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3CHAMBER ACTION

Senate

House

1 Representative Bogdanoff offered the following:
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3 **Amendment (with title amendment)**

4 Remove lines 132-327 and insert:

5 (9) Has never failed the examination specified in s.
6 466.006;

7 (10) Has not been reported to the National Practitioner
8 Data Bank, unless the applicant successfully appealed to have
9 his or her name removed from the data bank;

10 (11) Submits proof that he or she has been engaged in the
11 active, clinical practice of dentistry providing direct patient
12 care for at least 6,000 hours within 5 years immediately
13 preceding the date of application, or in instances when the
14 applicant has graduated from an accredited dental school within
15 the preceding 5 years, submits proof of continuous clinical
16 practice providing direct patient care since graduation; and

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17 (12) Has passed an examination covering the laws and rules
18 of the practice of dentistry in this state as described in s.
19 466.006(4)(a) in the past year.

20 Section 4. Section 466.00671, Florida Statutes, is created
21 to read:

22 466.00671 Renewal of the health access dental license.--

23 (1) A health access dental licensee shall apply for
24 renewal each biennium. At the time of renewal, the licensee
25 shall sign a statement that she or he has complied with all
26 continuing education requirements of an active dentist licensee.
27 The board shall renew a health access dental license for an
28 applicant that:

29 (a) Submits documentation, as approved by the board, from
30 the employer in the health access setting that the licensee has
31 at all times pertinent remained an employee;

32 (b) Has not been convicted of or pled nolo contendere to,
33 regardless of adjudication, any felony or misdemeanor related to
34 the practice of a health care profession;

35 (c) Has paid a renewal fee set by the board. The fee
36 specified herein may not differ from the renewal fee adopted by
37 the board pursuant to s. 466.013. The department may provide
38 payment for these fees through the dentist's salary, benefits,
39 or other department funds;

40 (d) Has not failed the examination specified in s. 466.006
41 since initially receiving a health access dental license or
42 since the last renewal; and

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43 (e) Has not been reported to the National Practitioner
44 Data Bank, unless the applicant successfully appealed to have
45 his or her name removed from the data bank.

46 (f) Has not had a license disciplined or revoked in
47 another state of the United States, the District of Columbia, or
48 a territory of the United States, since initially receiving a
49 health access license or since the last renewal of a health
50 access license.

51 (2) The board may undertake measures to independently
52 verify the health access dental licensee's ongoing employment
53 status in the health access setting.

54 Section 5. Section 466.00672, Florida Statutes, is created
55 to read:

56 466.00672 Revocation of health access dental license.--

57 (1) The board shall revoke a health access dental license
58 upon:

59 (a) The licensee's termination from employment from a
60 qualifying health access setting;

61 (b) Final agency action determining that the licensee has
62 violated any provision of s. 466.027 or s. 466.028, other than
63 infractions constituting citation offenses or minor violations;

64 or

65 (c) Failure of the Florida dental licensure examination.

66 (2) Failure of an individual licensed pursuant to s.
67 466.0067 to limit the practice of dentistry to health access
68 settings as defined in s. 466.003 constitutes the unlicensed
69 practice of dentistry.

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70 Section 6. Section 466.00673, Florida Statutes, is created
71 to read:

72 466.00673 Repeal of a health access dental
73 license.--Effective January 1, 2015, ss. 466.0067-466.00673 are
74 repealed unless reenacted by the Legislature. Any health access
75 dental license issued before January 1, 2015, shall remain valid
76 according to ss. 466.0067-466.00673, without effect from repeal.

77 Section 7. Section 466.00775, Florida Statutes, is created
78 to read:

79 466.00775 Rulemaking.--The board shall adopt rules
80 pursuant to ss. 120.536(1) and 120.54 to administer ss.
81 466.003(14), 466.0067, 466.00671, 466.00672, 466.00673, 466.021,
82 and 466.032.

83 Section 8. Section 466.011, Florida Statutes, is amended
84 to read:

85 466.011 Licensure.--The board shall certify for licensure
86 by the department any applicant who satisfies the requirements
87 of s. 466.006, s. 466.0067, or s. 466.007. The board may refuse
88 to certify an applicant who has violated any of the provisions
89 of s. 466.026 or s. 466.028.

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93 Remove lines 20-39 and insert:
94 changes made in this act; providing an effective date.
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