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AMEND House Committee Substitute for Senate Bill No. 544, Page 43, Section 285.040, Line 2, by inserting after all of said section and line the following:

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- "334.002. 1. Notwithstanding any law to the contrary, any person licensed pursuant to this chapter may apply to the state board of registration for the healing arts for an inactive license status on a form furnished by the board. Upon receipt of the completed inactive status application form and the board's determination that the licensee meets the requirements established by rule, the board shall declare the licensee inactive and shall place the licensee on an inactive status list. A person whose license is inactive or who has discontinued his or her practice because of retirement shall not practice his or her profession within this state, but shall be allowed to practice his or her profession on himself or herself or on his or her immediate family, however, such person shall not be allowed to prescribe controlled substances. Such person may continue to use the title of his or her profession or the initials of his or her profession after such person's name.
- 2. During the period of inactive status, the licensee shall not be required to comply with the board's minimum requirements for continuing education.
- 3. If a licensee is granted inactive status, the licensee may return to active status by notifying the board in advance of his or her intention, paying the appropriate fees, and meeting all established requirements of the board as a condition of reinstatement; except any licensee who intends to return to active status solely for the duration of any state of emergency proclaimed by the governor or the legislature under section 44.100 shall have his or her license returned to active status without having to pay any fees or meet any other requirements of reinstatement.
- 4. Any licensee allowing his or her license to become inactive may within five years of the inactive status return his or her license to active status by notifying the board in advance of such intention, paying the appropriate fees, and meeting all established licensure requirements of the board, excluding the licensing examination, as a condition of reinstatement.
- 334.110. Any person licensed to practice as physician and surgeon in this state who retires from such practice shall file with the board an affidavit, on a form to be furnished by the board, which states the date on which he retired from such practice and such other facts as tend to verify the retirement as the board may deem necessary; but if he thereafter reengages in the practice, he shall renew his registration with the board as provided by section 334.090, unless he reengages in practice solely for the duration of any state of emergency proclaimed by the governor or the legislature under section 44.100.
- 334.408. 1. Notwithstanding any law to the contrary, any person licensed pursuant to sections 334.400 to 334.430 may apply to the board for an inactive license status on a form furnished by the board. Upon receipt of the completed inactive status application form and a determination by the board that the licensee meets the requirements defined by board rule, the board

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shall declare the licensee inactive and shall place the licensee on an inactive status list. A person that has an inactive license or has discontinued the practice of an anesthesiologist assistant because of retirement shall not practice as an anesthesiologist assistant within this state.

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- 2. During the period of inactive status, the licensee shall not be required to comply with the board's minimum requirements for continuing education.
- 3. If a licensee is granted inactive status, the licensee may return to active status by notifying the board of the intention to resume the practice of an anesthesiologist assistant, paying the appropriate fees, and meeting all established licensure requirements of the board as a condition of reinstatement.
- 4. Any licensee that allows the license to become inactive for a period of five years or less may return the license to active status by notifying the board in advance of such intention, paying the appropriate fees, and meeting all established licensure requirements of the board, excluding the licensing examination, as a condition of reinstatement.
- 5. All inactive licenses shall automatically return to active status for the duration of any state of emergency proclaimed by the governor or the legislature under section 44.100.
- 334.410. Any person licensed to practice as an anesthesiologist assistant in this state who retires from such practice shall file with the board an affidavit, on a form to be furnished by the board, which states the date of retirement and such other facts to verify the retirement as defined by board rule. Registration with the board must be renewed pursuant to section 334.414 for any person that wants to resume the practice of an anesthesiologist assistant, unless such person is practicing solely for the duration of any state of emergency proclaimed by the governor or the legislature under section 44.100.
- 334.412. 1. Upon the applicant paying a fee equivalent to the required licensing fee and furnishing the board with all locations of previous practice and licensure in chronological order, the board may, subject to the prescribed rules and regulations, license, without examination or additional certification, any qualified applicant that meets the requirements of this state including any person that is licensed in any state or territory of the United States or the District of Columbia with the authority to practice in the same manner and to the same extent as an anesthesiologist assistant is authorized to practice pursuant to sections 334.400 to 334.430. Pursuant to sections 334.400 to 334.430, the board shall have the authority to negotiate reciprocal compacts with licensing boards of other states for the admission of licensed anesthesiologist assistants from Missouri to practice in other states.
- 2. The board shall issue a license to any anesthesiologist assistant, who is licensed in another jurisdiction and who has had no violations, suspensions, or revocations of a license, to practice as an anesthesiologist assistant in any jurisdiction, provided that, such person is licensed in a jurisdiction whose requirements are substantially equal to, or greater than, the requirements for licensure of anesthesiologist assistants in Missouri at the time the applicant applies for licensure.
- 3. Any anesthesiologist assistant who meets the requirements of subsection 2 of this section shall be allowed to practice without meeting the requirements of subsection 1 of this section for the duration of any state of emergency proclaimed by the governor or the legislature under section 44.100.
- 334.600. Any person licensed to practice as a physical therapist in this state who retires from the practice shall file with the board an affidavit, on a form furnished by the board, which states the date on which the person retired from the practice and such other facts as tend to verify the retirement as the board deems necessary [, and]. if the person thereafter reengages in the practice, the person shall register as provided by sections 334.500 to 334.620, unless the person reengages in practice solely for the duration of any state of emergency proclaimed by the governor or the legislature under section 44.100.
 - 334.685. Any person licensed to practice as a physical therapist assistant in this state who

- retires from the practice shall file with the board an affidavit, on a form furnished by the board, which states the date on which the person retired from practice and such other information required by the board to verify such retirement. If a person reengages in practice as a physical therapy assistant after a person submits an affidavit of retirement required by this section, the person shall reapply for licensure as required by sections 334.650 to 334.685, unless the person reengages in practice solely for the duration of any state of emergency proclaimed by the governor or the legislature under section 44.100."; and
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 9 Further amend said bill by amending the title, enacting clause, and intersectional references accordingly.