

House _____ Amendment NO. _____

Offered By _____

1 AMEND Senate Bill No. 840, Page 1, Section A, Line 3, by inserting after all of said section and
2 line the following:

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4 "256.462. 1. The board shall meet within forty-five days after appointment of its initial
5 members. The board shall hold at least four regular meetings each year. Special meetings shall be
6 held at such times as the rules of the board may provide and in accordance with notice requirements
7 thereof.

8 2. The board shall elect annually from its own membership a chair, vice chair, and
9 secretary-treasurer, none of whom shall hold that office for more than two consecutive one-year
10 terms, and the director of the division of professional registration shall be the executive secretary to
11 assist the board in carrying out its duties and responsibilities.

12 3. The board shall promulgate rules pursuant to chapter 536 and section 256.640, necessary
13 for the administration and enforcement of sections 256.450 to 256.483.

14 4. The board shall prepare, administer, and grade or supervise the preparation,
15 administering, and grading of oral and written examinations as required to administer and enforce
16 sections 256.450 to 256.483. The board may adopt or recognize, in part or in whole, examinations
17 prepared, administered, or graded by other organizations, on a regional or national basis, which the
18 board determines are appropriate to measure the qualifications of an applicant for registration as a
19 geologist in Missouri, provided that the individual's examination records are available to the board.

20 5. The board shall issue certificates of registration and shall renew and reissue certificates as
21 provided in sections 256.450 to 256.483. The board may upon reissuing and renewal require the
22 applicant to provide evidence of continued competence in the practice of geology.

23 6. The board shall promulgate, by rule, and issue a code of professional conduct for
24 registered geologists. The board may suspend, revoke or refuse issuance or renewal of registration
25 for any registered geologist who is found in violation of the code of professional conduct.

26 7. The board may refuse issuance or renewal of or suspend or revoke any certificate, and
27 impose sanctions including restrictions on the practice of any individual geologist registered in
28 Missouri for violations of sections 256.450 to 256.483 or the rules promulgated thereunder.

29 8. The board shall seek cease and desist orders and injunctions against any person violating
30 sections 256.450 to 256.483 or the rules promulgated thereunder.

31 9. The board shall recognize and authorize the official use of the designation "registered
32 geologist" for geologists registered under the provisions of sections 256.450 to 256.483.

33 ~~10. [The board may enter into agreements with licenser organizations of other states having~~
34 ~~official registration responsibilities for the purposes of developing uniform standards for registration~~
35 ~~of geologists including education, examinations, and other procedures for the purposes of~~
36 ~~developing and entering into registration reciprocity agreements. All such agreements shall be in~~

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1 ~~accordance with the provisions of sections 256.450 to 256.483.~~

2 ~~11.]~~ The board may recognize and establish, by rule, specialty fields of geologic practice and
3 establish qualifications, conduct examinations, and issue certificates of registration in such
4 specialties to qualified applicants.

5 256.468. 1. An applicant for certification as a registered geologist shall complete and sign a
6 personal data form, prescribed and furnished by the board, and shall provide the appropriate
7 application fee. The personal data of an individual shall be considered confidential information.

8 2. The applicant shall have graduated from a course of study satisfactory to the board and
9 which includes at least thirty semester or forty-five quarter hours of credit in geology.

10 3. The applicant shall provide to the board a detailed summary of actual geologic work,
11 documenting that the applicant meets the minimum requirements for registration as a geologist,
12 including a demonstration that the applicant has at least three years of postbaccalaureate experience
13 in the practice of geology.

14 4. Except as provided in this section, no applicant shall be certified unless he or she shall
15 have passed an examination covering the fundamentals, principles and practices of geology
16 prescribed or accepted by the board.

17 5. Any person, upon application to the board and demonstration that the person meets the
18 requirements of subsections 1 and 2 of this section and has passed that portion of the professional
19 examination covering the fundamentals of geology, shall be awarded the geologist-registrant in-
20 training certificate. The geologist then may use the title "geologist-registrant in-training" subject to
21 the limitations of sections 256.450 to 256.483.

22 6. The board shall deny registration to an applicant who fails to satisfy the requirements of
23 this section. The board shall not issue a certificate of registration pending the disposition in this or
24 another state of any complaint alleging a violation of this chapter or the laws, rules, regulations and
25 code of professional conduct applicable to registered geologists and regulated geologic work of
26 which violation the board has notice. An applicant who is denied registration shall be notified in
27 writing within thirty days of the board's decision and the notice shall state the reason for denial of
28 registration. Any person aggrieved by a final decision of the board on an application for registration
29 may appeal that decision to the administrative hearing commission in the manner provided in
30 section 621.120.

31 7. The board shall issue an appropriate certificate evidencing the issuance of the certificate
32 of registration upon payment of the applicable registration fee to any applicant who has
33 satisfactorily met all the requirements of this section for registration as a geologist. Such certificate
34 shall show the full name of the registrant, shall have a serial number, and shall be dated and signed
35 by an appropriate officer of the board under the seal of the board.

36 8. The certificate seal shall be prima facie evidence that the person named therein is entitled
37 to all rights and privileges of a registered geologist under sections 256.450 to 256.483 and to
38 practice geology as an individual, firm or corporation while such certificate remains unrevoked or
39 unexpired.

40 9. The board may issue a certificate of registration to any individual who has made
41 application and provided proof of certification of registration from another ~~[state nongovernmental~~
42 ~~or governmental organization, or]~~ country, approved by the board, provided that the registration or
43 licensing requirements are substantially similar to the requirements of this section and the necessary
44 fees have been paid. The board may require, by examination or other procedures, demonstration of
45 competency pertaining to geologic conditions in Missouri.

46 10. The board shall reissue the certificate of registration of any registrant who, before the
47 expiration date of the certificate and within a period of time and procedures established by the
48 board, submits the required renewal application and fee.

11. The board, by rule, may establish conditions and fees for the reissuing of certificates of registration which have lapsed, expired, or have been suspended or revoked.

12. Registered geologists may purchase from the board, or other approved sources, a seal bearing the registered geologist's name, registration number, and the legend "Registered Geologist".

324.009. 1. For purposes of this section, the following terms mean:

(1) "License", a license, certificate, registration, permit, or accreditation that enables a person to legally practice an occupation or profession in a particular jurisdiction; except that "license" shall not include a certificate of license to teach in public schools under section 168.021;

(2) "Oversight body", any board, department, agency, or office of a jurisdiction that issues licenses; except, for the purposes of this section, oversight body shall not include the state board of registration for the healing arts, the state board of nursing, the board of pharmacy, the state committee of psychologists, the Missouri dental board, the Missouri board for architects, professional engineers, professional land surveyors and professional landscape architects, the state board of optometry, or the Missouri veterinary medical board.

2. Any resident of Missouri who holds a valid current license issued by another state, territory of the United States, or the District of Columbia may submit an application for a license in Missouri in the same occupation or profession for which he or she holds the current license, along with proof of current licensure in the other jurisdiction, to the relevant oversight body in this state.

3. The oversight body in this state shall, within six months of receiving an application described in subsection 2 of this section, waive any examination, educational, or experience requirements for licensure in this state for the applicant if it determines that the licensing requirements in the jurisdiction that issued the applicant's license are substantially similar to or more stringent than the licensing requirements in Missouri for the same occupation or profession.

4. The oversight body shall not waive any examination, educational, or experience requirements for any applicant who is currently under disciplinary action with an oversight body outside the state or who does not hold a valid current license in the other jurisdiction on the date the oversight body receives his or her application under this section.

5. The oversight body shall not waive any examination, educational, or experience requirements for any applicant if it determines that waiving the requirements for the applicant may endanger the public health, safety, or welfare.

6. Nothing in this section shall prohibit the oversight body from denying a license to an applicant under this section for any reason described in any section associated with the occupation or profession for which the applicant seeks a license.

7. This section shall not be construed to waive any requirement for an applicant to pay any fees, post any bonds or surety bonds, or submit proof of insurance associated with the license the applicant seeks.

8. This section shall not apply to business, professional, or occupational licenses issued or required by political subdivisions.

