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Senator Bean moved the following:

**Senate Amendment (with title amendment)**

Between lines 1060 and 1061  
insert:

Section 24. Subsection (2) of section 468.1665, Florida  
Statutes, is amended to read:

468.1665 Board of Nursing Home Administrators; membership;  
appointment; terms.—

(2) Effective January 1, 2015, four ~~Three~~ members of the  
board must be licensed nursing home administrators. One member  
~~Two members~~ of the board must be a health care practitioner



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12 ~~practitioners~~. The remaining two members of the board must be  
13 laypersons who are not, and have never been, nursing home  
14 administrators or members of any health care profession or  
15 occupation. At least one member of the board must be 60 years of  
16 age or older. The Governor may reappoint members in order to  
17 comply with this requirement by January 1, 2015.

18 Section 25. Subsection (2) of section 468.1695, Florida  
19 Statutes, is amended to read:

20 468.1695 Licensure by examination.—

21 (2) The department shall examine each applicant who the  
22 board certifies has completed the application form and remitted  
23 an examination fee set by the board not to exceed \$250 and who:

24 (a)1. Holds a baccalaureate or master's degree from an  
25 accredited college or university and majored in health care  
26 administration, health services administration, or an equivalent  
27 major, or has credit for at least 60 semester hours in subjects,  
28 as prescribed by rule of the board, which prepare the applicant  
29 for total management of a nursing home; and

30 2. Has fulfilled the requirements of a college-affiliated  
31 or university-affiliated internship in nursing home  
32 administration or of a 1,000-hour nursing home administrator-in-  
33 training program prescribed by the board; or

34 (b)1. Holds a baccalaureate degree from an accredited  
35 college or university; and

36 2.a. Has fulfilled the requirements of a 2,000-hour nursing  
37 home administrator-in-training program prescribed by the board;  
38 or

39 b. Has 1 year of management experience allowing for the  
40 application of executive duties and skills, including the



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41 staffing, budgeting, and directing of resident care, dietary,  
42 and bookkeeping departments within a skilled nursing facility,  
43 hospital, hospice, assisted living facility with a minimum of 60  
44 licensed beds, or geriatric residential treatment program and,  
45 if such experience is not in a skilled nursing facility, has  
46 fulfilled the requirements of a 1,000-hour nursing home  
47 administrator-in-training program prescribed by the board.

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

50 And the title is amended as follows:

51 Between lines 67 and 68

52 insert:

53 amending s. 468.1665, F.S.; increasing the number of  
54 members of the Board of Nursing Home Administrators  
55 who must be licensed nursing home administrators and  
56 decreasing the number of members who must be health  
57 care practitioners; amending s. 468.1695, F.S.;  
58 revising the qualifications of applicants who may sit  
59 for the licensed nursing home administrator  
60 examination to include an applicant with a master's  
61 degree in certain subjects;