

..... moves to amend S.F. No. 3656, the second engrossment, the article 25 health-related licensing boards delete everything amendment (A18-0933) in conference committee as follows:

Page 406, delete article 25 and insert:

"ARTICLE 25

HEALTH-RELATED LICENSING BOARDS

Section 1. Minnesota Statutes 2016, section 144A.26, is amended to read:

144A.26 RECIPROCITY WITH OTHER STATES AND EQUIVALENCY OF HEALTH SERVICES EXECUTIVE.

Subdivision 1. Reciprocity. The Board of Examiners may issue a nursing home administrator's license, without examination, to any person who holds a current license as a nursing home administrator from another jurisdiction if the board finds that the standards for licensure in the other jurisdiction are at least the substantial equivalent of those prevailing in this state and that the applicant is otherwise qualified.

Subd. 2. Health services executive license. The Board of Examiners may issue a health services executive license to any person who (1) has been validated by the National Association of Long Term Care Administrator Boards as a health services executive, and (2) has met the education and practice requirements for the minimum qualifications of a nursing home administrator, assisted living administrator, and home and community-based service provider. Licensure decisions made by the board under this subdivision are final.

2.1 Sec. 2. Minnesota Statutes 2017 Supplement, section 147.01, subdivision 7, is amended
2.2 to read:

2.3 Subd. 7. **Physician application and license fees.** (a) The board may charge the following
2.4 nonrefundable application and license fees processed pursuant to sections 147.02, 147.03,
2.5 147.037, 147.0375, and 147.38:

2.6 (1) physician application fee, \$200;

2.7 (2) physician annual registration renewal fee, \$192;

2.8 (3) physician endorsement to other states, \$40;

2.9 (4) physician emeritus license, \$50;

2.10 (5) physician temporary license, \$60;

2.11 (6) physician late fee, \$60;

2.12 (7) duplicate license fee, \$20;

2.13 (8) certification letter fee, \$25;

2.14 (9) education or training program approval fee, \$100;

2.15 (10) report creation and generation fee, \$60 per hour;

2.16 (11) examination administration fee (half day), \$50;

2.17 (12) examination administration fee (full day), \$80; ~~and~~

2.18 (13) fees developed by the Interstate Commission for determining physician qualification
2.19 to register and participate in the interstate medical licensure compact, as established in rules
2.20 authorized in and pursuant to section 147.38, not to exceed \$1,000~~;~~

2.21 (14) verification fee, \$25; and

2.22 (15) criminal background check fee, \$32.

2.23 (b) The board may prorate the initial annual license fee. All licensees are required to
2.24 pay the full fee upon license renewal. The revenue generated from the fee must be deposited
2.25 in an account in the state government special revenue fund.

2.26 Sec. 3. Minnesota Statutes 2016, section 147.012, is amended to read:

2.27 **147.012 OVERSIGHT OF ALLIED HEALTH PROFESSIONS.**

2.28 The board has responsibility for the oversight of the following allied health professions:
2.29 physician assistants under chapter 147A~~;~~₂ acupuncture practitioners under chapter 147B~~;~~₂

respiratory care practitioners under chapter 147C₂; traditional midwives under chapter 147D₂; registered naturopathic doctors under chapter 147E₂; genetic counselors under chapter 147F, and athletic trainers under sections 148.7801 to 148.7815.

Sec. 4. Minnesota Statutes 2016, section 147.02, is amended by adding a subdivision to read:

Subd. 7. **Additional renewal requirements.** (a) The licensee must maintain a correct mailing address with the board for receiving board communications, notices, and licensure renewal documents. Placing the license renewal application in first class United States mail, addressed to the licensee at the licensee's last known address with postage prepaid, constitutes valid service. Failure to receive the renewal documents does not relieve a license holder of the obligation to comply with this section.

(b) The names of licensees who do not return a complete license renewal application, the annual license fee, or the late application fee within 30 days shall be removed from the list of individuals authorized to practice medicine and surgery during the current renewal period. Upon reinstatement of licensure, the licensee's name will be placed on the list of individuals authorized to practice medicine and surgery.

Sec. 5. Minnesota Statutes 2016, section 147A.06, is amended to read:

147A.06 CANCELLATION OF LICENSE FOR NONRENEWAL.

Subdivision 1. **Cancellation of license.** The board shall not renew, reissue, reinstate, or restore a license that has lapsed on or after July 1, 1996, and has not been renewed within two annual renewal cycles starting July 1, 1997. A licensee whose license is canceled for nonrenewal must obtain a new license by applying for licensure and fulfilling all requirements then in existence for an initial license to practice as a physician assistant.

Subd. 2. **Licensure following lapse of licensed status; transition.** (a) A licensee whose license has lapsed under subdivision 1 before January 1, 2019, and who seeks to regain licensed status after January 1, 2019, shall be treated as a first-time licensee only for purposes of establishing a license renewal schedule, and shall not be subject to the license cycle conversion provisions in section 147A.29.

(b) This subdivision expires July 1, 2021.

Sec. 6. Minnesota Statutes 2016, section 147A.07, is amended to read:

147A.07 RENEWAL.

4.1 (a) A person who holds a license as a physician assistant shall annually, upon notification
4.2 from the board, renew the license by:

4.3 (1) submitting the appropriate fee as determined by the board;

4.4 (2) completing the appropriate forms; and

4.5 (3) meeting any other requirements of the board.

4.6 (b) A licensee must maintain a correct mailing address with the board for receiving board
4.7 communications, notices, and license renewal documents. Placing the license renewal
4.8 application in first class United States mail, addressed to the licensee at the licensee's last
4.9 known address with postage prepaid, constitutes valid service. Failure to receive the renewal
4.10 documents does not relieve a licensee of the obligation to comply with this section.

4.11 (c) The name of a licensee who does not return a complete license renewal application,
4.12 annual license fee, or late application fee, as applicable, within the time period required by
4.13 this section shall be removed from the list of individuals authorized to practice during the
4.14 current renewal period. If the licensee's license is reinstated, the licensee's name shall be
4.15 placed on the list of individuals authorized to practice.

4.16 Sec. 7. Minnesota Statutes 2017 Supplement, section 147A.28, is amended to read:

4.17 **147A.28 PHYSICIAN ASSISTANT APPLICATION AND LICENSE FEES.**

4.18 (a) The board may charge the following nonrefundable fees:

4.19 (1) physician assistant application fee, \$120;

4.20 (2) physician assistant annual registration renewal fee (prescribing authority), \$135;

4.21 (3) physician assistant annual registration renewal fee (no prescribing authority), \$115;

4.22 (4) physician assistant temporary registration, \$115;

4.23 (5) physician assistant temporary permit, \$60;

4.24 (6) physician assistant locum tenens permit, \$25;

4.25 (7) physician assistant late fee, \$50;

4.26 (8) duplicate license fee, \$20;

4.27 (9) certification letter fee, \$25;

4.28 (10) education or training program approval fee, \$100; ~~and~~

4.29 (11) report creation and generation fee, \$60-per hour;

5.1 (12) verification fee, \$25; and

5.2 (13) criminal background check fee, \$32.

5.3 (b) The board may prorate the initial annual license fee. All licensees are required to
5.4 pay the full fee upon license renewal. The revenue generated from the fees must be deposited
5.5 in an account in the state government special revenue fund.

5.6 Sec. 8. **[147A.29] LICENSE RENEWAL CYCLE CONVERSION.**

5.7 Subdivision 1. **Generally.** The license renewal cycle for physician assistant licensees
5.8 is converted to an annual cycle where renewal is due on the last day of the licensee's month
5.9 of birth. Conversion pursuant to this section begins January 1, 2019. This section governs
5.10 license renewal procedures for licensees who were licensed before December 31, 2018. The
5.11 conversion renewal cycle is the renewal cycle following the first license renewal after
5.12 January 1, 2019. The conversion license period is the license period for the conversion
5.13 renewal cycle. The conversion license period is between six and 17 months and ends on the
5.14 last day of the licensee's month of birth in either 2019 or 2020, as described in subdivision
5.15 2.

5.16 Subd. 2. **Conversion of license renewal cycle for current licensees.** For a licensee
5.17 whose license is current as of December 31, 2018, the licensee's conversion license period
5.18 begins on January 1, 2019, and ends on the last day of the licensee's month of birth in 2019,
5.19 except that for licensees whose month of birth is January, February, March, April, May, or
5.20 June, the licensee's renewal cycle ends on the last day of the licensee's month of birth in
5.21 2020.

