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1 A bill to be entitled
2 An act relating to corporate practice of medicine;
3 amending s. 458.331, F.S.; providing additional acts
4 that constitute grounds for denial of a license to
5 practice medicine or for disciplinary action, to which
6 penalties apply; providing an effective date.

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

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10 Section 1. Paragraphs (xx) and (yy) are added to subsection
11 (1) of section 458.331, Florida Statutes, to read:

12 458.331 Grounds for disciplinary action; action by the
13 board and department.—

14 (1) The following acts constitute grounds for denial of a
15 license or disciplinary action, as specified in s. 456.072(2):

16 (xx) Being employed by any corporation, organization,
17 group, or person other than a physician or a professional
18 corporation, limited liability company, or nonprofit
19 organization composed of licensed physicians.

20 (yy) Allowing any person other than a physician or a
21 professional corporation, limited liability company, or
22 nonprofit organization composed of licensed physicians to
23 direct, control, or interfere with a physician's clinical
24 judgement, patient's medical record, or physician's billing and
25 personnel practices, including hours of practice.

26 Section 2. This act shall take effect July 1, 2023.