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1	A bill to be entitled
2	An act relating to formal supervisory relationships;
3	amending ss. 458.348 and 459.025, F.S.; exempting
4	certain medical offices from specified supervisory
5	relationship requirements under certain circumstances;
6	providing that a supervising physician is not required
7	to be physically present while supervising the
8	provision of laser hair removal services by certain
9	health care practitioners; defining the term "laser
10	hair removal"; providing an effective date.
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12	Be It Enacted by the Legislature of the State of Florida:
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14	Section 1. Present subsections (4) and (5) of section
15	458.348, Florida Statutes, are redesignated as subsections (5)
16	and (6), respectively, and a new subsection (4) is added to that
17	section, to read:
18	458.348 Formal supervisory relationships, standing orders,
19	and established protocols; notice; standards
20	(4) SUPERVISORY RELATIONSHIPS FOR LASER HAIR REMOVAL
21	SERVICESSubsections (2) and (3) do not apply to offices
22	supervised by a physician at which the exclusive service being
23	performed is laser hair removal by an advanced practice
24	registered nurse, a physician assistant, a registered nurse, or
25	a licensed practical nurse. A physician is not required to be
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26 physically present while supervising an advanced practice 27 registered nurse, a physician assistant, a registered nurse, or 28 a licensed practical nurse who provides laser hair removal 29 services. As used in this subsection, the term "laser hair 30 removal" means the use of a Class III or Class IV laser device registered with the department used for nonablative laser hair 31 32 removal procedures in which the laser device does not remove the epidermis; however, the term does not include electrolysis as 33 34 defined in s. 478.42. 35 Section 2. Present subsections (4) and (5) of section 36 459.025, Florida Statutes, are redesignated as subsections (5) 37 and (6), respectively, and a new subsection (4) is added to that 38 section, to read: 39 459.025 Formal supervisory relationships, standing orders, 40 and established protocols; notice; standards.-41 (4) SUPERVISORY RELATIONSHIPS FOR LASER HAIR REMOVAL 42 SERVICES.-Subsections (2) and (3) do not apply to offices 43 supervised by an osteopathic physician at which the exclusive 44 service being performed is laser hair removal by an advanced 45 practice registered nurse, a physician assistant, a registered nurse, or a licensed practical nurse. An osteopathic physician 46 47 is not required to be physically present while supervising an 48 advanced practice registered nurse, a physician assistant, a 49 registered nurse, or a licensed practical nurse who provides laser hair removal services. As used in this subsection, the 50

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52	IV laser device registered with the department used for
53	nonablative laser hair removal procedures in which the laser
54	device does not remove the epidermis; however, the term does not
55	include electrolysis as defined in s. 478.42.
56	Section 3. This act shall take effect July 1, 2024.

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