5.22 Subd. 3. **Conversion of license renewal cycle for noncurrent licensees.** This subdivision
5.23 applies to an individual who was licensed before December 31, 2018, but whose license is
5.24 not current as of December 31, 2018. When the individual first renews the license after
5.25 January 1, 2019, the conversion renewal cycle begins on the date the individual applies for
5.26 renewal and ends on the last day of the licensee's month of birth in the same year, except
5.27 that if the last day of the individual's month of birth is less than six months after the date
5.28 the individual applies for renewal, then the renewal period ends on the last day of the
5.29 individual's month of birth in the following year.

5.30 Subd. 4. **Subsequent renewal cycles.** After the licensee's conversion renewal cycle
5.31 under subdivision 2 or 3, subsequent renewal cycles are annual and begin on the last day
5.32 of the month of the licensee's birth.

6.1 Subd. 5. **Conversion period and fees.** (a) A licensee who holds a license issued before
6.2 January 1, 2019, and who renews that license pursuant to subdivision 2 or 3, shall pay a
6.3 renewal fee as required in this subdivision.

6.4 (b) A licensee shall be charged the annual license fee listed in section 147A.28 for the
6.5 conversion license period.

6.6 (c) For a licensee whose conversion license period is six to 11 months, the first annual
6.7 license fee charged after the conversion license period shall be adjusted to credit the excess
6.8 fee payment made during the conversion license period. The credit is calculated by: (1)
6.9 subtracting the number of months of the licensee's conversion license period from 12; and
6.10 (2) multiplying the result of clause (1) by 1/12 of the annual fee rounded up to the next
6.11 dollar.

6.12 (d) For a licensee whose conversion license period is 12 months, the first annual license
6.13 fee charged after the conversion license period shall not be adjusted.

6.14 (e) For a licensee whose conversion license period is 13 to 17 months, the first annual
6.15 license fee charged after the conversion license period shall be adjusted to add the annual
6.16 license fee payment for the months that were not included in the annual license fee paid for
6.17 the conversion license period. The added payment is calculated by: (1) subtracting 12 from
6.18 the number of months of the licensee's conversion license period; and (2) multiplying the
6.19 result of clause (1) by 1/12 of the annual fee rounded up to the next dollar.

6.20 (f) For the second and all subsequent license renewals made after the conversion license
6.21 period, the licensee's annual license fee is as listed in section 147A.28.

6.22 Subd. 6. **Expiration.** This section expires July 1, 2021.

6.23 Sec. 9. Minnesota Statutes 2016, section 147B.02, subdivision 9, is amended to read:

6.24 Subd. 9. **Renewal.** (a) To renew a license an applicant must:

6.25 (1) annually, or as determined by the board, complete a renewal application on a form
6.26 provided by the board;

6.27 (2) submit the renewal fee;

6.28 (3) provide documentation of current and active NCCAOM certification; or

6.29 (4) if licensed under subdivision 5 or 6, meet the same NCCAOM professional
6.30 development activity requirements as those licensed under subdivision 7.

(b) An applicant shall submit any additional information requested by the board to clarify information presented in the renewal application. The information must be submitted within 30 days after the board's request, or the renewal request is nullified.

(c) An applicant must maintain a correct mailing address with the board for receiving board communications, notices, and license renewal documents. Placing the license renewal application in first class United States mail, addressed to the applicant at the applicant's last known address with postage prepaid, constitutes valid service. Failure to receive the renewal documents does not relieve an applicant of the obligation to comply with this section.

(d) The name of an applicant who does not return a complete license renewal application, annual license fee, or late application fee, as applicable, within the time period required by this section shall be removed from the list of individuals authorized to practice during the current renewal period. If the applicant's license is reinstated, the applicant's name shall be placed on the list of individuals authorized to practice.

Sec. 10. Minnesota Statutes 2016, section 147B.02, is amended by adding a subdivision to read:

Subd. 12a. **Licensure following lapse of licensed status; transition.** (a) A licensee whose license has lapsed under subdivision 12 before January 1, 2019, and who seeks to regain licensed status after January 1, 2019, shall be treated as a first-time licensee only for purposes of establishing a license renewal schedule, and shall not be subject to the license cycle conversion provisions in section 147B.09.

(b) This subdivision expires July 1, 2021.

Sec. 11. Minnesota Statutes 2017 Supplement, section 147B.08, is amended to read:

147B.08 FEES.

Subd. 4. **Acupuncturist application and license fees.** (a) The board may charge the following nonrefundable fees:

(1) acupuncturist application fee, \$150;

(2) acupuncturist annual registration renewal fee, \$150;

(3) acupuncturist temporary registration fee, \$60;

(4) acupuncturist inactive status fee, \$50;

(5) acupuncturist late fee, \$50;

- 8.1 (6) duplicate license fee, \$20;
- 8.2 (7) certification letter fee, \$25;
- 8.3 (8) education or training program approval fee, \$100; ~~and~~
- 8.4 (9) report creation and generation fee, \$60- per hour;
- 8.5 (10) verification fee, \$25; and
- 8.6 (11) criminal background check fee, \$32.

8.7 (b) The board may prorate the initial annual license fee. All licensees are required to

8.8 pay the full fee upon license renewal. The revenue generated from the fees must be deposited

8.9 in an account in the state government special revenue fund.

8.10 Sec. 12. **[147B.09] LICENSE RENEWAL CYCLE CONVERSION.**

8.11 Subdivision 1. **Generally.** The license renewal cycle for acupuncture practitioner licensees

8.12 is converted to an annual cycle where renewal is due on the last day of the licensee's month

8.13 of birth. Conversion pursuant to this section begins January 1, 2019. This section governs

8.14 license renewal procedures for licensees who were licensed before December 31, 2018. The

8.15 conversion renewal cycle is the renewal cycle following the first license renewal after

8.16 January 1, 2019. The conversion license period is the license period for the conversion

8.17 renewal cycle. The conversion license period is between six and 17 months and ends on the

8.18 last day of the licensee's month of birth in either 2019 or 2020, as described in subdivision

8.19 2.

8.20 Subd. 2. **Conversion of license renewal cycle for current licensees.** For a licensee

8.21 whose license is current as of December 31, 2018, the licensee's conversion license period

8.22 begins on January 1, 2019, and ends on the last day of the licensee's month of birth in 2019,

8.23 except that for licensees whose month of birth is January, February, March, April, May, or

8.24 June, the licensee's renewal cycle ends on the last day of the licensee's month of birth in

8.25 2020.

8.26 Subd. 3. **Conversion of license renewal cycle for noncurrent licensees.** This subdivision

8.27 applies to an individual who was licensed before December 31, 2018, but whose license is

8.28 not current as of December 31, 2018. When the individual first renews the license after

8.29 January 1, 2019, the conversion renewal cycle begins on the date the individual applies for

8.30 renewal and ends on the last day of the licensee's month of birth in the same year, except

8.31 that if the last day of the individual's month of birth is less than six months after the date

9.1 the individual applies for renewal, then the renewal period ends on the last day of the
9.2 individual's month of birth in the following year.

9.3 Subd. 4. **Subsequent renewal cycles.** After the licensee's conversion renewal cycle
9.4 under subdivision 2 or 3, subsequent renewal cycles are annual and begin on the last day
9.5 of the month of the licensee's birth.

9.6 Subd. 5. **Conversion period and fees.** (a) A licensee who holds a license issued before
9.7 January 1, 2019, and who renews that license pursuant to subdivision 2 or 3, shall pay a
9.8 renewal fee as required in this subdivision.

9.9 (b) A licensee shall be charged the annual license fee listed in section 147B.08 for the
9.10 conversion license period.

9.11 (c) For a licensee whose conversion license period is six to 11 months, the first annual
9.12 license fee charged after the conversion license period shall be adjusted to credit the excess
9.13 fee payment made during the conversion license period. The credit is calculated by: (1)
9.14 subtracting the number of months of the licensee's conversion license period from 12; and
9.15 (2) multiplying the result of clause (1) by 1/12 of the annual fee rounded up to the next
9.16 dollar.

9.17 (d) For a licensee whose conversion license period is 12 months, the first annual license
9.18 fee charged after the conversion license period shall not be adjusted.

9.19 (e) For a licensee whose conversion license period is 13 to 17 months, the first annual
9.20 license fee charged after the conversion license period shall be adjusted to add the annual
9.21 license fee payment for the months that were not included in the annual license fee paid for
9.22 the conversion license period. The added payment is calculated by: (1) subtracting 12 from
9.23 the number of months of the licensee's conversion license period; and (2) multiplying the
9.24 result of clause (1) by 1/12 of the annual fee rounded up to the next dollar.