9. The provisions of this section shall not be construed to alter the authority granted by, or any requirements promulgated pursuant to, any interjurisdictional or interstate compacts adopted by Missouri statute or any reciprocity agreements with other states in effect on August 28, 2018, and whenever possible this section shall be interpreted so as to imply no conflict between it and any compact, or any reciprocity agreements with other states in effect on August 28, 2018.

324.071. 1. The applicant applying for a license to practice occupational therapy shall provide evidence of being initially certified by a certifying entity and has completed an application for licensure and all applicable fees have been paid.

2. The certification requirement shall be waived for those persons who hold a current registration by the board as an occupational therapist or occupational therapy assistant on August

28, 1997, provided that this application is made on or before October 31, 1997, and all applicable fees have been paid. All other requirements of sections 324.050 to 324.089 must be satisfied.

3. The person shall have no violations, suspensions, revocation or pending complaints for violation of regulations from a certifying entity or any governmental regulatory agency in the past five years.

~~[4. The board may negotiate reciprocal contracts with other states, the District of Columbia, or territories of the United States which require standards for licensure, registration or certification considered to be equivalent or more stringent than the requirements for licensure pursuant to sections 324.050 to 324.089.]; and~~

Further amend said bill, Page 4, Section 324.210, Line 36, by inserting after all of said section and line the following:

"324.215. 1. The committee shall issue a license to each candidate who files an application and pays the fee as required by the provisions of sections 324.200 to 324.225 and who furnishes evidence satisfactory to the committee that the candidate has complied with the provisions of section 324.210 or with the provisions of subsection 2 of this section.

2. The committee may issue a license to any dietitian who has a valid current license to practice dietetics or medical nutrition therapy in ~~[any jurisdiction]~~ another country, provided that such person is licensed in a ~~[jurisdiction]~~ country whose requirements for licensure are substantially equal to, or greater than, the requirements for licensure of dietitians in Missouri at the time the applicant applies for licensure.

3. The committee may not allow any person to sit for the examination for licensure as a dietitian in this state who has failed the examination as approved by the committee three times, until the applicant submits evidence of satisfactory completion of additional course work or experience and has been approved by the committee for reexamination.

324.421. The council shall register without examination any interior designer certified, licensed or registered in ~~[another state or territory of the United States or]~~ a foreign country if the applicant has qualifications which are at least equivalent to the requirements for registration as a registered interior designer in this state and such applicant pays the required fees.

324.487. 1. It is unlawful for any person to practice acupuncture in this state, unless such person:

(1) Possesses a valid license issued by the board pursuant to sections 324.475 to 324.499; or

(2) Is engaged in a supervised course of study that has been authorized by the committee approved by the board, and is designated and identified by a title that clearly indicates status as a trainee, and is under the supervision of a licensed acupuncturist.

2. A person may be licensed to practice acupuncture in this state if the applicant:

(1) Is twenty-one years of age or older and ~~[meets one of the following requirements: —(a)]~~ is actively certified as a Diplomate in Acupuncture by the National Commission for the Certification of Acupuncture and Oriental Medicine~~[-or~~

~~—(b) Is actively licensed, certified or registered in a state or jurisdiction of the United States which has eligibility and examination requirements that are at least equivalent to those of the National Commission for the Certification of Acupuncture and Oriental Medicine, as determined by the committee and approved by the board]; and~~

(2) Submits to the committee an application on a form prescribed by the committee; and

(3) Pays the appropriate fee.

3. The board shall issue a certificate of licensure to each individual who satisfies the requirements of subsection 2 of this section, certifying that the holder is authorized to practice

1 acupuncture in this state. The holder shall have in his or her possession at all times while practicing
2 acupuncture, the license issued pursuant to sections 324.475 to 324.499.

3 324.920. 1. The applicant for a statewide electrical contractor's license shall satisfy the
4 following requirements:

5 (1) Be at least twenty-one years of age;

6 (2) Provide proof of liability insurance in the amount of five hundred thousand dollars, and
7 post a bond with each political subdivision in which he or she will perform work, as required by that
8 political subdivision;

9 (3) Pass a standardized and nationally accredited electrical assessment examination that has
10 been created and administered by a third party and that meets current national industry standards, as
11 determined by the division;

12 (4) Pay for the costs of such examination; and

13 (5) Have completed one of the following:

14 (a) Twelve thousand verifiable practical hours installing equipment and associated wiring;

15 (b) Ten thousand verifiable practical hours installing equipment and associated wiring and
16 have received an electrical journeyman certificate from a United States Department of Labor-
17 approved electrical apprenticeship program;

18 (c) Eight thousand verifiable practical hours installing equipment and associated wiring and
19 have received an associate's degree from a state-accredited program; or

20 (d) Four thousand verifiable practical hours supervising the installation of equipment and
21 associated wiring and have received a four-year electrical engineering degree.

22 2. Electrical contractors who hold an electrical contractor license in good standing that was
23 issued by any authority in this state that required prior to January 1, 2018, the passing of a
24 standardized and nationally accredited written electrical assessment examination that is based upon
25 the National Electrical Code and who have completed twelve thousand hours of verifiable practical
26 experience shall be issued a statewide license. The provisions of this subsection shall apply only to
27 electrical contractor licenses issued by a political subdivision with the legal authority to issue such
28 licenses.

29 3. Each corporation, firm, institution, organization, company, or representative thereof
30 engaging in electrical contracting shall have in its employ, at a supervisory level, at least one
31 electrical contractor who possesses a statewide license in accordance with sections 324.900 to
32 324.945. A statewide licensed electrical contractor shall represent only one firm, company,
33 corporation, institution, or organization at one time.

34 4. Any person operating as an electrical contractor in a political subdivision that does not
35 require the contractor to hold a local license shall not be required to possess a statewide license
36 under sections 324.900 to 324.945 to continue to operate as an electrical contractor in such political
37 subdivision.

38 ~~[5. The division may negotiate reciprocal agreements with other states, the District of~~
39 ~~Columbia, or territories of the United States which require standards for licensure, registration, or~~
40 ~~certification considered to be equivalent or more stringent than the requirements for licensure under~~
41 ~~sections 324.900 to 324.945.]~~

42 324.1110. 1. (1) The board shall require as a condition of licensure as a private investigator
43 that the applicant pass a written examination as evidence of knowledge of investigator rules and
44 regulations.

45 (2) In the event requirements have been met so that testing has been waived, qualification
46 shall be dependent on a showing of, for the two previous years:

47 (a) Registration and good standing as a business in this state; and

48 (b) Two hundred fifty thousand dollars in business general liability insurance.

1 ~~[(3) The board may review applicants seeking reciprocity. An applicant seeking reciprocity~~
2 ~~shall have undergone a licensing procedure similar to that required by this state and shall meet this~~
3 ~~state's minimum insurance requirements.]~~

4 2. The board shall require as a condition of licensure as a private fire investigator that the
5 applicant:

6 (1) Provide evidence of active certification as a fire investigator issued by the division of
7 fire safety; and

8 (2) Provide proof of liability insurance with coverage of at least one million dollars.

9 3. The board shall conduct a complete investigation of the background of each applicant for
10 licensure as a private investigator or private fire investigator to determine whether the applicant is
11 qualified for licensure under sections 324.1100 to 324.1148. The board shall outline basic
12 qualification requirements for licensing as a private investigator, private investigator agency, private
13 fire investigator, and private fire investigator agency.

14 328.085. 1. The board shall grant without examination a license to practice barbering to
15 any applicant ~~[who holds a current barber's license which is issued by another state or territory~~
16 ~~whose requirements for licensure were equivalent to the licensing requirements in effect in Missouri~~
17 ~~at the time the applicant was licensed or]~~ who has practiced the trade in another state for at least two
18 consecutive years. An applicant under this section shall pay the appropriate application and
19 licensure fees at the time of making application. A licensee who is currently under disciplinary
20 action with another board of barbering shall not be licensed by reciprocity under the provisions of
21 ~~[this chapter]~~ section 324.009.

