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CHAMBER ACTION

<u>Senate</u>	.	<u>House</u>
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4/8/2008	.	
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1 The Committee on Higher Education (Constantine) recommended the
 2 following **amendment**:

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

5 Delete everything after the enacting clause
 6 and insert:

7 Section 1. Subsections (1) and (4) of section 458.3145,
 8 Florida Statutes, are amended to read:
 9 458.3145 Medical faculty certificate.--

10 (1) A medical faculty certificate may be issued without
 11 examination to an individual who:

12 (a) Is a graduate of an accredited medical school or its
 13 equivalent, or is a graduate of a foreign medical school listed
 14 with the World Health Organization;

15 (b) Holds a valid, current license to practice medicine in
 16 another jurisdiction;

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17 (c) Has completed the application form and remitted a
18 nonrefundable application fee not to exceed \$500;

19 (d) Has completed an approved residency or fellowship of at
20 least 1 year or has received training which has been determined
21 by the board to be equivalent to the 1-year residency
22 requirement;

23 (e) Is at least 21 years of age;

24 (f) Is of good moral character;

25 (g) Has not committed any act in this or any other
26 jurisdiction which would constitute the basis for disciplining a
27 physician under s. 458.331;

28 (h) For any applicant who has graduated from medical school
29 after October 1, 1992, has completed, before entering medical
30 school, the equivalent of 2 academic years of preprofessional,
31 postsecondary education, as determined by rule of the board,
32 which must include, at a minimum, courses in such fields as
33 anatomy, biology, and chemistry; and

34 (i) Has been offered and has accepted a full-time faculty
35 appointment to teach in a program of medicine at:

- 36 1. The University of Florida,
- 37 2. The University of Miami,
- 38 3. The University of South Florida,
- 39 4. The Florida State University, ~~or~~
- 40 5. The Florida International University,
- 41 6. The University of Central Florida, or
- 42 7. The Mayo Medical School at the Mayo Clinic in
43 Jacksonville, Florida.

44 (4) In any year, the maximum number of extended medical
45 faculty certificateholders as provided in subsection (2) may not
46 exceed 15 persons at each institution named in subparagraphs



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47 | (1)(i)1.-6-4. and at the facility named in s. 1004.43 and may not
 48 | exceed 5 persons at the institution named in subparagraph (1)(i)7
 49 | 5; however, Florida International University and the University
 50 | of Central Florida may exceed the cap until July 1, 2013.

51 | Section 2. This act shall take effect July 1, 2008.

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54 | And the title is amended as follows:

55 | Delete everything before the enacting clause
 56 | and insert:

57 | A bill to be entitled
 58 | An act relating to medical faculty certificates; amending
 59 | s. 458.3145, F.S.; authorizing additional universities to
 60 | employ medical faculty certificateholders; providing a
 61 | limitation on the number of certificateholders per
 62 | university; providing an effective date.