9.25 (f) For the second and all subsequent license renewals made after the conversion license
9.26 period, the licensee's annual license fee is as listed in section 147B.08.

9.27 Subd. 6. **Expiration.** This section expires July 1, 2021.

9.28 Sec. 13. Minnesota Statutes 2016, section 147C.15, subdivision 7, is amended to read:

9.29 Subd. 7. **Renewal.** (a) To be eligible for license renewal a licensee must:

9.30 (1) annually, or as determined by the board, complete a renewal application on a form
9.31 provided by the board;

9.32 (2) submit the renewal fee;

(3) provide evidence every two years of a total of 24 hours of continuing education approved by the board as described in section 147C.25; and

(4) submit any additional information requested by the board to clarify information presented in the renewal application. The information must be submitted within 30 days after the board's request, or the renewal request is nullified.

(b) Applicants for renewal who have not practiced the equivalent of eight full weeks during the past five years must achieve a passing score on retaking the credentialing examination.

(c) A licensee must maintain a correct mailing address with the board for receiving board communications, notices, and license renewal documents. Placing the license renewal application in first class United States mail, addressed to the licensee at the licensee's last known address with postage prepaid, constitutes valid service. Failure to receive the renewal documents does not relieve a licensee of the obligation to comply with this section.

(d) The name of a licensee who does not return a complete license renewal application, annual license fee, or late application fee, as applicable, within the time period required by this section shall be removed from the list of individuals authorized to practice during the current renewal period. If the licensee's license is reinstated, the licensee's name shall be placed on the list of individuals authorized to practice.

Sec. 14. Minnesota Statutes 2016, section 147C.15, is amended by adding a subdivision to read:

Subd. 12a. **Licensure following lapse of licensed status; transition.** (a) A licensee whose license has lapsed under subdivision 12 before January 1, 2019, and who seeks to regain licensed status after January 1, 2019, shall be treated as a first-time licensee only for purposes of establishing a license renewal schedule, and shall not be subject to the license cycle conversion provisions in section 147C.45.

(b) This subdivision expires July 1, 2021.

Sec. 15. Minnesota Statutes 2017 Supplement, section 147C.40, is amended to read:

147C.40 FEES.

Subd. 5. **Respiratory therapist application and license fees.** (a) The board may charge the following nonrefundable fees:

(1) respiratory therapist application fee, \$100;

11.1 (2) respiratory therapist annual registration renewal fee, \$90;

11.2 (3) respiratory therapist inactive status fee, \$50;

11.3 (4) respiratory therapist temporary registration fee, \$90;

11.4 (5) respiratory therapist temporary permit, \$60;

11.5 (6) respiratory therapist late fee, \$50;

11.6 (7) duplicate license fee, \$20;

11.7 (8) certification letter fee, \$25;

11.8 (9) education or training program approval fee, \$100; ~~and~~

11.9 (10) report creation and generation fee, \$60- per hour;

11.10 (11) verification fee, \$25; and

11.11 (12) criminal background check fee, \$32.

11.12 (b) The board may prorate the initial annual license fee. All licensees are required to
11.13 pay the full fee upon license renewal. The revenue generated from the fees must be deposited
11.14 in an account in the state government special revenue fund.

11.15 Sec. 16. **[147C.45] LICENSE RENEWAL CYCLE CONVERSION.**

11.16 Subdivision 1. **Generally.** The license renewal cycle for respiratory care practitioner
11.17 licensees is converted to an annual cycle where renewal is due on the last day of the licensee's
11.18 month of birth. Conversion pursuant to this section begins January 1, 2019. This section
11.19 governs license renewal procedures for licensees who were licensed before December 31,
11.20 2018. The conversion renewal cycle is the renewal cycle following the first license renewal
11.21 after January 1, 2019. The conversion license period is the license period for the conversion
11.22 renewal cycle. The conversion license period is between six and 17 months and ends on the
11.23 last day of the licensee's month of birth in either 2019 or 2020, as described in subdivision
11.24 2.

11.25 Subd. 2. **Conversion of license renewal cycle for current licensees.** For a licensee
11.26 whose license is current as of December 31, 2018, the licensee's conversion license period
11.27 begins on January 1, 2019, and ends on the last day of the licensee's month of birth in 2019,
11.28 except that for licensees whose month of birth is January, February, March, April, May, or
11.29 June, the licensee's renewal cycle ends on the last day of the licensee's month of birth in
11.30 2020.

12.1 Subd. 3. **Conversion of license renewal cycle for noncurrent licensees.** This subdivision
12.2 applies to an individual who was licensed before December 31, 2018, but whose license is
12.3 not current as of December 31, 2018. When the individual first renews the license after
12.4 January 1, 2019, the conversion renewal cycle begins on the date the individual applies for
12.5 renewal and ends on the last day of the licensee's month of birth in the same year, except
12.6 that if the last day of the individual's month of birth is less than six months after the date
12.7 the individual applies for renewal, then the renewal period ends on the last day of the
12.8 individual's month of birth in the following year.

12.9 Subd. 4. **Subsequent renewal cycles.** After the licensee's conversion renewal cycle
12.10 under subdivision 2 or 3, subsequent renewal cycles are annual and begin on the last day
12.11 of the month of the licensee's birth.

12.12 Subd. 5. **Conversion period and fees.** (a) A licensee who holds a license issued before
12.13 January 1, 2019, and who renews that license pursuant to subdivision 2 or 3, shall pay a
12.14 renewal fee as required in this subdivision.

12.15 (b) A licensee shall be charged the annual license fee listed in section 147C.40 for the
12.16 conversion license period.

12.17 (c) For a licensee whose conversion license period is six to 11 months, the first annual
12.18 license fee charged after the conversion license period shall be adjusted to credit the excess
12.19 fee payment made during the conversion license period. The credit is calculated by: (1)
12.20 subtracting the number of months of the licensee's conversion license period from 12; and
12.21 (2) multiplying the result of clause (1) by 1/12 of the annual fee rounded up to the next
12.22 dollar.

12.23 (d) For a licensee whose conversion license period is 12 months, the first annual license
12.24 fee charged after the conversion license period shall not be adjusted.

12.25 (e) For a licensee whose conversion license period is 13 to 17 months, the first annual
12.26 license fee charged after the conversion license period shall be adjusted to add the annual
12.27 license fee payment for the months that were not included in the annual license fee paid for
12.28 the conversion license period. The added payment is calculated by: (1) subtracting 12 from
12.29 the number of months of the licensee's conversion license period; and (2) multiplying the
12.30 result of clause (1) by 1/12 of the annual fee rounded up to the next dollar.

12.31 (f) For the second and all subsequent license renewals made after the conversion license
12.32 period, the licensee's annual license fee is as listed in section 147C.40.

12.33 Subd. 6. **Expiration.** This section expires July 1, 2021.

13.1 Sec. 17. Minnesota Statutes 2016, section 147D.17, subdivision 6, is amended to read:

13.2 Subd. 6. **Renewal.** (a) To be eligible for license renewal, a licensed traditional midwife
13.3 must:

13.4 (1) complete a renewal application on a form provided by the board;

13.5 (2) submit the renewal fee;

13.6 (3) provide evidence every three years of a total of 30 hours of continuing education
13.7 approved by the board as described in section 147D.21;

13.8 (4) submit evidence of an annual peer review and update of the licensed traditional
13.9 midwife's medical consultation plan; and

13.10 (5) submit any additional information requested by the board. The information must be
13.11 submitted within 30 days after the board's request, or the renewal request is nullified.

13.12 (b) A licensee must maintain a correct mailing address with the board for receiving board
13.13 communications, notices, and license renewal documents. Placing the license renewal
13.14 application in first class United States mail, addressed to the licensee at the licensee's last
13.15 known address with postage prepaid, constitutes valid service. Failure to receive the renewal
13.16 documents does not relieve a licensee of the obligation to comply with this section.

13.17 (c) The name of a licensee who does not return a complete license renewal application,
13.18 annual license fee, or late application fee, as applicable, within the time period required by
13.19 this section shall be removed from the list of individuals authorized to practice during the
13.20 current renewal period. If the licensee's license is reinstated, the licensee's name shall be
13.21 placed on the list of individuals authorized to practice.

