By Senator Grimsley

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An act relating to grounds for discipline of health care professionals; amending s. 456.072, F.S.;

providing that certain acts committed by a licensee are grounds for discipline; providing an effective date.

Be It Enacted by the Legislature of the State of Florida:

Section 1. Paragraph (m) of subsection (1) of section 456.072, Florida Statutes, is amended to read:

456.072 Grounds for discipline; penalties; enforcement.-

- (1) The following acts shall constitute grounds for which the disciplinary actions specified in subsection (2) may be taken:
- (m) Making deceptive, untrue, or fraudulent representations in or related to the practice of a profession, including, but not limited to, the advertising of board certification in a specialty if the licensee has not completed a residency or fellowship approved by the Accreditation Council for Graduate Medical Education, or employing a trick or scheme in or related to the practice of a profession.

Section 2. This act shall take effect July 1, 2015.