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LEGISLATIVE ACTION

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Appropriations Subcommittee on Health and Human Services (Bean)  
recommended the following:

**Senate Amendment (with title amendment)**

Between lines 96 and 97  
insert:

Section 2. Paragraphs (a) and (b) of subsection (1) of  
section 458.317, Florida Statutes, are amended to read:

458.317 Limited licenses.—

(1) (a) Any person desiring to obtain a limited license  
shall:

~~1.~~ Submit to the board, with an application and fee not to  
exceed \$300, and demonstrate ~~an affidavit stating~~ that he or she  
has been licensed to practice medicine in any jurisdiction in



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13 the United States for at least 10 years and intends to practice  
14 only pursuant to the restrictions of a limited license granted  
15 pursuant to this section. However, a physician who is not fully  
16 retired in all jurisdictions may use a limited license only for  
17 noncompensated practice. If the person applying for a limited  
18 license submits a ~~notarized~~ statement from the employing agency  
19 or institution stating that he or she will not receive  
20 compensation for any service involving the practice of medicine,  
21 the application fee and all licensure fees shall be waived.  
22 However, any person who receives a waiver of fees for a limited  
23 license shall pay such fees if the person receives compensation  
24 for the practice of medicine.

25 ~~2. Meet the requirements in s. 458.311(1)(b)-(g) and (5).~~  
26 ~~If the applicant graduated from medical school prior to 1946,~~  
27 ~~the board or its appropriate committee may accept military~~  
28 ~~medical training or medical experience as a substitute for the~~  
29 ~~approved 1-year residency requirement in s. 458.311(1)(f).~~

30 ~~(b) After approval of an application under this section, no~~  
31 ~~license shall be issued until the applicant provides to the~~  
32 ~~board an affidavit that there have been no substantial changes~~  
33 ~~in status since initial application.~~

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35 Nothing herein limits in any way any policy by the board,  
36 otherwise authorized by law, to grant licenses to physicians  
37 duly licensed in other states under conditions less restrictive  
38 than the requirements of this section. Notwithstanding the other  
39 provisions of this section, the board may refuse to authorize a  
40 physician otherwise qualified to practice in the employ of any  
41 agency or institution otherwise qualified if the agency or



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42 institution has caused or permitted violations of the provisions  
43 of this chapter which it knew or should have known were  
44 occurring.

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

47 And the title is amended as follows:

48 Delete line 14

49 and insert:

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51 patients; amending s. 458.317, F.S.; revising  
52 qualifications necessary to obtain a limited license  
53 to practice medicine; providing an effective date.