13.22 Sec. 18. Minnesota Statutes 2016, section 147D.17, is amended by adding a subdivision
13.23 to read:

13.24 Subd. 11a. **Licensure following lapse of licensed status; transition.** (a) A licensee
13.25 whose license has lapsed under subdivision 11 before January 1, 2019, and who seeks to
13.26 regain licensed status after January 1, 2019, shall be treated as a first-time licensee only for
13.27 purposes of establishing a license renewal schedule, and shall not be subject to the license
13.28 cycle conversion provisions in section 147D.29.

13.29 (b) This subdivision expires July 1, 2021.

14.1 Sec. 19. Minnesota Statutes 2016, section 147D.27, is amended by adding a subdivision
14.2 to read:

14.3 Subd. 5. **Additional fees.** The board may also charge the following nonrefundable fees:

14.4 (1) verification fee, \$25;

14.5 (2) certification letter fee, \$25;

14.6 (3) education or training program approval fee, \$100;

14.7 (4) report creation and generation fee, \$60 per hour;

14.8 (5) duplicate license fee, \$20; and

14.9 (6) criminal background check fee, \$32.

14.10 Sec. 20. **[147D.29] LICENSE RENEWAL CYCLE CONVERSION.**

14.11 Subdivision 1. **Generally.** The license renewal cycle for traditional midwife licensees
14.12 is converted to an annual cycle where renewal is due on the last day of the licensee's month
14.13 of birth. Conversion pursuant to this section begins January 1, 2019. This section governs
14.14 license renewal procedures for licensees who were licensed before December 31, 2018. The
14.15 conversion renewal cycle is the renewal cycle following the first license renewal after
14.16 January 1, 2019. The conversion license period is the license period for the conversion
14.17 renewal cycle. The conversion license period is between six and 17 months and ends on the
14.18 last day of the licensee's month of birth in either 2019 or 2020, as described in subdivision
14.19 2.

14.20 Subd. 2. **Conversion of license renewal cycle for current licensees.** For a licensee
14.21 whose license is current as of December 31, 2018, the licensee's conversion license period
14.22 begins on January 1, 2019, and ends on the last day of the licensee's month of birth in 2019,
14.23 except that for licensees whose month of birth is January, February, March, April, May, or
14.24 June, the licensee's renewal cycle ends on the last day of the licensee's month of birth in
14.25 2020.

14.26 Subd. 3. **Conversion of license renewal cycle for noncurrent licensees.** This subdivision
14.27 applies to an individual who was licensed before December 31, 2018, but whose license is
14.28 not current as of December 31, 2018. When the individual first renews the license after
14.29 January 1, 2019, the conversion renewal cycle begins on the date the individual applies for
14.30 renewal and ends on the last day of the licensee's month of birth in the same year, except
14.31 that if the last day of the individual's month of birth is less than six months after the date

15.1 the individual applies for renewal, then the renewal period ends on the last day of the
15.2 individual's month of birth in the following year.

15.3 Subd. 4. **Subsequent renewal cycles.** After the licensee's conversion renewal cycle
15.4 under subdivision 2 or 3, subsequent renewal cycles are annual and begin on the last day
15.5 of the month of the licensee's birth.

15.6 Subd. 5. **Conversion period and fees.** (a) A licensee who holds a license issued before
15.7 January 1, 2019, and who renews that license pursuant to subdivision 2 or 3, shall pay a
15.8 renewal fee as required in this subdivision.

15.9 (b) A licensee shall be charged the annual license fee listed in section 147D.27 for the
15.10 conversion license period.

15.11 (c) For a licensee whose conversion license period is six to 11 months, the first annual
15.12 license fee charged after the conversion license period shall be adjusted to credit the excess
15.13 fee payment made during the conversion license period. The credit is calculated by: (1)
15.14 subtracting the number of months of the licensee's conversion license period from 12; and
15.15 (2) multiplying the result of clause (1) by 1/12 of the annual fee rounded up to the next
15.16 dollar.

15.17 (d) For a licensee whose conversion license period is 12 months, the first annual license
15.18 fee charged after the conversion license period shall not be adjusted.

15.19 (e) For a licensee whose conversion license period is 13 to 17 months, the first annual
15.20 license fee charged after the conversion license period shall be adjusted to add the annual
15.21 license fee payment for the months that were not included in the annual license fee paid for
15.22 the conversion license period. The added payment is calculated by: (1) subtracting 12 from
15.23 the number of months of the licensee's conversion license period; and (2) multiplying the
15.24 result of clause (1) by 1/12 of the annual fee rounded up to the next dollar.

15.25 (f) For the second and all subsequent license renewals made after the conversion license
15.26 period, the licensee's annual license fee is as listed in section 147D.27.

15.27 Subd. 6. **Expiration.** This section expires July 1, 2021.

15.28 Sec. 21. Minnesota Statutes 2016, section 147E.15, subdivision 5, is amended to read:

15.29 Subd. 5. **Renewal.** (a) To be eligible for registration renewal a registrant must:

15.30 (1) annually, or as determined by the board, complete a renewal application on a form
15.31 provided by the board;

15.32 (2) submit the renewal fee;

(3) provide evidence of a total of 25 hours of continuing education approved by the board as described in section 147E.25; and

(4) submit any additional information requested by the board to clarify information presented in the renewal application. The information must be submitted within 30 days after the board's request, or the renewal request is nullified.

(b) A registrant must maintain a correct mailing address with the board for receiving board communications, notices, and registration renewal documents. Placing the registration renewal application in first class United States mail, addressed to the registrant at the registrant's last known address with postage prepaid, constitutes valid service. Failure to receive the renewal documents does not relieve a registrant of the obligation to comply with this section.

(c) The name of a registrant who does not return a complete registration renewal application, annual registration fee, or late application fee, as applicable, within the time period required by this section shall be removed from the list of individuals authorized to practice during the current renewal period. If the registrant's registration is reinstated, the registrant's name shall be placed on the list of individuals authorized to practice.

Sec. 22. Minnesota Statutes 2016, section 147E.15, is amended by adding a subdivision to read:

Subd. 10a. **Registration following lapse of registered status; transition.** (a) A registrant whose registration has lapsed under subdivision 10 before January 1, 2019, and who seeks to regain registered status after January 1, 2019, shall be treated as a first-time registrant only for purposes of establishing a registration renewal schedule, and shall not be subject to the registration cycle conversion provisions in section 147E.45.

(b) This subdivision expires July 1, 2021.

Sec. 23. Minnesota Statutes 2016, section 147E.40, subdivision 1, is amended to read:

Subdivision 1. **Fees.** Fees are as follows:

(1) registration application fee, \$200;

(2) renewal fee, \$150;

(3) late fee, \$75;

(4) inactive status fee, \$50; ~~and~~

(5) temporary permit fee, \$25;

- 17.1 (6) emeritus registration fee, \$50;
17.2 (7) duplicate license fee, \$20;
17.3 (8) certification letter fee, \$25;
17.4 (9) verification fee, \$25;
17.5 (10) education or training program approval fee, \$100; and
17.6 (11) report creation and generation fee, \$60 per hour.

17.7 Sec. 24. **[147E.45] REGISTRATION RENEWAL CYCLE CONVERSION.**

17.8 Subdivision 1. **Generally.** The registration renewal cycle for registered naturopathic
17.9 doctors is converted to an annual cycle where renewal is due on the last day of the registrant's
17.10 month of birth. Conversion pursuant to this section begins January 1, 2019. This section
17.11 governs registration renewal procedures for registrants who were registered before December
17.12 31, 2018. The conversion renewal cycle is the renewal cycle following the first registration
17.13 renewal after January 1, 2019. The conversion registration period is the registration period
17.14 for the conversion renewal cycle. The conversion registration period is between six and 17
17.15 months and ends on the last day of the registrant's month of birth in either 2019 or 2020, as
17.16 described in subdivision 2.

17.17 Subd. 2. **Conversion of registration renewal cycle for current registrants.** For a
17.18 registrant whose registration is current as of December 31, 2018, the registrant's conversion
17.19 registration period begins on January 1, 2019, and ends on the last day of the registrant's
17.20 month of birth in 2019, except that for registrants whose month of birth is January, February,
17.21 March, April, May, or June, the registrant's renewal cycle ends on the last day of the
17.22 registrant's month of birth in 2020.

17.23 Subd. 3. **Conversion of registration renewal cycle for noncurrent registrants.** This
17.24 subdivision applies to an individual who was registered before December 31, 2018, but
17.25 whose registration is not current as of December 31, 2018. When the individual first renews
17.26 the registration after January 1, 2019, the conversion renewal cycle begins on the date the
17.27 individual applies for renewal and ends on the last day of the registrant's month of birth in
17.28 the same year, except that if the last day of the individual's month of birth is less than six
17.29 months after the date the individual applies for renewal, then the renewal period ends on
17.30 the last day of the individual's month of birth in the following year.

