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1	A bill to be entitled
2	An act relating to clinical laboratory personnel;
3	amending s. 483.815, F.S.; requiring that an applicant
4	who qualifies for licensure under certain
5	circumstances provide proof of such compliance and pay
6	the required fees to be deemed eligible for licensure;
7	amending s. 483.823, F.S.; providing that applicants
8	for licensure as a technologist or technician who meet
9	specified criteria be deemed to have satisfied minimum
10	qualifications for licensure to perform high or
11	moderate complexity testing as a technologist or
12	technician, as applicable; providing an effective
13	date.
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15	Be It Enacted by the Legislature of the State of Florida:
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17	Section 1. Section 483.815, Florida Statutes, is amended
18	to read:
19	483.815 Application for clinical laboratory personnel
20	license
21	(1) An application for a clinical laboratory personnel
22	license shall be made under oath on forms provided by the
23	department and shall be accompanied by payment of fees as
24	provided by this part. A license may be issued authorizing the
25	performance of procedures of one or more categories.
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26	(2) An applicant who qualifies for licensure under s.
27	483.823(3) or (4), must provide proof of such compliance, and
28	pay the fees required under s. 483.807, to be deemed eligible
29	for licensure.
30	Section 2. Subsections (3) and (4) are added to section
31	483.823, Florida Statutes, to read:
32	483.823 Qualifications of clinical laboratory personnel
33	(3) Except as otherwise provided in s. 483.812, a
34	technologist or technician applicant for licensure who satisfies
35	the requirements in 42 C.F.R. s. 493.1489 to perform high
36	complexity testing is deemed to have satisfied the minimum
37	qualifications for licensure under this part to perform high
38	complexity testing as a technologist or technician in this
39	state.
40	(4) Except as otherwise provided in s. 483.812, a
41	technician applicant for licensure who satisfies the
42	requirements in 42 C.F.R. s. 493.1423 to perform moderate
43	complexity testing is deemed to have satisfied the minimum
44	qualifications for licensure under this part to perform moderate
45	complexity testing as a technician in this state.
46	Section 3. This act shall take effect July 1, 2025.
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