

SENATE COMMITTEE OF REFERENCE AMENDMENT

Committee on Health & Human Services.

SB22-219 be amended as follows:

1 Amend printed bill, page 7, strike lines 10 through 12 and substitute "THE
2 BOARD PROOF THAT THE APPLICANT SUCCESSFULLY COMPLETED:

3 (a) A CLINICAL EXAMINATION FOR DENTAL THERAPY THAT
4 INCLUDES DENTAL THERAPY RESTORATIVE AND DENTAL HYGIENE
5 CLINICAL SKILL EVALUATION. IF THE APPLICANT HAS PREVIOUSLY
6 SUCCESSFULLY COMPLETED A CLINICAL EXAMINATION FOR DENTAL
7 HYGIENE ADMINISTERED BY A TESTING AGENCY ACCEPTED BY THE BOARD
8 THE APPLICANT MAY BE EXEMPTED FROM THAT PART OF THE DENTAL
9 THERAPY EXAMINATION; AND

10 (b) AN EXAMINATION DESIGNED TO TEST THE APPLICANT'S
11 CLINICAL DENTAL THERAPY SKILLS AND KNOWLEDGE, WHICH MUST BE
12 ADMINISTERED BY A REGIONAL TESTING AGENCY COMPOSED OF AT LEAST
13 FOUR STATES OR AN EXAMINATION OF ANOTHER STATE, OR A
14 METHODOLOGY ADOPTED BY THE BOARD BY RULE THAT IS DESIGNED TO
15 TEST THE APPLICANT'S CLINICAL SKILLS AND KNOWLEDGE.".

16 Page 7, line 15, strike "ONE YEAR" and substitute "TWO YEARS.".

17 Page 8, strike line 4 and substitute "DENTIST; EXCEPT THAT THE DENTAL
18 THERAPIST MAY PERFORM THE TASK OR PROCEDURE ONLY UNDER THE
19 SUPERVISION AUTHORIZED UNDER SECTION 12-220-507.".

20 Page 16, line 27, strike "when" and substitute "when".

21 Page 17, strike lines 1 and 2 and substitute "employing unlicensed
22 persons in a dental or dental hygiene practice" OF UNLICENSED PERSONS IN
23 DENTAL, DENTAL THERAPY, OR DENTAL HYGIENE PRACTICE;".

24 Page 23, line 1, after "(1)(c)," insert "(1)(j), (1)(k),".

25 Page 23, after line 23 insert:

26 (j) Extracts, or attempts to extract, human teeth or corrects, or
27 attempts to correct, malformations of human teeth or jaws; EXCEPT THAT
28 THIS SUBSECTION (1)(j) DOES NOT PROHIBIT A DENTAL THERAPIST FROM
29 PERFORMING TASKS AND PROCEDURES CONSISTENT WITH SECTION
30 12-220-507;

31 (k) Repairs or fills cavities in human teeth; EXCEPT THAT THIS
32 SUBSECTION (1)(k) DOES NOT PROHIBIT A DENTAL THERAPIST FROM
33 PERFORMING TASKS AND PROCEDURES CONSISTENT WITH SECTION
34 12-220-507;".

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