18.1 Subd. 4. **Subsequent renewal cycles.** After the registrant's conversion renewal cycle
18.2 under subdivision 2 or 3, subsequent renewal cycles are annual and begin on the last day
18.3 of the month of the registrant's birth.

18.4 Subd. 5. **Conversion period and fees.** (a) A registrant who holds a registration issued
18.5 before January 1, 2019, and who renews that registration pursuant to subdivision 2 or 3,
18.6 shall pay a renewal fee as required in this subdivision.

18.7 (b) A registrant shall be charged the annual registration fee listed in section 147E.40 for
18.8 the conversion registration period.

18.9 (c) For a registrant whose conversion registration period is six to 11 months, the first
18.10 annual registration fee charged after the conversion registration period shall be adjusted to
18.11 credit the excess fee payment made during the conversion registration period. The credit is
18.12 calculated by: (1) subtracting the number of months of the registrant's conversion registration
18.13 period from 12; and (2) multiplying the result of clause (1) by 1/12 of the annual fee rounded
18.14 up to the next dollar.

18.15 (d) For a registrant whose conversion registration period is 12 months, the first annual
18.16 registration fee charged after the conversion registration period shall not be adjusted.

18.17 (e) For a registrant whose conversion registration period is 13 to 17 months, the first
18.18 annual registration fee charged after the conversion registration period shall be adjusted to
18.19 add the annual registration fee payment for the months that were not included in the annual
18.20 registration fee paid for the conversion registration period. The added payment is calculated
18.21 by: (1) subtracting 12 from the number of months of the registrant's conversion registration
18.22 period; and (2) multiplying the result of clause (1) by 1/12 of the annual fee rounded up to
18.23 the next dollar.

18.24 (f) For the second and all subsequent registration renewals made after the conversion
18.25 registration period, the registrant's annual registration fee is as listed in section 147E.40.

18.26 Subd. 6. **Expiration.** This section expires July 1, 2021.

18.27 Sec. 25. Minnesota Statutes 2016, section 147F.07, subdivision 5, is amended to read:

18.28 Subd. 5. **License renewal.** (a) To be eligible for license renewal, a licensed genetic
18.29 counselor must submit to the board:

18.30 (1) a renewal application on a form provided by the board;

18.31 (2) the renewal fee required under section 147F.17;

19.1 (3) evidence of compliance with the continuing education requirements in section
19.2 147F.11; and

19.3 (4) any additional information requested by the board.

19.4 (b) A licensee must maintain a correct mailing address with the board for receiving board
19.5 communications, notices, and license renewal documents. Placing the license renewal
19.6 application in first class United States mail, addressed to the licensee at the licensee's last
19.7 known address with postage prepaid, constitutes valid service. Failure to receive the renewal
19.8 documents does not relieve a licensee of the obligation to comply with this section.

19.9 (c) The name of a licensee who does not return a complete license renewal application,
19.10 annual license fee, or late application fee, as applicable, within the time period required by
19.11 this section shall be removed from the list of individuals authorized to practice during the
19.12 current renewal period. If the licensee's license is reinstated, the licensee's name shall be
19.13 placed on the list of individuals authorized to practice.

19.14 Sec. 26. Minnesota Statutes 2016, section 147F.07, is amended by adding a subdivision
19.15 to read:

19.16 Subd. 6. **Licensure following lapse of licensure status for two years or less.** For any
19.17 individual whose licensure status has lapsed for two years or less, to regain licensure status,
19.18 the individual must:

19.19 (1) apply for license renewal according to subdivision 5;

19.20 (2) document compliance with the continuing education requirements of section 147F.11
19.21 since the licensed genetic counselor's initial licensure or last renewal; and

19.22 (3) submit the fees required under section 147F.17 for the period not licensed, including
19.23 the fee for late renewal.

19.24 Sec. 27. Minnesota Statutes 2016, section 147F.07, is amended by adding a subdivision
19.25 to read:

19.26 Subd. 6a. **Licensure following lapse of licensed status; transition.** (a) A licensee whose
19.27 license has lapsed under subdivision 6 before January 1, 2019, and who seeks to regain
19.28 licensed status after January 1, 2019, shall be treated as a first-time licensee only for purposes
19.29 of establishing a license renewal schedule, and shall not be subject to the license cycle
19.30 conversion provisions in section 147F.19.

19.31 (b) This subdivision expires July 1, 2021.

20.1 Sec. 28. Minnesota Statutes 2016, section 147F.17, subdivision 1, is amended to read:

20.2 Subdivision 1. **Fees.** Fees are as follows:

20.3 (1) license application fee, \$200;

20.4 (2) initial licensure and annual renewal, \$150; ~~and~~

20.5 (3) late fee, \$75²;

20.6 (4) temporary license fee, \$60;

20.7 (5) duplicate license fee, \$20;

20.8 (6) certification letter fee, \$25;

20.9 (7) education or training program approval fee, \$100;

20.10 (8) report creation and generation fee, \$60 per hour; and

20.11 (9) criminal background check fee, \$32.

20.12 Sec. 29. **[147F.19] LICENSE RENEWAL CYCLE CONVERSION.**

20.13 Subdivision 1. **Generally.** The license renewal cycle for genetic counselor licensees is
20.14 converted to an annual cycle where renewal is due on the last day of the licensee's month
20.15 of birth. Conversion pursuant to this section begins January 1, 2019. This section governs
20.16 license renewal procedures for licensees who were licensed before December 31, 2018. The
20.17 conversion renewal cycle is the renewal cycle following the first license renewal after
20.18 January 1, 2019. The conversion license period is the license period for the conversion
20.19 renewal cycle. The conversion license period is between six and 17 months and ends on the
20.20 last day of the licensee's month of birth in either 2019 or 2020, as described in subdivision
20.21 2.

20.22 Subd. 2. **Conversion of license renewal cycle for current licensees.** For a licensee
20.23 whose license is current as of December 31, 2018, the licensee's conversion license period
20.24 begins on January 1, 2019, and ends on the last day of the licensee's month of birth in 2019,
20.25 except that for licensees whose month of birth is January, February, March, April, May, or
20.26 June, the licensee's renewal cycle ends on the last day of the licensee's month of birth in
20.27 2020.

20.28 Subd. 3. **Conversion of license renewal cycle for noncurrent licensees.** This subdivision
20.29 applies to an individual who was licensed before December 31, 2018, but whose license is
20.30 not current as of December 31, 2018. When the individual first renews the license after
20.31 January 1, 2019, the conversion renewal cycle begins on the date the individual applies for

21.1 renewal and ends on the last day of the licensee's month of birth in the same year, except
21.2 that if the last day of the individual's month of birth is less than six months after the date
21.3 the individual applies for renewal, then the renewal period ends on the last day of the
21.4 individual's month of birth in the following year.

21.5 Subd. 4. **Subsequent renewal cycles.** After the licensee's conversion renewal cycle
21.6 under subdivision 2 or 3, subsequent renewal cycles are annual and begin on the last day
21.7 of the month of the licensee's birth.

21.8 Subd. 5. **Conversion period and fees.** (a) A licensee who holds a license issued before
21.9 January 1, 2019, and who renews that license pursuant to subdivision 2 or 3, shall pay a
21.10 renewal fee as required in this subdivision.

21.11 (b) A licensee shall be charged the annual license fee listed in section 147F.17 for the
21.12 conversion license period.

21.13 (c) For a licensee whose conversion license period is six to 11 months, the first annual
21.14 license fee charged after the conversion license period shall be adjusted to credit the excess
21.15 fee payment made during the conversion license period. The credit is calculated by: (1)
21.16 subtracting the number of months of the licensee's conversion license period from 12; and
21.17 (2) multiplying the result of clause (1) by 1/12 of the annual fee rounded up to the next
21.18 dollar.

21.19 (d) For a licensee whose conversion license period is 12 months, the first annual license
21.20 fee charged after the conversion license period shall not be adjusted.

21.21 (e) For a licensee whose conversion license period is 13 to 17 months, the first annual
21.22 license fee charged after the conversion license period shall be adjusted to add the annual
21.23 license fee payment for the months that were not included in the annual license fee paid for
21.24 the conversion license period. The added payment is calculated by: (1) subtracting 12 from
21.25 the number of months of the licensee's conversion license period; and (2) multiplying the
21.26 result of clause (1) by 1/12 of the annual fee rounded up to the next dollar.

