing optometry without a
20			license.
21	464.016(1)	3rd	Practicing nursing without a
22			license.
23	465.015(2)	3rd	Practicing pharmacy without a
24			license.
25	466.026(1)	3rd	Practicing dentistry or dental
26			hygiene without a license.
27	467.201	3rd	Practicing midwifery without a
28			license.
29	468.366	3rd	Delivering respiratory care
30			services without a license.
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1	483.828(1)	3rd	Practicing as clinical laboratory
2			personnel without a license.
3	483.901(9)	3rd	Practicing medical physics
4			without a license.
5	484.013(1)(c)	3rd	Preparing or dispensing optical
6			devices without a prescription.
7	484.053	3rd	Dispensing hearing aids without a
8			license.
9	494.0018(2)	1st	Conviction of any violation of
10			ss. 494.001-494.0077 in which the
11			total money and property
12			unlawfully obtained exceeded
13			\$50,000 and there were five or
14			more victims.
15	560.123(8)(b)1.	3rd	Failure to report currency or
16			payment instruments exceeding
17			\$300 but less than \$20,000 by
18			money transmitter.
19	560.125(5)(a)	3rd	Money transmitter business by
20			unauthorized person, currency or
21			payment instruments exceeding
22			\$300 but less than \$20,000.
23	655.50(10)(b)1.	3rd	Failure to report financial
24			transactions exceeding \$300 but
25			less than \$20,000 by financial
26			institution.
27	775.21(10)(a)	3rd	Sexual predator; failure to
28			register; failure to renew
29			driver's license or
30			identification card; other
31			registration violations.

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1	775.21(10)(b)	3rd	Sexual predator working where
2			children regularly congregate.
3	775.21(10)(g)	3rd	Failure to report or providing
4			false information about a sexual
5			predator; harbor or conceal a
6			sexual predator.
7	782.051(3)	2nd	Attempted felony murder of a
8			person by a person other than the
9			perpetrator or the perpetrator of
10			an attempted felony.
11	782.07(1)	2nd	Killing of a human being by the
12			act, procurement, or culpable
13			negligence of another
14			(manslaughter).
15	782.071	2nd	Killing of human being or viable
16			fetus by the operation of a motor
17			vehicle in a reckless manner
18			(vehicular homicide).
19	782.072	2nd	Killing of a human being by the
20			operation of a vessel in a
21			reckless manner (vessel
22			homicide).
23	784.045(1)(a)1.	2nd	Aggravated battery; intentionally
24			causing great bodily harm or
25			disfigurement.
26	784.045(1)(a)2.	2nd	Aggravated battery; using deadly
27			weapon.
28	784.045(1)(b)	2nd	Aggravated battery; perpetrator
29			aware victim pregnant.
30	784.048(4)	3rd	Aggravated stalking; violation of
31			injunction or court order.

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1	784.048(7)	3rd	Aggravated stalking; violation of
2			court order.
3	784.07(2)(d)	1st	Aggravated battery on law
4			enforcement officer.
5	784.074(1)(a)	1st	Aggravated battery on sexually
6			violent predators facility staff.
7	784.08(2)(a)	1st	Aggravated battery on a person 65
8			years of age or older.
9	784.081(1)	1st	Aggravated battery on specified
10			official or employee.
11	784.082(1)	1st	Aggravated battery by detained
12			person on visitor or other
13			detainee.
14	784.083(1)	1st	Aggravated battery on code
15			inspector.
16	790.07(4)	1st	Specified weapons violation
17			subsequent to previous conviction
18			of s. 790.07(1) or (2).
19	790.16(1)	1st	Discharge of a machine gun under
20			specified circumstances.
21	790.165(2)	2nd	Manufacture, sell, possess, or
22			deliver hoax bomb.
23	790.165(3)	2nd	Possessing, displaying, or
24			threatening to use any hoax bomb
25			while committing or attempting to
26			commit a felony.
27	790.166(3)	2nd	Possessing, selling, using, or
28			attempting to use a hoax weapon
29			of mass destruction.
30	790.166(4)	2nd	Possessing, displaying, or
31			threatening to use a hoax weapon

