

Amendment No.

COMMITTEE/SUBCOMMITTEE ACTION

ADOPTED	<u> </u>	(Y/N)
ADOPTED AS AMENDED	<u> </u>	(Y/N)
ADOPTED W/O OBJECTION	<u> </u>	(Y/N)
FAILED TO ADOPT	<u> </u>	(Y/N)
WITHDRAWN	<u> </u>	(Y/N)
OTHER	<u> </u>	

1 Committee/Subcommittee hearing bill: Health Quality
 2 Subcommittee

3 Representative Santiago offered the following:

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 5 **Amendment (with title amendment)**

6 Remove lines 18-22 and insert:

7 a military veteran who applies to the department for an initial
 8 license within 24 months after being honorably discharged from
 9 any branch of the United States Armed Forces. The applicant must
 10 apply for the fee waiver using a form prescribed by the
 11 department and must submit supporting documentation as required
 12 by the department.

13 Section 2. Subsection (1) of section 468.304, Florida
 14 Statutes, is amended to read:

15 468.304 Certification.—The department shall certify any
 16 applicant who meets the following criteria:

17 (1) Pays to the department a nonrefundable fee that may
 18 not exceed \$100, plus the actual per-applicant cost to the
 19 department for purchasing the examination from a national
 20 organization. The department shall waive the initial application

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21 fee for a military veteran who applies to the department for an
22 initial certification within 24 months after being honorably
23 discharged from any branch of the United States Armed Forces.
24 The applicant must apply for the fee waiver using a form
25 prescribed by the department and must submit supporting
26 documentation as required by the department. This waiver does
27 not include the fee for purchasing the examination from a
28 national organization.

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30 The department may not certify any applicant who has committed
31 an offense that would constitute a violation of any of the
32 provisions of s. 468.3101 or applicable rules if the applicant
33 had been certified by the department at the time of the offense.
34 An application for a limited computed tomography certificate may
35 not be accepted. A person holding a valid computed tomography
36 certificate as of October 1, 1984, is subject to s. 468.309.

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39 **T I T L E A M E N D M E N T**

40 Remove lines 3-8 and insert:
41 veterans by the Department of Health; amending ss.
42 456.013 and 468.304, F.S.; requiring the Department of
43 Health to waive specified fees relating to licensure
44 and certification of professions within the
45 jurisdiction of the department for honorably
46 discharged military veterans; providing for
47 application and waiver requirements; providing an