21.27 (f) For the second and all subsequent license renewals made after the conversion license
21.28 period, the licensee's annual license fee is as listed in section 147F.17.

21.29 Subd. 6. **Expiration.** This section expires July 1, 2021.

21.30 Sec. 30. Minnesota Statutes 2016, section 148.59, is amended to read:

21.31 **148.59 LICENSE RENEWAL; LICENSE AND REGISTRATION FEES.**

22.1 A licensed optometrist shall pay to the state Board of Optometry a fee as set by the board
22.2 in order to renew a license as provided by board rule. No fees shall be refunded. Fees may
22.3 not exceed the following amounts but may be adjusted lower by board direction and are for
22.4 the exclusive use of the board:

22.5 (1) optometry licensure application, \$160;

22.6 (2) optometry annual licensure renewal, ~~\$135~~ \$170;

22.7 (3) optometry late penalty fee, \$75;

22.8 (4) annual license renewal card, \$10;

22.9 (5) continuing education provider application, \$45;

22.10 (6) emeritus registration, \$10;

22.11 (7) endorsement/reciprocity application, \$160;

22.12 (8) replacement of initial license, \$12; ~~and~~

22.13 (9) license verification, \$50;₂

22.14 (10) jurisprudence state examination, \$75;

22.15 (11) Optometric Education Continuing Education data bank registration, \$20; and

22.16 (12) data requests and labels, \$50.

22.17 Sec. 31. Minnesota Statutes 2016, section 148.7815, subdivision 1, is amended to read:

22.18 Subdivision 1. **Fees.** The board shall establish fees as follows:

22.19 (1) application fee, \$50;

22.20 (2) annual registration fee, \$100;

22.21 (3) temporary registration, \$100; ~~and~~

22.22 (4) temporary permit, \$50;₂

22.23 (5) late fee, \$15;

22.24 (6) duplicate license fee, \$20;

22.25 (7) certification letter fee, \$25;

22.26 (8) verification fee, \$25;

22.27 (9) education or training program approval fee, \$100; and

22.28 (10) report creation and generation fee, \$60 per hour.

23.1 Sec. 32. Minnesota Statutes 2016, section 148E.180, is amended to read:

23.2 **148E.180 FEE AMOUNTS.**

23.3 Subdivision 1. **Application fees.** Nonrefundable application fees for licensure are as
23.4 follows may not exceed the following amounts:

- 23.5 (1) for a licensed social worker, ~~\$45~~ \$54;
- 23.6 (2) for a licensed graduate social worker, ~~\$45~~ \$54;
- 23.7 (3) for a licensed independent social worker, ~~\$45~~ \$54;
- 23.8 (4) for a licensed independent clinical social worker, ~~\$45~~ \$54;
- 23.9 (5) for a temporary license, \$50; and
- 23.10 (6) for a licensure by endorsement, ~~\$85~~ \$92.

23.11 The fee for criminal background checks is the fee charged by the Bureau of Criminal
23.12 Apprehension. The criminal background check fee must be included with the application
23.13 fee as required according to section 148E.055.

23.14 Subd. 2. **License fees.** Nonrefundable license fees are as follows may not exceed the
23.15 following amounts but may be adjusted lower by board action:

- 23.16 (1) for a licensed social worker, ~~\$81~~ \$97;
- 23.17 (2) for a licensed graduate social worker, ~~\$144~~ \$172;
- 23.18 (3) for a licensed independent social worker, ~~\$216~~ \$258;
- 23.19 (4) for a licensed independent clinical social worker, ~~\$238.50~~ \$284;
- 23.20 (5) for an emeritus inactive license, ~~\$43.20~~ \$51;
- 23.21 (6) for an emeritus active license, one-half of the renewal fee specified in subdivision
23.22 3; and
- 23.23 (7) for a temporary leave fee, the same as the renewal fee specified in subdivision 3.

23.24 If the licensee's initial license term is less or more than 24 months, the required license
23.25 fees must be prorated proportionately.

23.26 Subd. 3. **Renewal fees.** Nonrefundable renewal fees for licensure are as follows the
23.27 two-year renewal term may not exceed the following amounts but may be adjusted lower
23.28 by board action:

- 23.29 (1) for a licensed social worker, ~~\$81~~ \$97;

24.1 (2) for a licensed graduate social worker, ~~\$144~~ \$172;

24.2 (3) for a licensed independent social worker, ~~\$216~~ \$258; and

24.3 (4) for a licensed independent clinical social worker, ~~\$238.50~~ \$284.

24.4 Subd. 4. **Continuing education provider fees.** Continuing education provider fees are
24.5 ~~as follows~~ the following nonrefundable amounts:

24.6 (1) for a provider who offers programs totaling one to eight clock hours in a one-year
24.7 period according to section 148E.145, ~~\$50~~ \$60;

24.8 (2) for a provider who offers programs totaling nine to 16 clock hours in a one-year
24.9 period according to section 148E.145, ~~\$100~~ \$120;

24.10 (3) for a provider who offers programs totaling 17 to 32 clock hours in a one-year period
24.11 according to section 148E.145, ~~\$200~~ \$240;

24.12 (4) for a provider who offers programs totaling 33 to 48 clock hours in a one-year period
24.13 according to section 148E.145, ~~\$400~~ \$480; and

24.14 (5) for a provider who offers programs totaling 49 or more clock hours in a one-year
24.15 period according to section 148E.145, ~~\$600~~ \$720.

24.16 Subd. 5. **Late fees.** Late fees are ~~as follows~~ the following nonrefundable amounts:

24.17 (1) renewal late fee, one-fourth of the renewal fee specified in subdivision 3;

24.18 (2) supervision plan late fee, \$40; and

24.19 (3) license late fee, \$100 plus the prorated share of the license fee specified in subdivision
24.20 2 for the number of months during which the individual practiced social work without a
24.21 license.

24.22 Subd. 6. **License cards and wall certificates.** (a) The fee for a license card as specified
24.23 in section 148E.095 is \$10.

24.24 (b) The fee for a license wall certificate as specified in section 148E.095 is \$30.

24.25 Subd. 7. **Reactivation fees.** Reactivation fees are ~~as follows~~ the following nonrefundable
24.26 amounts:

24.27 (1) reactivation from a temporary leave or emeritus status, the prorated share of the
24.28 renewal fee specified in subdivision 3; and

24.29 (2) reactivation of an expired license, 1-1/2 times the renewal fees specified in subdivision
24.30 3.

25.1 Sec. 33. Minnesota Statutes 2016, section 150A.06, subdivision 1a, is amended to read:

25.2 Subd. 1a. **Faculty dentists.** (a) Faculty members of a school of dentistry must be licensed
25.3 in order to practice dentistry as defined in section 150A.05. The board may issue to members
25.4 of the faculty of a school of dentistry a license designated as either a "limited faculty license"
25.5 or a "full faculty license" entitling the holder to practice dentistry within the terms described
25.6 in paragraph (b) or (c). The dean of a school of dentistry and program directors of a
25.7 Minnesota dental hygiene, dental therapy, or dental assisting school accredited by the
25.8 Commission on Dental Accreditation shall certify to the board those members of the school's
25.9 faculty who practice dentistry but are not licensed to practice dentistry in Minnesota. A
25.10 faculty member who practices dentistry as defined in section 150A.05, before beginning
25.11 duties in a school of dentistry ~~or a~~, dental therapy, dental hygiene, or dental assisting ~~school~~,
25.12 shall apply to the board for a limited or full faculty license. Pursuant to Minnesota Rules,
25.13 chapter 3100, and at the discretion of the board, a limited faculty license must be renewed
25.14 annually and a full faculty license must be renewed biennially. The faculty applicant shall
25.15 pay a nonrefundable fee set by the board for issuing and renewing the faculty license. The
25.16 faculty license is valid during the time the holder remains a member of the faculty of a
25.17 school of dentistry ~~or a~~, dental therapy, dental hygiene, or dental assisting ~~school~~ and subjects
25.18 the holder to this chapter.

25.19 (b) The board may issue to dentist members of the faculty of a Minnesota school of
25.20 dentistry, dental therapy, dental hygiene, or dental assisting accredited by the Commission
25.21 on Dental Accreditation, a license designated as a limited faculty license entitling the holder
25.22 to practice dentistry within the school and its affiliated teaching facilities, but only for the
25.23 purposes of teaching or conducting research. The practice of dentistry at a school facility
25.24 for purposes other than teaching or research is not allowed unless the dentist was a faculty
25.25 member on August 1, 1993.