22 2. Any person who has lawfully practiced or received training in another state who does not
23 qualify for licensure without examination may apply to the board for licensure by examination.
24 Upon application to the board, the board shall evaluate the applicant's experience and training to
25 determine the extent to which the applicant's training and experience satisfies current Missouri
26 licensing requirements and shall notify the applicant regarding his or her deficiencies and inform the
27 applicant of the action which he or she must take to qualify to take the examination.

28 3. The applicant for licensure under this section shall pay a fee equivalent to the barber
29 examination fee.

30 329.085. 1. Any person desiring an instructor license shall submit to the board a written
31 application on a form supplied by the board showing that the applicant has met the requirements set
32 forth in section 329.080 or 324.009. An applicant who has met all requirements as determined by
33 the board shall be allowed to take the instructor examination, including any person who has been
34 licensed three or more years as a cosmetologist, manicurist or esthetician. If the applicant passes the
35 examination to the satisfaction of the board, the board shall issue to the applicant an instructor
36 license.

37 2. The instructor examination fee and the instructor license fee for an instructor license shall
38 be nonrefundable.

39 3. The instructor license renewal fee shall be in addition to the regular cosmetologist,
40 esthetician or manicurist license renewal fee. For each renewal the instructor shall submit proof of
41 having attended a teacher training seminar or workshop at least once every two years, sponsored by
42 any university, or Missouri vocational association, or bona fide state cosmetology association
43 specifically approved by the board to satisfy the requirement for continued training of this
44 subsection. Renewal fees shall be due and payable on or before the renewal date and, if the fee
45 remains unpaid thereafter in such license period, there shall be a late fee in addition to the regular
46 fee.

47 4. Instructors duly licensed as physicians or attorneys or lecturers on subjects not directly
48 pertaining to the practice pursuant to this chapter need not be holders of licenses provided for in this

chapter.

5. ~~[The board shall grant instructor licensure upon application and payment of a fee equivalent to the sum of the instructor examination fee and the instructor license fee, provided the applicant establishes compliance with the cosmetology instructor requirements of another state, territory of the United States, or District of Columbia wherein the requirements are substantially equal or superior to those in force in Missouri at the time the application for licensure is filed and the applicant holds a current instructor license in the other jurisdiction at the time of making application.~~

~~6.]~~ Any person licensed as a cosmetology instructor prior to the training requirements which became effective January 1, 1979, may continue to be licensed as such, provided such license is maintained and the licensee complies with the continued training requirements as provided in subsection 3 of this section. Any person with an expired instructor license that is not restored to current status within two years of the date of expiration shall be required to meet the training and examination requirements as provided in this section and section 329.080.

329.130. 1. The board shall grant without examination a license to practice cosmetology to any applicant ~~[who holds a current license that is issued by another state, territory of the United States, or the District of Columbia whose requirements for licensure are substantially equal to the licensing requirements in Missouri at the time the application is filed or]~~ who has practiced cosmetology for at least two consecutive years in another state, territory of the United States, or the District of Columbia. The applicant under this subsection shall pay the appropriate application and licensure fees at the time of making application. A licensee who is currently under disciplinary action with another board of cosmetology shall not be licensed by reciprocity under the provisions of ~~[this chapter]~~ section 324.009.

2. Any person who lawfully practiced or received training in another state who does not qualify for licensure without examination may apply to the board for licensure by examination. Upon application to the board, the board shall evaluate the applicant's experience and training to determine the extent to which the applicant's training and experience satisfies current Missouri licensing requirements and shall notify the applicant regarding his or her deficiencies and inform the applicant of the action that he or she must take to qualify to take the examination. The applicant for licensure under this subsection shall pay the appropriate examination and licensure fees.

330.030. Any person desiring to practice podiatric medicine in this state shall furnish the board with satisfactory proof, including a statement under oath or affirmation that all representations are true and correct to the best knowledge and belief of the person submitting and signing same, subject to the penalties of making a false affidavit or declaration, that he or she is twenty-one years of age or over, and of good moral character, and that he or she has received at least four years of high school training, or the equivalent thereof, and has received a diploma or certificate of graduation from an approved college of podiatric medicine, recognized and approved by the board, having a minimum requirement of two years in an accredited college and four years in a recognized college of podiatric medicine. Upon payment of the examination fee, and making satisfactory proof as aforesaid, the applicant shall be examined by the board, or a committee thereof, under such rules and regulations as said board may determine, and if found qualified, shall be licensed, upon payment of the license fee, to practice podiatric medicine as licensed; provided, that the board shall, under regulations established by the board, admit without examination legally qualified practitioners of podiatric medicine who hold licenses to practice podiatric medicine in ~~[any state or territory of the United States or the District of Columbia or]~~ any foreign country with equal educational requirements to the state of Missouri upon the applicant paying a fee equivalent to the license and examination fees required above.

331.030. 1. No person shall engage in the practice of chiropractic without having first

1 secured a chiropractic license as provided in this chapter.

2 2. Any person desiring to procure a license authorizing the person to practice chiropractic in
3 this state shall be at least twenty-one years of age and shall make application on the form prescribed
4 by the board. The application shall contain a statement that it is made under oath or affirmation and
5 that representations contained thereon are true and correct to the best knowledge and belief of the
6 person signing the application, subject to the penalties of making a false affidavit or declaration, and
7 shall give the applicant's name, address, age, sex, name of chiropractic schools or colleges which the
8 person attended or of which the person is a graduate, and such other reasonable information as the
9 board may require. The applicant shall give evidence satisfactory to the board of the successful
10 completion of the educational requirements of this chapter, that the applicant is of good moral
11 character, and that the chiropractic school or college of which the applicant is a graduate is teaching
12 chiropractic in accordance with the requirements of this chapter. The board may make a final
13 determination as to whether or not the school from which the applicant graduated is so teaching.

14 3. Before an applicant shall be eligible for licensure, the applicant shall furnish evidence
15 satisfactory to the board that the applicant has received the minimum number of semester credit
16 hours, as required by the Council on Chiropractic Education, or its successor, prior to beginning the
17 doctoral course of study in chiropractic. The minimum number of semester credit hours applicable
18 at the time of enrollment in a doctoral course of study must be in those subjects, hours and course
19 content as may be provided for by the Council on Chiropractic Education or, in the absence of the
20 Council on Chiropractic Education or its provision for such subjects, such hours and course content
21 as adopted by rule of the board; however in no event shall fewer than ninety semester credit hours
22 be accepted as the minimum number of hours required prior to beginning the doctoral course of
23 study in chiropractic. The examination applicant shall also provide evidence satisfactory to the
24 board of having graduated from a chiropractic college having status with the Commission on
25 Accreditation of the Council on Chiropractic Education or its successor. Any senior student in a
26 chiropractic college having status with the Commission on Accreditation on the Council on
27 Chiropractic Education or its successor may take a practical examination administered or approved
28 by the board under such requirements and conditions as are adopted by the board by rule, but no
29 license shall be issued until all of the requirements for licensure have been met.

30 4. Each applicant shall pay upon application an application or examination fee. All moneys
31 collected pursuant to the provisions of this chapter shall be nonrefundable and shall be collected by
32 the director of the division of professional registration who shall transmit it to the department of
33 revenue for deposit in the state treasury to the credit of the chiropractic board fund. Any person
34 failing to pass a practical examination administered or approved by the board may be reexamined
35 upon fulfilling such requirements, including the payment of a reexamination fee, as the board may
36 by rule prescribe.

37 5. Every applicant for licensure by examination shall have taken and successfully passed all
38 required and optional parts of the written examination given by the National Board of Chiropractic
39 Examiners, including the written clinical competency examination, under such conditions as
40 established by rule of the board, and all applicants for licensure by examination shall successfully
41 pass a practical examination administered or approved by the board and a written examination
42 testing the applicant's knowledge and understanding of the laws and regulations regarding the
43 practice of chiropractic in this state. The board shall issue to each applicant who meets the
44 standards and successful completion of the examinations, as established by rule of the board, a
45 license to practice chiropractic. The board shall not recognize any correspondence work in any
46 chiropractic school or college as credit for meeting the requirements of this chapter.

