

may, in its discretion, issue a temporary permit to practice medicine to a physician eligible for licensure under section 147.03, upon the payment of a fee of \$40, which temporary permit shall be valid only until the next meeting of said board. In regard to the examination in clinical sciences, the board may (a) prepare, administer, and grade the examination itself or, ~~in its discretion, (b) administer an examination which is prepared and graded by a nationally recognized agency approved by it, or may (b) (c)~~ recognize and approve a similar examination prepared, administered, and graded by ~~the national board of medical examiners or, may (c) administer a recognized and approved examination prepared and graded by the national board of medical examiners a nationally recognized agency~~ . Certification of passage by ~~the national board-such approved agency~~ or the medical school from which the applicant graduated may be accepted as evidence that the applicant has passed ~~the national board-such~~ examination. If the state board determines that the applicant has not satisfactorily passed ~~the national board's-such~~ examination within three years before, or five years after being granted the degree of M.D. or D.O., the board may ; ~~in its discretion, examine the applicant, using its own examination or that of the national board. All applicants shall be known to the board members or examiners only by number, without names, or other method of identification on examination papers by which board members or examiners may be able to identify such applicants, until the final grades of all the examination papers have been determined, and the licenses granted or refused-require the applicant to be examined~~ .

Approved February 13, 1974.

CHAPTER 43—H.F.No.484

An act relating to the practice of medicine; practicing without license; prescribing penalties; amending Minnesota Statutes 1971, Section 147.10.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF MINNESOTA:

Section 1. Minnesota Statutes 1971, Section 147.10, is amended to read:

147.10 PHYSICIANS, SURGEONS AND OSTEOPATHS; PRACTICING WITHOUT LICENSE; PENALTY. Every person not heretofore authorized by law so to do who shall practice medicine in ~~the~~ this state without having obtained the license herein provided for, and every person who shall so practice contrary to any provision of this chapter, shall be guilty of a gross misdemeanor. Any person shall be regarded as practicing within the meaning of this chapter who shall append ~~the~~ the letters M.D., M.B., or D.O. to his name any of the letters M.D., M.B. or D.O. or any of the words medical doctor, doctor of medicine, surgeon, physician, osteopath, doctor of osteopathy, or osteopathic physician or

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any other word or abbreviation when the use thereof is intended to indicate or does in fact indicate that he is authorized by law to engage in the practice of medicine as herein defined, if he is not in fact legally entitled to the use of such letters or words,; or for a fee prescribe, direct, or recommend for the use of any person, any drug, or medicine or other agency for the treatment or relief of any wound, fracture, or bodily injury, infirmity, or disease ; ~~provided~~. A doctor of osteopathy duly licensed by the state board of osteopathy under Minnesota Statutes 1961, Sections 148.11 to 148.16, prior to May 1, 1963, who has not been granted a license to practice medicine in accordance with section 147.031 shall not be considered as practicing medicine within the meaning of this section because he appends the letters D.O. to his name so long as he confines his activities within the scope of his license ~~and, provided further~~. This section shall not apply to any other persons legally authorized to practice healing or excepted from the practice of healing in this state so long as they confine their activities within the scope of their respective licenses, nor to Christian Scientists or other persons who endeavor to prevent or cure disease or suffering exclusively by mental or spiritual means or by prayer, nor to the practice of ritual circumcision performed pursuant to the requirements or tenets of any established religion; but this section shall apply to persons , other than psychologists certified or licensed by statutes, who use hypnosis for the treatment or relief of any wound, fracture, or bodily injury, infirmity, or disease.

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CHAPTER 44—H.F.No.1566

An act relating to education; requiring all special and independent school districts to provide transportation to pupils living two miles or more from school; amending Minnesota Statutes 1971, Section 123.39, Subdivision 1.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF MINNESOTA:

Section 1. Minnesota Statutes 1971, Section 123.39, Subdivision 1, is amended to read:

123.39 SCHOOLS AND SCHOOL DISTRICTS; INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICTS, TRANSPORTATION. Subdivision 1. The board may provide for the free transportation of pupils to and from school, and to schools, in other districts for grades and departments not maintained in the district, including high school, at the expense of the district, when funds are available therefor and if agreeable to the district to which it is proposed to transport the pupils, for the whole or a part of the school year as it may deem advisable, and subject to its rules. Every driver shall possess all the qualifications required by the rules of the state board of education. In any special or independent district

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