25.26 (c) The board may issue to dentist members of the faculty of a Minnesota school of
25.27 dentistry, dental therapy, dental hygiene, or dental assisting accredited by the Commission
25.28 on Dental Accreditation a license designated as a full faculty license entitling the holder to
25.29 practice dentistry within the school and its affiliated ~~teaching~~ facilities ~~and elsewhere~~ if the
25.30 holder of the license is employed ~~50 percent time or more~~ full time by the school in the
25.31 practice of teaching, supervising, or research, and upon successful review by the board of
25.32 the applicant's qualifications as described in subdivisions 1, 1c, and 4 and board rule. The
25.33 board, at its discretion, may waive specific licensing prerequisites.

26.1 Sec. 34. Minnesota Statutes 2016, section 150A.06, is amended by adding a subdivision
26.2 to read:

26.3 Subd. 10. **Emeritus inactive license.** (a) A dental professional licensed under this chapter
26.4 to practice dentistry, dental therapy, dental hygiene, or dental assisting who retires from
26.5 active practice in the state may apply to the board for an emeritus inactive license. An
26.6 applicant must apply for an emeritus inactive license on the biennial licensing form or by
26.7 petitioning the board.

26.8 (b) The board shall not grant an emeritus inactive license to an applicant who is the
26.9 subject of a disciplinary action resulting in the current suspension, revocation,
26.10 disqualification, condition, or restriction of the applicant's license to practice dentistry,
26.11 dental therapy, dental hygiene, or dental assisting.

26.12 (c) An emeritus inactive licensee is prohibited from practicing dentistry, dental therapy,
26.13 dental hygiene, or dental assisting. An emeritus inactive license is a formal recognition of
26.14 completion of the licensee's dental career in good standing.

26.15 (d) The board shall charge a onetime fee for issuance of an emeritus inactive license,
26.16 pursuant to section 150A.091.

26.17 Sec. 35. Minnesota Statutes 2016, section 150A.06, is amended by adding a subdivision
26.18 to read:

26.19 Subd. 11. **Emeritus active license.** (a) A dental professional licensed to practice dentistry,
26.20 dental therapy, dental hygiene, or dental assisting, pursuant to section 150A.05 and Minnesota
26.21 Rules, part 3100.8500, who declares retirement from active practice in the state may apply
26.22 to the board for an emeritus active license. An applicant must apply for an emeritus active
26.23 license on a form as required by the board.

26.24 (b) An emeritus active licensee may engage only in pro bono or volunteer practice, paid
26.25 practice not to exceed 240 hours per calendar year for the purpose of providing license
26.26 supervision to meet board requirements, and paid consulting services not to exceed 240
26.27 hours per calendar year.

26.28 (c) An emeritus active licensee is prohibited from representing that the licensee is
26.29 authorized to engage in any practice except as provided in paragraph (b). The board may
26.30 take disciplinary or corrective action against an emeritus active licensee as provided in
26.31 section 150A.08.

26.32 (d) An emeritus active license must be renewed biennially. The renewal requirements
26.33 for an emeritus active license are:

- 27.1 (1) completion of a renewal form as required by the board;
- 27.2 (2) payment of a renewal fee pursuant to section 150A.091; and
- 27.3 (3) reporting of 25 completed continuing education hours, which must include:
- 27.4 (i) courses in two required CORE areas;
- 27.5 (ii) one hour of credit on infection control;
- 27.6 (iii) for emeritus active licenses in dentistry and dental therapy, at least 15 fundamental
- 27.7 credits and no more than ten elective credits; and
- 27.8 (iv) for emeritus active licenses in dental hygiene and dental assisting, at least seven
- 27.9 fundamental credits and no more than six elective credits.

27.10 Sec. 36. Minnesota Statutes 2016, section 150A.091, is amended by adding a subdivision

27.11 to read:

27.12 Subd. 19. **Emeritus inactive license.** Each applicant shall submit with an application

27.13 for an emeritus inactive license a onetime, nonrefundable fee in the amount of \$50.

27.14 Sec. 37. Minnesota Statutes 2016, section 150A.091, is amended by adding a subdivision

27.15 to read:

27.16 Subd. 20. **Emeritus active license.** Each applicant shall submit with an application for

27.17 an emeritus inactive license, and each emeritus active licensee shall submit with a renewal

27.18 application, a nonrefundable fee as follows:

- 27.19 (1) for an emeritus active license in dentistry, \$212;
- 27.20 (2) for an emeritus active license in dental therapy, \$100;
- 27.21 (3) for an emeritus active license in dental hygiene, \$75; and
- 27.22 (4) for an emeritus active license in dental assisting, \$55.

27.23 Sec. 38. Minnesota Statutes 2016, section 151.15, is amended by adding a subdivision to

27.24 read:

27.25 Subd. 5. **Receipt of emergency prescription orders.** A pharmacist, when that pharmacist

27.26 is not present within a licensed pharmacy, may accept a written, verbal, or electronic

27.27 prescription drug order from a practitioner only if:

(1) the prescription drug order is for an emergency situation where waiting for the licensed pharmacy from which the prescription will be dispensed to open would likely cause the patient to experience significant physical harm or discomfort;

(2) the pharmacy from which the prescription drug order will be dispensed is closed for business;

(3) the pharmacist has been designated to be on call for the licensed pharmacy that will fill the prescription drug order;

(4) in the case of an electronic prescription drug order, the order must be received through secure and encrypted electronic means;

(5) the pharmacist takes reasonable precautions to ensure that the prescription drug order will be handled in a manner consistent with federal and state statutes regarding the handling of protected health information; and

(6) the pharmacy from which the prescription drug order will be dispensed has relevant and appropriate policies and procedures in place and makes them available to the board upon request.

Sec. 39. Minnesota Statutes 2016, section 151.15, is amended by adding a subdivision to read:

Subd. 6. Processing of emergency prescription orders. A pharmacist, when that pharmacist is not present within a licensed pharmacy, may access a pharmacy prescription processing system through secure and encrypted electronic means in order to process an emergency prescription accepted pursuant to subdivision 5 only if:

(1) the pharmacy from which the prescription drug order will be dispensed is closed for business;

(2) the pharmacist has been designated to be on call for the licensed pharmacy that will fill the prescription drug order;

(3) the prescription drug order is for a patient of a long-term care facility or a county correctional facility;

(4) the prescription drug order is processed pursuant to this chapter and rules adopted under this chapter; and

(5) the pharmacy from which the prescription drug order will be dispensed has relevant and appropriate policies and procedures in place and makes them available to the board upon request.

29.1 Sec. 40. Minnesota Statutes 2016, section 151.19, subdivision 1, is amended to read:

29.2 Subdivision 1. **Pharmacy licensure requirements.** (a) No person shall operate a
29.3 pharmacy without first obtaining a license from the board and paying any applicable fee
29.4 specified in section 151.065. The license shall be displayed in a conspicuous place in the
29.5 pharmacy for which it is issued and expires on June 30 following the date of issue. It is
29.6 unlawful for any person to operate a pharmacy unless the license has been issued to the
29.7 person by the board.

29.8 (b) Application for a pharmacy license under this section shall be made in a manner
29.9 specified by the board.

29.10 (c) No license shall be issued or renewed for a pharmacy located within the state unless
29.11 the applicant agrees to operate the pharmacy in a manner prescribed by federal and state
29.12 law and according to rules adopted by the board. No license shall be issued for a pharmacy
29.13 located outside of the state unless the applicant agrees to operate the pharmacy in a manner
29.14 prescribed by federal law and, when dispensing medications for residents of this state, the
29.15 laws of this state, and Minnesota Rules.

29.16 (d) No license shall be issued or renewed for a pharmacy that is required to be licensed
29.17 or registered by the state in which it is physically located unless the applicant supplies the
29.18 board with proof of such licensure or registration.

29.19 (e) The board shall require a separate license for each pharmacy located within the state
29.20 and for each pharmacy located outside of the state at which any portion of the dispensing
29.21 process occurs for drugs dispensed to residents of this state.

29.22 (f) The board shall not issue an initial or renewed license for a pharmacy unless the
29.23 pharmacy passes an inspection conducted by an authorized representative of the board. In
29.24 the case of a pharmacy located outside of the state, the board may require the applicant to
29.25 pay the cost of the inspection, in addition to the license fee in section 151.065, unless the
29.26 applicant furnishes the board with a report, issued by the appropriate regulatory agency of
29.27 the state in which the facility is located, of an inspection that has occurred within the 24
29.28 months immediately preceding receipt of the license application by the board. The board
29.29 may deny licensure unless the applicant submits documentation satisfactory to the board
29.30 that any deficiencies noted in an inspection report have been corrected.