47 6. The board shall issue a license without examination to persons who have been regularly
48 licensed to practice chiropractic in ~~[any other state, territory, or the District of Columbia, or in]~~ any

foreign country, provided that the regulations for securing a license in the other [jurisdiction] country are equivalent to those required for licensure in the state of Missouri, when the applicant furnishes satisfactory evidence that the applicant has continuously practiced chiropractic for at least one year immediately preceding the applicant's application to the board and that the applicant is of good moral character, and upon the payment of the reciprocity license fee as established by rule of the board. The board may require an applicant to successfully complete the Special Purposes Examination for Chiropractic (SPEC) administered by the National Board of Chiropractic Examiners if the requirements for securing a license in the other [jurisdiction] country are not equivalent to those required for licensure in the state of Missouri at the time application is made for licensure under this subsection.

7. Any applicant who has failed any portion of the practical examination administered or approved by the board three times shall be required to return to an accredited chiropractic college for a semester of additional study in the subjects failed, as provided by rule of the board.

8. A chiropractic physician currently licensed in Missouri shall apply to the board for certification prior to engaging in the practice of meridian therapy/acupressure/acupuncture. Each such application shall be accompanied by the required fee. The board shall establish by rule the minimum requirements for the specialty certification under this subsection. "Meridian therapy/acupressure/acupuncture" shall mean methods of diagnosing and the treatment of a patient by stimulating specific points on or within the body by various methods including but not limited to manipulation, heat, cold, pressure, vibration, ultrasound, light, electrocurrent, and short-needle insertion for the purpose of obtaining a biopositive reflex response by nerve stimulation.

9. The board may through its rulemaking process authorize chiropractic physicians holding a current Missouri license to apply for certification in a specialty as the board may deem appropriate and charge a fee for application for certification, provided that:

(1) The board establishes minimum initial and continuing educational requirements sufficient to ensure the competence of applicants seeking certification in the particular specialty; and

(2) The board shall not establish any provision for certification of licensees in a particular specialty which is not encompassed within the practice of chiropractic as defined in section 331.010.

333.041. 1. Each applicant for a license to practice funeral directing shall furnish evidence to establish to the satisfaction of the board that he or she is:

(1) At least eighteen years of age, and possesses a high school diploma, a general equivalency diploma, or equivalent thereof, as determined, at its discretion, by the board; and

(2) A person of good moral character.

2. Every person desiring to enter the profession of embalming dead human bodies within the state of Missouri and who is enrolled in a program accredited by the American Board of Funeral Service Education, any successor organization, or other accrediting entity as approved by the board shall register with the board as a practicum student upon the form provided by the board. After such registration, a student may assist, under the direct supervision of Missouri licensed embalmers and funeral directors, in Missouri licensed funeral establishments, while serving his or her practicum. The form for registration as a practicum student shall be accompanied by a fee in an amount established by the board.

3. Each applicant for a license to practice embalming shall furnish evidence to establish to the satisfaction of the board that he or she:

(1) Is at least eighteen years of age, and possesses a high school diploma, a general equivalency diploma, or equivalent thereof, as determined, at its discretion, by the board;

(2) Is a person of good moral character;

(3) Has completed a funeral service education program accredited by the American Board of Funeral Service Education, any successor organization, or other accrediting entity as approved by

the board. If an applicant does not complete all requirements for licensure within five years from the date of his or her completion of an accredited program, his or her registration as an apprentice embalmer shall be automatically cancelled. The applicant shall be required to file a new application and pay applicable fees. No previous apprenticeship shall be considered for the new application;

(4) Upon due examination administered by the board, is possessed of a knowledge of the subjects of embalming, anatomy, pathology, bacteriology, mortuary administration, chemistry, restorative art, together with statutes, rules and regulations governing the care, custody, shelter and disposition of dead human bodies and the transportation thereof or has passed the national board examination of the Conference of Funeral Service Examining Boards. If any applicant fails to pass the state examination, he or she may retake the examination at the next regular examination meeting. The applicant shall notify the board office of his or her desire to retake the examination at least thirty days prior to the date of the examination. Each time the examination is retaken, the applicant shall pay a new examination fee in an amount established by the board;

(5) Has been employed full time in funeral service in a licensed funeral establishment and has personally embalmed at least twenty-five dead human bodies under the personal supervision of an embalmer who holds a current and valid Missouri embalmer's license ~~[or an embalmer who holds a current and valid embalmer's license in a state with which the Missouri board has entered into a reciprocity agreement]~~ during an apprenticeship of not less than twelve consecutive months. "Personal supervision" means that the licensed embalmer shall be physically present during the entire embalming process in the first six months of the apprenticeship period and physically present at the beginning of the embalming process and available for consultation and personal inspection within a period of not more than one hour in the remaining six months of the apprenticeship period. All transcripts and other records filed with the board shall become a part of the board files.

4. If the applicant does not complete the application process within the five years after his or her completion of an approved program, then he or she must file a new application and no fees paid previously shall apply toward the license fee.

5. Examinations required by this section and section 333.042 shall be held at least twice a year at times and places fixed by the board. The board shall by rule and regulation prescribe the standard for successful completion of the examinations.

6. Upon establishment of his or her qualifications as specified by this section or section 333.042, the board shall issue to the applicant a license to practice funeral directing or embalming, as the case may require, and shall register the applicant as a duly licensed funeral director or a duly licensed embalmer. Any person having the qualifications required by this section and section 333.042 may be granted both a license to practice funeral directing and to practice embalming.

7. The board shall, upon request, waive any requirement of this chapter and issue a temporary funeral director's license, valid for six months, to the surviving spouse or next of kin or the personal representative of a licensed funeral director, or to the spouse, next of kin, employee or conservator of a licensed funeral director disabled because of sickness, mental incapacity or injury.

333.042. 1. Every person desiring to enter the profession of funeral directing in this state shall make application with the state board of embalmers and funeral directors and pay the current application and examination fees. Except as otherwise provided in section 41.950, applicants not entitled to a license pursuant to section 333.051 or 324.009 shall serve an apprenticeship for at least twelve consecutive months in a funeral establishment licensed for the care and preparation for burial and transportation of the human dead in this state or in another state which has established standards for admission to practice funeral directing equal to, or more stringent than, the requirements for admission to practice funeral directing in this state. The applicant shall devote at least fifteen hours per week to his or her duties as an apprentice under the supervision of a Missouri licensed funeral director. Such applicant shall submit proof to the board, on forms provided by the board, that the

1 applicant has arranged and conducted ten funeral services during the applicant's apprenticeship
 2 under the supervision of a Missouri licensed funeral director. Upon completion of the
 3 apprenticeship, the applicant shall appear before the board to be tested on the applicant's legal and
 4 practical knowledge of funeral directing, funeral home licensing, preneed funeral contracts and the
 5 care, custody, shelter, disposition and transportation of dead human bodies. Upon acceptance of the
 6 application and fees by the board, an applicant shall have twenty-four months to successfully
 7 complete the requirements for licensure found in this section or the application for licensure shall be
 8 cancelled.

9 2. If a person applies for a limited license to work only in a funeral establishment which is
 10 licensed only for cremation, including transportation of dead human bodies to and from the funeral
 11 establishment, he or she shall make application, pay the current application and examination fee and
 12 successfully complete the Missouri law examination. He or she shall be exempt from the twelve-
 13 month apprenticeship required by subsection 1 of this section and the practical examination before
 14 the board. If a person has a limited license issued pursuant to this subsection, he or she may obtain
 15 a full funeral director's license if he or she fulfills the apprenticeship and successfully completes the
 16 funeral director practical examination.

17 3. If an individual is a Missouri licensed embalmer or has completed a program accredited
 18 by the American Board of Funeral Service Education, any successor organization, or other
 19 accrediting entity as approved by the board or has successfully completed a course of study in
 20 funeral directing offered by an institution accredited by a recognized national, regional or state
 21 accrediting body and approved by the state board of embalmers and funeral directors, and desires to
 22 enter the profession of funeral directing in this state, the individual shall comply with all the
 23 requirements for licensure as a funeral director pursuant to subsection 1 of section 333.041 and
 24 subsection 1 of this section; however, the individual is exempt from the twelve-month
 25 apprenticeship required by subsection 1 of this section.