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1			of mass destruction while
2			committing or attempting to
3			commit a felony.
4	796.03	2nd	Procuring any person under 16
5			years for prostitution.
6	800.04(5)(c)1.	2nd	Lewd or lascivious molestation;
7			victim less than 12 years of age;
8			offender less than 18 years.
9	800.04(5)(c)2.	2nd	Lewd or lascivious molestation;
10			victim 12 years of age or older
11			but less than 16 years; offender
12			18 years or older.
13	806.01(2)	2nd	Maliciously damage structure by
14			fire or explosive.
15	810.02(3)(a)	2nd	Burglary of occupied dwelling;
16			unarmed; no assault or battery.
17	810.02(3)(b)	2nd	Burglary of unoccupied dwelling;
18			unarmed; no assault or battery.
19	810.02(3)(d)	2nd	Burglary of occupied conveyance;
20			unarmed; no assault or battery.
21	812.014(2)(a)1.	1st	Property stolen, valued at
22			\$100,000 or more; property stolen
23			while causing other property
24			damage; 1st degree grand theft.
25	812.014(2)(b)2.	2nd	Property stolen, cargo valued at
26			less than \$50,000, grand theft in
27			2nd degree.
28	812.014(2)(b)3.	2nd	Property stolen, emergency
29			medical equipment; 2nd degree
30			grand theft.
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1	812.0145(2)(a)	1st	Theft from person 65 years of age
2			or older; \$50,000 or more.
3	812.019(2)	1st	Stolen property; initiates,
4			organizes, plans, etc., the theft
5			of property and traffics in
6			stolen property.
7	812.131(2)(a)	2nd	Robbery by sudden snatching.
8	812.133(2)(b)	1st	Carjacking; no firearm, deadly
9			weapon, or other weapon.
10	817.234(8)(a)	2nd	Solicitation of motor vehicle
11			accident victims with intent to
12			defraud.
13	817.234(9)	2nd	Organizing, planning, or
14			participating in an intentional
15			motor vehicle collision.
16	817.234(11)(c)	1st	Insurance fraud; property value
17			\$100,000 or more.
18	817.2341(2)(b)&		
19	(3)(b)	1st	Making false entries of material
20			fact or false statements
21			regarding property values
22			relating to the solvency of an
23			insuring entity which are a
24			significant cause of the
25			insolvency of that entity.
26	825.102(3)(b)	2nd	Neglecting an elderly person or
27			disabled adult causing great
28			bodily harm, disability, or
29			disfigurement.
30	825.103(2)(b)	2nd	Exploiting an elderly person or
31			disabled adult and property is

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1			valued at \$20,000 or more, but
2			less than \$100,000.
3	827.03(3)(b)	2nd	Neglect of a child causing great
4			bodily harm, disability, or
5			disfigurement.
6	827.04(3)	3rd	Impregnation of a child under 16
7			years of age by person 21 years
8			of age or older.
9	837.05(2)	3rd	Giving false information about
10			alleged capital felony to a law
11			enforcement officer.
12	838.015	2nd	Bribery.
13	838.016	2nd	Unlawful compensation or reward
14			for official behavior.
15	838.021(3)(a)	2nd	Unlawful harm to a public
16			servant.
17	838.22	2nd	Bid tampering.
18	847.0135(3)	3rd	Solicitation of a child, via a
19			computer service, to commit an
20			unlawful sex act.
21	872.06	2nd	Abuse of a dead human body.
22	893.13(1)(c)1.	1st	Sell, manufacture, or deliver
23			cocaine (or other drug prohibited
24			under s. 893.03(1)(a), (1)(b),
25			(1)(d), (2)(a), (2)(b), or
26			(2)(c)4.) within 1,000 feet of a
27			child care facility, school, or
28			state, county, or municipal park
29			or publicly owned recreational
30			facility or community center.
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1	893.13(1)(e)1.	1st	Sell, manufacture, or deliver
2			cocaine or other drug prohibited
3			under s. 893.03(1)(a), (1)(b),
4			(1)(d), (2)(a), (2)(b), or
5			(2)(c)4., within 1,000 feet of
6			property used for religious
7			services or a specified business
8			site.
9	893.13(4)(a)	1st	Deliver to minor cocaine (or
10			other s. 893.03(1)(a), (1)(b),
11			(1)(d), (2)(a), (2)(b), or
12			(2)(c)4. drugs).
13	893.135(1)(a)1.	1st	Trafficking in cannabis, more
14			than 25 lbs., less than 2,000
15			lbs.
16	893.135		
17	(1)(b)1.a.	1st	Trafficking in cocaine, more than
18			28 grams, less than 200 grams.
19	893.135		
20	(1)(c)1.a.	1st	Trafficking in illegal drugs,
21			more than 4 grams, less than 14
22			grams.
23	893.135		
24	(1)(d)1.	1st	Trafficking in phencyclidine,
25			more than 28 grams, less than 200
26			grams.
27	893.135(1)(e)1.	1st	Trafficking in methaqualone, more
28			than 200 grams, less than 5
29			kilograms.
30	893.135(1)(f)1.	1st	Trafficking in amphetamine, more
31			than 14 grams, less than 28

