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COMMITTEE/SUBCOMMITTEE ACTION

ADOPTED	___	(Y/N)
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ADOPTED W/O OBJECTION	___	(Y/N)
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OTHER	_____	

1 Committee/Subcommittee hearing bill: Health & Human Services
2 Committee

3 Representative Miller, A. offered the following:

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5 **Amendment (with title amendment)**

6 Between lines 14 and 15, insert:

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8 Section 1. Subsection (1) of section 456.013, Florida
9 Statutes, is amended to read:

10 456.013 Department; general licensing provisions.—

11 (1) (a) Any person desiring to be licensed in a profession
12 within the jurisdiction of the department shall apply to the
13 department in writing to take the licensure examination. The
14 application shall be made on a form prepared and furnished by
15 the department. The application form must be available on the
16 World Wide Web and the department may accept electronically

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17 submitted applications beginning July 1, 2001. The application
18 shall require the social security number of the applicant,
19 except as provided in paragraphs ~~paragraph~~ (b) and (c). The form
20 shall be supplemented as needed to reflect any material change
21 in any circumstance or condition stated in the application which
22 takes place between the initial filing of the application and
23 the final grant or denial of the license and which might affect
24 the decision of the department. If an application is submitted
25 electronically, the department may require supplemental
26 materials, including an original signature of the applicant and
27 verification of credentials, to be submitted in a nonelectronic
28 format. An incomplete application shall expire 1 year after
29 initial filing. In order to further the economic development
30 goals of the state, and notwithstanding any law to the contrary,
31 the department may enter into an agreement with the county tax
32 collector for the purpose of appointing the county tax collector
33 as the department's agent to accept applications for licenses
34 and applications for renewals of licenses. The agreement must
35 specify the time within which the tax collector must forward any
36 applications and accompanying application fees to the
37 department.

38 (b) If an applicant has not been issued a social security
39 number by the Federal Government at the time of application
40 because the applicant is not a citizen or resident of this
41 country, the department may process the application using a

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42 unique personal identification number. If such an applicant is
43 otherwise eligible for licensure, the board, or the department
44 when there is no board, may issue a temporary license to the
45 applicant, which shall expire 30 days after issuance unless a
46 social security number is obtained and submitted in writing to
47 the department. Upon receipt of the applicant's social security
48 number, the department shall issue a new license, which shall
49 expire at the end of the current biennium.

50 (c) Notwithstanding any other provision of law, if an
51 applicant for a temporary certificate as set forth in s.
52 458.3137 has not been issued a social security number by the
53 Federal Government at the time of application because the
54 applicant is not a citizen or resident of this country, the
55 department shall process the application using a unique personal
56 identification number. If such applicant is otherwise eligible
57 for the temporary certificate, the board, or the department when
58 there is no board, shall issue the temporary certificate without
59 requiring the applicant to provide a social security number.

60 Section 2. Subsection (1) of section 458.3137, Florida
61 Statutes, is amended to read:

62 458.3137 Temporary certificate for visiting physicians to
63 obtain medical privileges for instructional purposes in
64 conjunction with certain plastic surgery or other medical or
65 surgical training programs and educational symposiums.—

66 (1) A physician who has been invited by:

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67 (a) A plastic surgery or other medical or surgical
68 training program affiliated with a medical school in this state
69 which is accredited by the Accreditation Council for Graduate
70 Medical Education or the American Osteopathic Association or
71 which is part of a teaching hospital as defined in s. 408.07; ~~or~~

72 (b) A teaching hospital as defined in s. 408.07; or

73 (c) ~~(b)~~ An educational symposium cosponsored by the American
74 Society of Plastic Surgeons, the Plastic Surgery Educational
75 Foundation, the American Society for Aesthetic Plastic Surgery,
76 or any other medical or surgical society in conjunction with a
77 medical school or teaching hospital as defined in s. 408.07,

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79 may be issued a temporary certificate for limited privileges
80 solely for purposes of providing educational training in plastic
81 surgery or other medical or surgical procedures, as appropriate,
82 in accordance with the restrictions set forth in this section.

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

86 Between lines 2 and 3, insert:

87 amending s. 456.013, F.S.; providing criteria for an applicant
88 of a temporary certificate for visiting physicians to obtain
89 medical privileges for instructional purposes who has not been
90 issued a social security number; amending s. 458.337, F.S.;

91 revising the circumstances under which a visiting physician may

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92 | be issued a temporary certificate to obtain medical privileges
93 | for instructional purposes;