26 ~~333.051. [1. Any individual holding a valid, unrevoked and unexpired license as a funeral~~
 27 ~~director or embalmer in the state of his or her residence may be granted a license to practice funeral~~
 28 ~~directing or embalming in this state on application to the board and on providing the board with~~
 29 ~~such evidence as to his or her qualifications as is required by the board.~~

30 ~~———2. Any individual holding a valid, unrevoked and unexpired license as an embalmer or~~
 31 ~~funeral director in another state having requirements substantially similar to those existing in this~~
 32 ~~state may apply for a license to practice in this state by filing with the board a certified statement~~
 33 ~~from the examining board of the state or territory in which the applicant holds his or her license~~
 34 ~~showing the grade rating upon which the license was granted, together with a recommendation, and~~
 35 ~~the board shall grant the applicant a license upon his or her successful completion of an examination~~
 36 ~~over Missouri laws as required in section 333.041 or section 333.042 if the board finds that the~~
 37 ~~applicant's qualifications meet the requirements for funeral directors or embalmers in this state at~~
 38 ~~the time the applicant was originally licensed in the other state.~~

39 ~~———3.] A person holding a valid, unrevoked and unexpired license to practice funeral directing~~
 40 ~~or embalming in another state or territory with requirements less than those of this state may, after~~
 41 ~~five consecutive years of active experience as a licensed funeral director or embalmer in that state,~~
 42 ~~apply for a license to practice in this state after passing a test to prove his or her proficiency,~~
 43 ~~including but not limited to a knowledge of the laws and regulations of this state as to funeral~~
 44 ~~directing and embalming.~~

45 337.510. 1. Each applicant for licensure as a professional counselor shall furnish evidence
 46 to the committee that the applicant is at least eighteen years of age, is of good moral character, is a
 47 United States citizen or is legally present in the United States; and

48 (1) The applicant has completed a course of study as defined by the board rule leading to a

1 master's, specialist's, or doctoral degree with a major in counseling; and

2 (2) The applicant has completed acceptable supervised counseling as defined by board rule.
 3 If the applicant has a master's degree with a major in counseling as defined by board rule, the
 4 applicant shall complete at least two years of acceptable supervised counseling experience
 5 subsequent to the receipt of the master's degree. The composition and number of hours comprising
 6 the acceptable supervised counseling experience shall be defined by board rule. An applicant may
 7 substitute thirty semester hours of post master's graduate study for one of the two required years of
 8 acceptable supervised counseling experience if such hours are clearly related to counseling;

9 (3) After August 28, 2007, each applicant shall have completed a minimum of three hours
 10 of graduate level coursework in diagnostic systems either in the curriculum leading to a degree or as
 11 post master's graduate level course work;

12 (4) Upon examination, the applicant is possessed of requisite knowledge of the profession,
 13 including techniques and applications, research and its interpretation, and professional affairs and
 14 ethics.

15 ~~2. [Any person who previously held a valid unrevoked, unsuspended license as a~~
 16 ~~professional counselor in this state and who held a valid license as a professional counselor in~~
 17 ~~another state at the time of application to the committee shall be granted a license to engage in~~
 18 ~~professional counseling in this state upon application to the committee accompanied by the~~
 19 ~~appropriate fee as established by the committee pursuant to section 337.507.~~

20 ~~3.]~~ Any person holding a current license, certificate of registration, or permit from another
 21 state or territory of the United States to practice as a professional counselor who does not meet the
 22 requirements in section 324.009 and who is at least eighteen years of age, is of good moral
 23 character, and is a United States citizen or is legally present in the United States may be granted a
 24 license without examination to engage in the practice of professional counseling in this state upon
 25 the application to the board, payment of the required fee as established by the board, and satisfying
 26 one of the following requirements:

27 (1) Approval by the American Association of State Counseling Boards (AASCB) or its
 28 successor organization according to the eligibility criteria established by AASCB. The successor
 29 organization shall be defined by board rule; or

30 (2) In good standing and currently certified by the National Board for Certified Counselors
 31 or its successor organization and has completed acceptable supervised counseling experience as
 32 defined by board rule. The successor organization shall be defined by board rule~~]; or~~

33 ~~3.)~~ Determination by the board that the requirements of the other state or territory are
 34 substantially the same as Missouri and certified by the applicant's current licensing entity that the
 35 applicant has a current license. The applicant shall also consent to examination of any disciplinary
 36 history].

37 [4.] 3. The committee shall issue a license to each person who files an application and fee
 38 and who furnishes evidence satisfactory to the committee that the applicant has complied with the
 39 provisions of this act and has taken and passed a written, open-book examination on Missouri laws
 40 and regulations governing the practice of professional counseling as defined in section 337.500.
 41 The division shall issue a provisional professional counselor license to any applicant who meets all
 42 requirements of this section, but who has not completed the required acceptable supervised
 43 counseling experience and such applicant may reapply for licensure as a professional counselor
 44 upon completion of such acceptable supervised counseling experience.

45 [5.] 4. All persons licensed to practice professional counseling in this state shall pay on or
 46 before the license renewal date a renewal license fee and shall furnish to the committee satisfactory
 47 evidence of the completion of the requisite number of hours of continuing education as required by
 48 rule, which shall be no more than forty hours biennially. The continuing education requirements

1 may be waived by the committee upon presentation to the committee of satisfactory evidence of the
2 illness of the licensee or for other good cause.

3 337.520. 1. The division shall promulgate rules and regulations pertaining to:

4 (1) The form and content of license applications required by the provisions of sections
5 337.500 to 337.540 and section 324.009 and the procedures for filing an application for an initial or
6 renewal license in this state;

7 (2) Fees required by the provisions of sections 337.500 to 337.540 and section 324.009;

8 (3) The content, conduct and administration of the licensing examination required by
9 section 337.510;

10 (4) The characteristics of "acceptable supervised counseling experience" as that term is used
11 in section 337.510;

12 (5) The equivalent of the basic educational requirements set forth in section 337.510;

13 (6) The standards and methods to be used in assessing competency as a professional
14 counselor;

15 (7) Establishment and promulgation of procedures for investigating, hearing and
16 determining grievances and violations occurring under the provisions of sections 337.500 to
17 337.540;

18 (8) Development of an appeal procedure for the review of decisions and rules of
19 administrative agencies existing under the constitution or laws of this state;

20 (9) Establishment of a policy and procedure for reciprocity with ~~[other states, including]~~
21 states which do not have counselor licensing laws ~~[or]~~ and states whose licensing laws are not
22 substantially ~~[the same as]~~ similar to those of this state;

23 (10) The characteristics of "an acceptable educational institution" as that term is used in
24 section 337.510;

25 (11) The characteristics of an acceptable agent for the certification of an exempted
26 occupation as listed in subdivisions (11) and (13) of section 337.505; and

27 (12) The form and content of "ethical standards for counselors" as that term is used in
28 subdivision (15) of subsection 2 of section 337.525.

29 2. No rule or portion of a rule promulgated under the authority of sections 337.500 to
30 ~~[337.545]~~ 337.540 shall become effective unless it has been promulgated pursuant to the provisions
31 of section 536.024.

32 337.615. 1. Each applicant for licensure as a clinical social worker shall furnish evidence to
33 the committee that:

34 (1) The applicant has a master's degree from a college or university program of social work
35 accredited by the council of social work education or a doctorate degree from a school of social
36 work acceptable to the committee;

37 (2) The applicant has completed at least three thousand hours of supervised clinical
38 experience with a qualified clinical supervisor, as defined in section 337.600, in no less than twenty-
39 four months and no more than forty-eight consecutive calendar months. For any applicant who has
40 successfully completed at least four thousand hours of supervised clinical experience with a
41 qualified clinical supervisor, as defined in section 337.600, within the same time frame prescribed in
42 this subsection, the applicant shall be eligible for application of licensure at three thousand hours
43 and shall be furnished a certificate by the state committee for social workers acknowledging the
44 completion of said additional hours;

45 (3) The applicant has achieved a passing score, as defined by the committee, on an
46 examination approved by the committee. The eligibility requirements for such examination shall be
47 promulgated by rule of the committee;

48 (4) The applicant is at least eighteen years of age, is of good moral character, is a United

1 States citizen or has status as a legal resident alien, and has not been convicted of a felony during
2 the ten years immediately prior to application for licensure.