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1			grams.
2	893.135		
3	(1)(g)1.a.	1st	Trafficking in flunitrazepam, 4
4			grams or more, less than 14
5			grams.
6	893.135		
7	(1)(h)1.a.	1st	Trafficking in
8			gamma-hydroxybutyric acid (GHB),
9			1 kilogram or more, less than 5
10			kilograms.
11	893.135		
12	(1)(j)1.a.	1st	Trafficking in 1,4-Butanediol, 1
13			kilogram or more, less than 5
14			kilograms.
15	893.135		
16	(1)(k)2.a.	1st	Trafficking in Phenethylamines,
17			10 grams or more, less than 200
18			grams.
19	896.101(5)(a)	3rd	Money laundering, financial
20			transactions exceeding \$300 but
21			less than \$20,000.
22	896.104(4)(a)1.	3rd	Structuring transactions to evade
23			reporting or registration
24			requirements, financial
25			transactions exceeding \$300 but
26			less than \$20,000.
27	943.0435(4)(c)	2nd	Sexual offender vacating
28			permanent residence; failure to
29			comply with reporting
30			requirements.
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- 1 943.0435(8) 2nd Sexual offender; remains in state
- 2 after indicating intent to leave;
- 3 failure to comply with reporting
- 4 requirements.
- 5 943.0435(9)(a) 3rd Sexual offender; failure to
- 6 comply with reporting
- 7 requirements.
- 8 943.0435(13) 3rd Failure to report or providing
- 9 false information about a sexual
- 10 offender; harbor or conceal a
- 11 sexual offender.
- 12 943.0435(14) 3rd Sexual offender; failure to
- 13 report and reregister; failure to
- 14 respond to address verification.
- 15 944.607(9) 3rd Sexual offender; failure to
- 16 comply with reporting
- 17 requirements.
- 18 944.607(10)(a) 3rd Sexual offender; failure to
- 19 submit to the taking of a
- 20 digitized photograph.
- 21 944.607(12) 3rd Failure to report or providing
- 22 false information about a sexual
- 23 offender; harbor or conceal a
- 24 sexual offender.
- 25 944.607(13) 3rd Sexual offender; failure to
- 26 report and reregister; failure to
- 27 respond to address verification.

28 Section 15. Paragraph (a) of subsection (1) and
 29 subsection (2) of section 458.348, Florida Statutes, are
 30 amended to read:

31 458.348 Formal supervisory relationships, standing

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1 orders, and established protocols; notice; standards.--

2 (1) NOTICE.--

3 (a) When a physician enters into a formal supervisory
4 relationship or standing orders with an emergency medical
5 technician or paramedic licensed pursuant to s. 401.27, which
6 relationship or orders contemplate the performance of medical
7 acts, or when a physician enters into an established protocol
8 with an advanced registered nurse practitioner, which protocol
9 contemplates the performance of medical acts identified and
10 approved by the joint committee pursuant to s. 464.003(3)(d)
11 ~~s. 464.003(3)(c)~~ or acts set forth in s. 464.012(3) and (4),
12 the physician shall submit notice to the board. The notice
13 shall contain a statement in substantially the following form:
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15 I, ...(name and professional license number of
16 physician)..., of ...(address of physician)... have hereby
17 entered into a formal supervisory relationship, standing
18 orders, or an established protocol with ...(number of
19 persons)... emergency medical technician(s), ...(number of
20 persons)... paramedic(s), or ...(number of persons)...
21 advanced registered nurse practitioner(s).

22 (2) ESTABLISHMENT OF STANDARDS BY JOINT
23 COMMITTEE.--The joint committee created under s. 464.003(3)(d)
24 ~~by s. 464.003(3)(c)~~ shall determine minimum standards for the
25 content of established protocols pursuant to which an advanced
26 registered nurse practitioner may perform medical acts
27 identified and approved by the joint committee pursuant to s.
28 464.003(3)(d) ~~s. 464.003(3)(c)~~ or acts set forth in s.
29 464.012(3) and (4) and shall determine minimum standards for
30 supervision of such acts by the physician, unless the joint
31 committee determines that any act set forth in s. 464.012(3)

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1 or (4) is not a medical act. Such standards shall be based on
 2 risk to the patient and acceptable standards of medical care
 3 and shall take into account the special problems of medically
 4 underserved areas. The standards developed by the joint
 5 committee shall be adopted as rules by the Board of Nursing
 6 and the Board of Medicine for purposes of carrying out their
 7 responsibilities pursuant to part I of chapter 464 and this
 8 chapter, respectively, but neither board shall have
 9 disciplinary powers over the licensees of the other board.

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11 (Redesignate subsequent sections.)

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

15 And the title is amended as follows:

16 On page 2, line 5, after the semicolon,

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18 insert:

19 amending s. 464.003, F.S.; defining the terms
 20 "clinical nurse specialist practice" and
 21 "clinical nurse specialist"; creating s.
 22 464.0115, F.S.; providing requirements for
 23 certification as a clinical nurse specialist;
 24 providing fees; authorizing the Board of
 25 Nursing to adopt rules; amending 464.012, F.S.;
 26 adding clinical nurse specialist to the
 27 classifications of advanced registered nurse
 28 practitioners; amending s. 464.015, F.S.;
 29 restricting the use of professional titles and
 30 abbreviations relating to clinical nurse
 31 specialist and certified registered nurse

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1 anesthetist practice; providing penalties;
2 amending s. 464.016, F.S.; prohibiting the use
3 of any name or title stating or implying that a
4 person is a clinical nurse specialist,
5 certified registered nurse anesthetist, or
6 certified nurse midwife unless the person is
7 licensed or certified; providing penalties;
8 reenacting s. 921.0022(3)(g), F.S., relating to
9 the offense severity ranking chart of the
10 Criminal Punishment Code, to incorporate the
11 amendment to s. 464.016, F.S., in a reference
12 thereto; amending s. 458.348, F.S.; conforming
13 cross-references;

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