

CHAMBER ACTION

Senate House Comm: FAV 3/12/2008

The Committee on Health Regulation (Fasano) recommended the following amendment:

Senate Amendment

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Delete line(s) 25-46 and insert:

Medical Education or the Royal College of Physicians and Surgeons of Canada. However, a physician may indicate the services offered and may state that his or her practice is limited to one or more types of services if when this accurately reflects the scope of practice of the physician.

Section 2. Section 459.0152, Florida Statutes, is amended to read:

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459.0152 Specialties. -- An osteopathic physician licensed under this chapter may not hold himself or herself out as a board-certified specialist unless the osteopathic physician has successfully completed the requirements for certification by the American Osteopathic Association or the Accreditation Council on Graduate Medical Education and is certified as a specialist by a certifying agency approved by the board. An osteopathic physician licensed under this chapter who completes his or her board certification after January 1, 2009, may not hold himself or herself out as a board-certified emergency osteopathic physician unless the osteopathic physician has received formal recognition as a specialist from a recognized agency approved by the board and has completed a residency training program in emergency medicine which is approved by the American Osteopathic Association or the Accreditation Council for Graduate Medical