3 2. Any person holding a current license, certificate of registration, or permit from another
4 state or territory of the United States or the District of Columbia to practice clinical social work who
5 does not meet the requirements of section 324.009 and who has had no disciplinary action taken
6 against the license, certificate of registration, or permit for the preceding five years may be granted
7 a license to practice clinical social work in this state if the person ~~[meets one of the following~~
8 ~~criteria:~~

9 ~~——(1) has received a masters or doctoral degree from a college or university program of social~~
10 ~~work accredited by the council of social work education and has been licensed to practice clinical~~
11 ~~social work for the preceding five years]; or~~

12 ~~——(2) Is currently licensed or certified as a clinical social worker in another state, territory of~~
13 ~~the United States, or the District of Columbia having substantially the same requirements as this~~
14 ~~state for clinical social workers].~~

15 3. The committee shall issue a license to each person who files an application and fee as
16 required by the provisions of sections 337.600 to 337.689 and who furnishes evidence satisfactory
17 to the committee that the applicant has complied with the provisions of subdivisions (1) to (4) of
18 subsection 1 of this section or with the provisions of subsection 2 of this section.

19 337.627. 1. The committee shall promulgate rules and regulations pertaining to:

20 (1) The form and content of license applications required by the provisions of sections
21 337.600 to 337.689 and section 324.009 and the procedures for filing an application for an initial or
22 renewal license in this state;

23 (2) Fees required by the provisions of sections 337.600 to 337.689 and section 324.009;

24 (3) The characteristics of supervised clinical experience, supervised master experience,
25 supervised advanced macro experience, and supervised baccalaureate experience;

26 (4) The standards and methods to be used in assessing competency as a licensed clinical
27 social worker, licensed master social worker, licensed advanced macro social worker, and licensed
28 baccalaureate social worker, including the requirement for continuing education hours;

29 (5) Establishment and promulgation of procedures for investigating, hearing and
30 determining grievances and violations occurring pursuant to the provisions of sections 337.600 to
31 337.689;

32 (6) Development of an appeal procedure for the review of decisions and rules of
33 administrative agencies existing pursuant to the constitution or laws of this state;

34 (7) Establishment of a policy and procedure for reciprocity with ~~[other states, including]~~
35 states which do not have clinical, master, advanced macro, or baccalaureate social worker licensing
36 laws ~~[or]~~ and states whose licensing laws are not substantially ~~[the same as]~~ similar to those of this
37 state; and

38 (8) Any other policies or procedures necessary to the fulfillment of the requirements of
39 sections 337.600 to 337.689.

40 2. Any rule or portion of a rule, as that term is defined in section 536.010, that is created
41 under the authority delegated in this section shall become effective only if it complies with and is
42 subject to all of the provisions of chapter 536 and, if applicable, section 536.028. This section and
43 chapter 536 are nonseverable and if any of the powers vested with the general assembly pursuant to
44 chapter 536 to review, to delay the effective date, or to disapprove and annul a rule are subsequently
45 held unconstitutional, then the grant of rulemaking authority and any rule proposed or adopted after
46 August 28, 2007, shall be invalid and void.

47 337.644. 1. Each applicant for licensure as a master social worker shall furnish evidence to
48 the committee that:

(1) The applicant has a master's or doctorate degree in social work from an accredited social work degree program approved by the council of social work education;

(2) The applicant has achieved a passing score, as defined by the committee, on an examination approved by the committee. The eligibility requirements for such examination shall be determined by the state committee for social workers;

(3) The applicant is at least eighteen years of age, is of good moral character, is a United States citizen or has status as a legal resident alien, and has not been convicted of a felony during the ten years immediately prior to application for licensure;

(4) The applicant has submitted a written application on forms prescribed by the state board;

(5) The applicant has submitted the required licensing fee, as determined by the committee.

2. Any applicant who answers in the affirmative to any question on the application that relates to possible grounds for denial of licensure under section 337.630 shall submit a sworn affidavit setting forth in detail the facts which explain such answer and copies of appropriate documents related to such answer.

3. ~~[Any person holding a valid unrevoked and unexpired license, certificate, or registration from another state or territory of the United States having substantially the same requirements as this state for master social workers may be granted a license to engage in the person's occupation in this state upon application to the committee accompanied by the appropriate fee as established by the committee under section 337.612.]~~

—4.] The committee shall issue a license to each person who files an application and fee as required by the provisions of sections 337.600 to 337.689 and who furnishes evidence satisfactory to the committee that the applicant has complied with the provisions of subsection 1 of this section ~~[or with the provisions of subsection 3 of this section]~~. The license shall refer to the individual as a licensed master social worker and shall recognize that individual's right to practice licensed master social work as defined in section 337.600.

337.665. 1. Each applicant for licensure as a baccalaureate social worker shall furnish evidence to the committee that:

(1) The applicant has a baccalaureate degree in social work from an accredited social work degree program approved by the council of social work education;

(2) The applicant has achieved a passing score, as defined by the committee, on an examination approved by the committee. The eligibility requirements for such examination shall be determined by the state committee for social work;

(3) The applicant is at least eighteen years of age, is of good moral character, is a United States citizen or has status as a legal resident alien, and has not been convicted of a felony during the ten years immediately prior to application for licensure;

(4) The applicant has submitted a written application on forms prescribed by the state board;

(5) The applicant has submitted the required licensing fee, as determined by the committee.

2. Any applicant who answers in the affirmative to any question on the application that relates to possible grounds for denial of licensure pursuant to section 337.630 shall submit a sworn affidavit setting forth in detail the facts which explain such answer and copies of appropriate documents related to such answer.

3. ~~[Any person holding a valid unrevoked and unexpired license, certificate or registration from another state or territory of the United States having substantially the same requirements as this state for baccalaureate social workers may be granted a license to engage in the person's occupation in this state upon application to the committee accompanied by the appropriate fee as established by the committee pursuant to section 337.612.]~~

—4.] The committee shall issue a license to each person who files an application and fee as required by the provisions of sections 337.600 to 337.689 and who furnishes evidence satisfactory

1 to the committee that the applicant has complied with the provisions of subsection 1 of this section
 2 ~~[or with the provisions of subsection 2 of this section]~~.

3 ~~[5-]~~ 4. The committee shall issue a certificate to practice independently under subsection 3
 4 of section 337.653 to any licensed baccalaureate social worker who has satisfactorily completed
 5 three thousand hours of supervised experience with a qualified baccalaureate supervisor in no less
 6 than twenty-four months and no more than forty-eight consecutive calendar months.

7 337.727. The committee shall promulgate rules and regulations pertaining to:

8 (1) The form and content of license applications required by the provisions of sections
 9 337.700 to 337.739 and section 324.009 and the procedures for filing an application for an initial or
 10 renewal license in this state;

11 (2) Fees required by the provisions of sections 337.700 to 337.739 and section 324.009;

12 (3) The content, conduct and administration of the licensing examination required by
 13 section 337.715;

14 (4) The characteristics of supervised clinical experience as that term is used in section
 15 337.715;

16 (5) The equivalent of the basic educational requirements set forth in section 337.715;

17 (6) The standards and methods to be used in assessing competency as a marital and family
 18 therapist;

19 (7) Establishment and promulgation of procedures for investigating, hearing and
 20 determining grievances and violations occurring under the provisions of sections 337.700 to
 21 337.739;

22 (8) Development of an appeal procedure for the review of decisions and rules of
 23 administrative agencies existing under the constitution or laws of this state;

24 (9) Establishment of a policy and procedure for reciprocity with ~~[other states, including]~~
 25 states which do not have marital and family therapist licensing laws ~~[or]~~ and states whose licensing
 26 laws are not substantially ~~[the same as]~~ similar to those of this state; and

27 (10) Any other policies or procedures necessary to the fulfillment of the requirements of
 28 sections 337.700 to 337.739.

29 339.523. 1. A nonresident of this state who has complied with the provisions of sections
 30 339.511, 339.513, 339.515, and 339.517 ~~[or section 339.524]~~ may obtain certification as a state-
 31 certified real estate appraiser or licensure as a state-licensed real estate appraiser by conforming to
 32 all of the provisions of sections 339.500 to 339.549 relating to state-certified real estate appraisers
 33 or state-licensed real estate appraisers.

34 2. Every applicant for certification or licensure pursuant to sections 339.500 to 339.545 who
 35 is not a resident of this state shall submit, with the application for certification, an irrevocable
 36 consent that service of process in any action against the applicant arising out of the applicant's
 37 activities as a state-certified real estate appraiser or state-licensed real estate appraiser may be made
 38 by delivery of the process to the executive director of the commission, if the plaintiff cannot, in the
 39 exercise of due diligence, effect personal service upon the applicant. The executive director shall
 40 immediately mail a copy of the materials served on the executive director by ordinary mail to the
 41 state-certified real estate appraiser or state-licensed real estate appraiser at both his or her principal
 42 place of business and his or her residence address.

43 344.030. 1. An applicant for an initial license shall file a completed application with the
 44 board on a form provided by the board, accompanied by an application fee as provided by rule
 45 payable to the department of health and senior services. Information provided in the application
 46 shall be attested by signature to be true and correct to the best of the applicant's knowledge and
 47 belief.

48 2. No initial license shall be issued to a person as a nursing home administrator unless:

1 (1) The applicant provides the board satisfactory proof that the applicant is twenty-one years
2 of age or over, of good moral character and a high school graduate or equivalent;

3 (2) The applicant provides the board satisfactory proof that the applicant has had a
4 minimum of three years' experience in health care administration or two years of postsecondary
5 education in health care administration or has satisfactorily completed a course of instruction and
6 training prescribed by the board, which includes instruction in the needs properly to be served by
7 nursing homes, the protection of the interests of residents therein, and the elements of good nursing
8 home administration, or has presented evidence satisfactory to the board of sufficient education,
9 training, or experience in the foregoing fields to administer, supervise and manage a nursing home;
10 and

11 (3) The applicant passes the examinations administered by the board. If an applicant fails to
12 make a passing grade on either of the examinations such applicant may make application for
13 reexamination on a form furnished by the board and may be retested. If an applicant fails either of
14 the examinations a third time, the applicant shall be required to complete a course of instruction
15 prescribed and approved by the board. After completion of the board-prescribed course of
16 instruction, the applicant may reapply for examination. With regard to the national examination
17 required for licensure, no examination scores from other states shall be recognized by the board
18 after the applicant has failed his or her third attempt at the national examination. There shall be a
19 separate, nonrefundable fee for each examination. The board shall set the amount of the fee for
20 examination by rules and regulations promulgated pursuant to section 536.021. The fee shall be set
21 at a level to produce revenue which shall not substantially exceed the cost and expense of
22 administering the examination.

23 3. ~~[The board may issue a license through reciprocity to any person who is regularly~~
24 ~~licensed as a nursing home administrator in any other state, territory, or the District of Columbia, if~~
25 ~~the regulations for securing such license are equivalent to those required in the state of Missouri.~~
26 ~~However, no license by reciprocity shall be issued until the applicant passes a special examination~~
27 ~~approved by the board, which will examine the applicant's knowledge of specific provisions of~~
28 ~~Missouri statutes and regulations pertaining to nursing homes. The applicant shall furnish~~
29 ~~satisfactory evidence that such applicant is of good moral character and has acted in the capacity of~~
30 ~~a nursing home administrator in such state, territory, or the District of Columbia at least one year~~
31 ~~after the securing of the license. The board, in its discretion, may enter into written reciprocal~~
32 ~~agreements pursuant to this section with other states which have equivalent laws and regulations.~~

33 ~~———4.] Nothing in sections 344.010 to 344.108, or the rules or regulations thereunder shall be~~
34 ~~construed to require an applicant for a license as a nursing home administrator, who is employed by~~
35 ~~an institution listed and certified by the Commission for Accreditation of Christian Science Nursing~~
36 ~~Organizations/Facilities, Inc., to administer institutions certified by such commission for the care~~
37 ~~and treatment of the sick in accordance with the creed or tenets of a recognized church or religious~~
38 ~~denomination, to demonstrate proficiency in any techniques or to meet any educational~~
39 ~~qualifications or standards not in accord with the remedial care and treatment provided in such~~
40 ~~institutions. The applicant's license shall be endorsed to confine the applicant's practice to such~~
41 ~~institutions.~~

42 [5:] 4. The board may issue a temporary emergency license for a period not to exceed
43 ninety days to a person twenty-one years of age or over, of good moral character and a high school
44 graduate or equivalent to serve as an acting nursing home administrator, provided such person is
45 replacing a licensed nursing home administrator who has died, has been removed or has vacated the
46 nursing home administrator's position. No temporary emergency license may be issued to a person
47 who has had a nursing home administrator's license denied, suspended or revoked. A temporary
48 emergency license may be renewed for one additional ninety-day period upon a showing that the

1 person seeking the renewal of a temporary emergency license meets the qualifications for licensure
 2 and has filed an application for a regular license, accompanied by the application fee, and the
 3 applicant has taken the examination or examinations but the results have not been received by the
 4 board. No temporary emergency license may be renewed more than one time.

5 345.050. 1. To be eligible for licensure by the board by examination, each applicant shall
 6 submit the application fee and shall furnish evidence of such person's good moral and ethical
 7 character, current competence and shall:

8 (1) Hold a master's or a doctoral degree from a program accredited by the Council on
 9 Academic Accreditation of the American Speech-Language-Hearing Association or other
 10 accrediting agency approved by the board in the area in which licensure is sought;

11 (2) Submit official transcripts from one or more accredited colleges or universities
 12 presenting evidence of the completion of course work and clinical practicum requirements
 13 equivalent to that required by the Council on Academic Accreditation of the American Speech-
 14 Language-Hearing Association or other accrediting agency approved by the board; and

15 (3) Pass an examination promulgated or approved by the board. The board shall determine
 16 the subject and scope of the examinations.

17 2. To be eligible for licensure by the board without examination, each applicant shall make
 18 application on forms prescribed by the board, submit the application fee and shall be of good moral
 19 and ethical character, submit an activity statement and meet one of the following requirements:

20 (1) The board shall issue a license to any speech-language pathologist or audiologist who is
 21 licensed in another ~~[jurisdiction]~~ country and who has had no violations, suspension or revocations
 22 of a license to practice speech-language pathology or audiology in any jurisdiction; provided that,
 23 such person is licensed in a ~~[jurisdiction]~~ country whose requirements are substantially equal to, or
 24 greater than, Missouri at the time the applicant applies for licensure; or

25 (2) Hold the certificate of clinical competence issued by the American Speech-Language-
 26 Hearing Association in the area in which licensure is sought.

27 346.055. 1. An applicant may obtain a license provided the applicant:

28 (1) Is at least eighteen years of age; and

29 (2) Is of good moral character; and

30 (3) Successfully passes a qualifying examination as described under sections 346.010 to
 31 346.250; and

32 (4) (a) Holds an associate's degree or higher, from a state or regionally accredited
 33 institution of higher education, in hearing instrument sciences; or

34 (b) Holds an associate's level degree or higher, from a state or regionally accredited
 35 institution of higher education and submits proof of completion of the International Hearing
 36 Society's Distance Learning for Professionals in Hearing Health Sciences Course; or

37 (c) Holds a master's or doctoral degree in audiology from a state or regionally accredited
 38 institution; or

39 (d) Holds a current, unsuspended, unrevoked license from another ~~[jurisdiction]~~ country if
 40 the standards for licensing in such ~~[other jurisdiction]~~ country, as determined by the board, are
 41 substantially equivalent to or exceed those required in paragraph (a) or (b) of this subdivision; or

42 (e) Holds a current, unsuspended, unrevoked license from another ~~[jurisdiction]~~ country, has
 43 been actively practicing as a licensed hearing aid fitter or dispenser in another ~~[jurisdiction]~~ country
 44 for no less than forty-eight of the last seventy-two months, and submits proof of completion of
 45 advance certification from either the International Hearing Society or the National Board for
 46 Certification in Hearing Instrument Sciences.

47 2. The provisions of subsection 1 of this section shall not apply to any person holding a
 48 valid Missouri hearing instrument specialist license under this chapter when applying for the

renewal of that license. These provisions shall apply to any person holding a hearing instrument specialist-in-training permit at the time of their application for licensure or renewal of said permit.

3. (1) The board shall promulgate reasonable standards and rules for the evaluation of applicants for purposes of determining the course of instruction and training required of each applicant for a hearing instrument specialist license under the requirement of subdivision (4) of subsection 1 of this section.

(2) Any rule or portion of a rule, as that term is defined in section 536.010, that is created under the authority delegated in this section shall become effective only if it complies with and is subject to all of the provisions of chapter 536 and, if applicable, section 536.028. This section and chapter 536 are nonseverable and if any of the powers vested with the general assembly pursuant to chapter 536 to review, to delay the effective date, or to disapprove and annul a rule are subsequently held unconstitutional, then the grant of rulemaking authority and any rule proposed or adopted after August 28, 2013, shall be invalid and void.

374.785. ~~[1. The director shall issue a license for a period of two years to any surety recovery agent who is licensed in another jurisdiction and who:~~

~~—— (1) Has no violations, suspensions, or revocations of a license to engage in fugitive recovery in any jurisdiction; and~~

~~—— (2) Is licensed in a jurisdiction whose requirements are substantially equal to or greater than the requirements for a surety recovery agent license in Missouri at the time the applicant applies for a license.~~

~~—— 2. Any surety recovery agent who is licensed in another state shall also be subject to the same training requirements as in-state surety recovery agents prescribe to under section 374.784.~~

~~—— 3.] For the purpose of surrender of the defendant, a surety recovery agent may apprehend the defendant anywhere within the state of Missouri before or after the forfeiture of the undertaking without personal liability for false imprisonment or may empower any surety recovery agent to make apprehension by providing written authority endorsed on a certified copy of the undertaking and paying the lawful fees.~~

~~[4. Every applicant for a license pursuant to this section, upon making application and showing the necessary qualifications as provided in this section, shall be required to pay the same fee as required of resident applicants. Within the limits provided in this section, the director may negotiate reciprocal compacts with licensing entities of other states for the admission of licensed surety recovery agents from Missouri in other states.]~~

643.228. 1. Required training courses for certification under section 643.225 shall first be accredited by the state. To be accredited, training programs shall meet the training certification and recertification requirements for each specialty area outlined in the United States EPA's model accreditation plan, 40 CFR Part 763, including passage of a course examination for these courses, and the certification requirements for air sampling professionals outlined in section 643.225. Such accreditation shall be obtained biennially. A representative of the department or the department of health and senior services shall be permitted to attend, monitor and evaluate any training program without charge to the state. Such evaluations may be conducted without prior notice. Refusal to allow such an evaluation is sufficient grounds for loss of certificate of accreditation.

2. An accreditation fee of one thousand dollars per course category shall be paid prior to issuance or renewal of a certificate of accreditation, however, no individual, group, agency or organization shall pay more than three thousand dollars for all course categories for which accreditation is requested at the same time.

~~[3. The director may engage in reciprocity agreements with other states that have established accreditation criteria for certification training programs that meet or exceed Missouri's accreditation criteria.]~~

1 701.312. 1. The director of the department of health and senior services shall develop a
2 program to license lead inspectors, risk assessors, lead abatement supervisors, lead abatement
3 workers, project designers and lead abatement contractors. The director shall promulgate rules and
4 regulations including, but not limited to:

- 5 (1) The power to issue, restrict, suspend, revoke, deny and reissue licenses;
- 6 (2) The power to issue notices of violation, written notices and letters of warning;
- 7 (3) ~~[The ability to enter into reciprocity agreements with other states that have similar~~
8 ~~licensing provisions;~~
- 9 ~~———(4)] Fees for any such licenses;~~
- 10 ~~[(5)] (4) Training, education and experience requirements; and~~
- 11 ~~[(6)] (5) The implementation of work practice standards, reporting requirements and~~
12 ~~licensing standards.~~

13 2. The director shall require, as a condition of licensure, lead abatement contractors to
14 purchase and maintain liability and errors and omissions insurance. The director shall require a
15 licensee or an applicant for licensure to provide evidence of their ability to indemnify any person
16 that may suffer damage from lead-based paint activities of which the licensee or applicant may be
17 liable.

18 701.314. The director of the department of health and senior services shall develop a
19 program to accredit training providers to train lead inspectors, risk assessors, lead abatement
20 supervisors, lead abatement workers and project designers. The director shall promulgate rules and
21 regulations including, but not limited to:

- 22 (1) The power to grant, restrict, suspend, revoke, deny or renew accreditation;
- 23 (2) The power to issue notices of violation, written notices and letters of warning;
- 24 (3) ~~[The ability to enter into reciprocity agreements with other states that have similar~~
25 ~~accreditation provisions;~~
- 26 ~~———(4)] Fees for any such accreditation;~~
- 27 ~~[(5)] (4) The curriculum for training;~~
- 28 ~~[(6)] (5) The development of standards for accreditation; and~~
- 29 ~~[(7)] (6) Procedures for monitoring, training, record keeping and reporting requirements for~~
30 ~~training providers.~~

31 ~~[339.521. An applicant who is certified or licensed under the laws of another state~~
32 ~~may obtain certification as a state certified real estate appraiser or licensure as a state~~
33 ~~licensed real estate appraiser in this state upon such terms and conditions as may be~~
34 ~~determined by the board, provided that such terms and conditions shall comply with~~
35 ~~the minimum criteria for certification or licensure issued by the appraiser~~
36 ~~qualifications board of the appraisal foundation.]~~

37 ~~[374.735. 1. The department may, in its discretion, grant a license without requiring~~
38 ~~an examination to a bail bond agent who has been licensed in another state~~
39 ~~immediately preceding his or her applying to the department, if the department is~~
40 ~~satisfied by proof adduced by the applicant that:~~

41 ~~(1) The qualifications of the other state are at least equivalent to the requirements for~~
42 ~~initial licensure as a bail bond agent in this state pursuant to the provisions of~~
43 ~~sections 374.695 to 374.775, provided that the other state licenses Missouri residents~~
44 ~~in the same manner; and~~

45 ~~(2) The applicant has no suspensions or revocations of a license to engage in the bail~~
46 ~~bond or fugitive recovery business in any jurisdiction.~~

47 ~~2. Every applicant for a license pursuant to this section, upon showing the necessary~~
48 ~~qualifications as provided in this section, shall be required to pay the same fee as the~~

1 fee required to be paid by resident applicants.

2 ~~3. Within the limits provided in this section, the department may negotiate reciprocal~~
3 ~~compacts with licensing entities of other states for the admission of licensed bail~~
4 ~~bond agents from Missouri in other states.~~

5 ~~4. All applicants applying for licenses in this state after the enactment of said act~~
6 ~~shall complete the education requirement as stated in section 374.710. If the bail~~
7 ~~bond agent or general bail bond agent has been licensed in another state and has a~~
8 ~~license in Missouri at the time said act becomes law, said individual shall not be~~
9 ~~required to complete the twenty-four hours of initial basic training.]~~

10 ~~[700.662. 1. The commission may waive the training and examination requirements~~
11 ~~of subsection 1 of section 700.659 and grant an installer license to an applicant who~~
12 ~~pays the applicable fee and demonstrates to the commission's satisfaction that his or~~
13 ~~her current license, registration, or certification requirements as an installer in~~
14 ~~another state, the District of Columbia, or territories of the United States~~
15 ~~substantially meets or exceeds the requirements in sections 700.650 to 700.680.~~

16 ~~2. The commission may negotiate reciprocal agreements that allow licensed~~
17 ~~installers in Missouri to become licensed in other states, the District of Columbia, or~~
18 ~~territories of the United States.]"~~; and

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20 Further amend said bill by amending the title, enacting clause, and intersectional references
21 accordingly.
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