29.31 (g) The board shall not issue an initial or renewed license for a pharmacy located outside
29.32 of the state unless the applicant discloses and certifies:

(1) the location, names, and titles of all principal corporate officers and all pharmacists who are involved in dispensing drugs to residents of this state;

(2) that it maintains its records of drugs dispensed to residents of this state so that the records are readily retrievable from the records of other drugs dispensed;

(3) that it agrees to cooperate with, and provide information to, the board concerning matters related to dispensing drugs to residents of this state;

(4) that, during its regular hours of operation, but no less than six days per week, for a minimum of 40 hours per week, a toll-free telephone service is provided to facilitate communication between patients in this state and a pharmacist at the pharmacy who has access to the patients' records; the toll-free number must be disclosed on the label affixed to each container of drugs dispensed to residents of this state; and

(5) that, upon request of a resident of a long-term care facility located in this state, the resident's authorized representative, or a contract pharmacy or licensed health care facility acting on behalf of the resident, the pharmacy will dispense medications prescribed for the resident in unit-dose packaging or, alternatively, comply with section 151.415, subdivision 5.

(h) This subdivision does not apply to a manufacturer licensed under section 151.252, subdivision 1, a wholesale drug distributor licensed under section 151.47, or a third-party logistics provider, to the extent the manufacturer, wholesale drug distributor, or third-party logistics provider is engaged in the distribution of dialysate or devices necessary to perform home peritoneal dialysis on patients with end-stage renal disease, if:

(1) the manufacturer or its agent leases or owns the licensed manufacturing or wholesaling facility from which the dialysate or devices will be delivered;

(2) the dialysate is comprised of dextrose or icodextrin and has been approved by the United States Food and Drug Administration;

(3) the dialysate is stored and delivered in its original, sealed, and unopened manufacturer's packaging;

(4) the dialysate or devices are delivered only upon:

(i) receipt of a physician's order by a Minnesota licensed pharmacy; and

(ii) the review and processing of the prescription by a pharmacist licensed by the state in which the pharmacy is located, who is employed by or under contract to the pharmacy;

31.1 (5) prescriptions, policies, procedures, and records of delivery are maintained by the
31.2 manufacturer for a minimum of three years and are made available to the board upon request;
31.3 and

31.4 (6) the manufacturer or the manufacturer's agent delivers the dialysate or devices directly
31.5 to:

31.6 (i) a patient with end-stage renal disease for whom the prescription was written or the
31.7 patient's designee, for the patient's self-administration of the dialysis therapy; or

31.8 (ii) a health care provider or institution, for administration or delivery of the dialysis
31.9 therapy to a patient with end-stage renal disease for whom the prescription was written.

31.10 Sec. 41. Minnesota Statutes 2016, section 151.46, is amended to read:

31.11 **151.46 PROHIBITED DRUG PURCHASES OR RECEIPT.**

31.12 It is unlawful for any person to knowingly purchase or receive a prescription drug from
31.13 a source other than a person or entity licensed under the laws of the state, except where
31.14 otherwise provided. Licensed wholesale drug distributors other than pharmacies shall not
31.15 dispense or distribute prescription drugs directly to patients except for licensed facilities
31.16 that dispense or distribute home peritoneal dialysis products directly to patients pursuant
31.17 to section 151.19, subdivision 1, paragraph (h). A person violating the provisions of this
31.18 section is guilty of a misdemeanor.

31.19 Sec. 42. Minnesota Statutes 2016, section 214.075, subdivision 1, is amended to read:

31.20 Subdivision 1. **Applications.** (a) ~~By January 1, 2018, Each health-related licensing~~
31.21 ~~board, as defined in section 214.01, subdivision 2, shall require applicants for initial licensure,~~
31.22 ~~licensure by endorsement, or reinstatement or other relicensure after a lapse in licensure,~~
31.23 ~~as defined by the individual health-related licensing boards, the following individuals to~~
31.24 submit to a criminal history records check of state data completed by the Bureau of Criminal
31.25 Apprehension (BCA) and a national criminal history records check, including a search of
31.26 the records of the Federal Bureau of Investigation (FBI);

31.27 (1) applicants for initial licensure or licensure by endorsement. An applicant is exempt
31.28 from this paragraph if the applicant submitted to a state and national criminal history records
31.29 check as described in this paragraph for a license issued by the same board;

31.30 (2) applicants seeking reinstatement or relicensure, as defined by the individual
31.31 health-related licensing board, if more than one year has elapsed since the applicant's license
31.32 or registration expiration date; or

32.1 (3) licensees applying for eligibility to participate in an interstate licensure compact.

32.2 (b) ~~An applicant must complete a criminal background check if more than one year has~~
32.3 ~~elapsed since the applicant last submitted a background check to the board. An applicant's~~
32.4 criminal background check results are valid for one year from the date the background check
32.5 results were received by the board. If more than one year has elapsed since the results were
32.6 received by the board, then an applicant who has not completed the licensure, reinstatement,
32.7 or relicensure process must complete a new background check.

32.8 Sec. 43. Minnesota Statutes 2016, section 214.075, subdivision 4, is amended to read:

32.9 Subd. 4. **Refusal to consent.** (a) The health-related licensing boards shall not issue a
32.10 license to any applicant who refuses to consent to a criminal background check or fails to
32.11 submit fingerprints ~~within 90 days~~ after submission of an application for licensure. Any
32.12 fees paid by the applicant to the board shall be forfeited if the applicant refuses to consent
32.13 to the criminal background check or fails to submit the required fingerprints.

32.14 (b) The failure of a licensee to submit to a criminal background check as provided in
32.15 subdivision 3 is grounds for disciplinary action by the respective health-related licensing
32.16 board.

32.17 Sec. 44. Minnesota Statutes 2016, section 214.075, subdivision 5, is amended to read:

32.18 Subd. 5. **Submission of fingerprints to the Bureau of Criminal Apprehension.** The
32.19 health-related licensing board or designee shall submit applicant or licensee fingerprints to
32.20 the BCA. The BCA shall perform a check for state criminal justice information and shall
32.21 forward the applicant's or licensee's fingerprints to the FBI to perform a check for national
32.22 criminal justice information regarding the applicant or licensee. The BCA shall report to
32.23 the board the results of the state and national criminal ~~justice information~~ history records
32.24 checks.

32.25 Sec. 45. Minnesota Statutes 2016, section 214.075, subdivision 6, is amended to read:

32.26 Subd. 6. **Alternatives to fingerprint-based criminal background checks.** The
32.27 health-related licensing board may require an alternative method of criminal history checks
32.28 for an applicant or licensee who has submitted at least ~~three~~ two sets of fingerprints in
32.29 accordance with this section that have been unreadable by the BCA or the FBI.

33.1 Sec. 46. Minnesota Statutes 2016, section 214.077, is amended to read:

33.2 **214.077 TEMPORARY LICENSE SUSPENSION; IMMINENT RISK OF SERIOUS**
33.3 **HARM.**

33.4 (a) Notwithstanding any provision of a health-related professional practice act, when a
33.5 health-related licensing board receives a complaint regarding a regulated person and has
33.6 probable cause to believe that the regulated person has violated a statute or rule that the
33.7 health-related licensing board is empowered to enforce, and continued practice by the
33.8 regulated person presents an imminent risk of serious harm, the health-related licensing
33.9 board shall issue an order temporarily suspending the regulated person's authority to practice.
33.10 The temporary suspension order shall specify the reason for the suspension, including the
33.11 statute or rule alleged to have been violated. The temporary suspension order shall take
33.12 effect upon personal service on the regulated person or the regulated person's attorney, or
33.13 upon the third calendar day after the order is served by first class mail to the most recent
33.14 address provided to the health-related licensing board for the regulated person or the regulated
33.15 person's attorney.

33.16 (b) The temporary suspension shall remain in effect until the health-related licensing
33.17 board or the commissioner completes an investigation, holds a contested case hearing
33.18 pursuant to the Administrative Procedure Act, and issues a final order in the matter as
33.19 provided for in this section.

33.20 (c) At the time it issues the temporary suspension order, the health-related licensing
33.21 board shall schedule a contested case hearing, on the merits of whether discipline is
33.22 warranted, to be held pursuant to the Administrative Procedure Act. The regulated person
33.23 shall be provided with at least ten days' notice of any contested case hearing held pursuant
33.24 to this section. The contested case hearing shall be scheduled to begin no later than 30 days
33.25 after the effective service of the temporary suspension order.

33.26 (d) The administrative law judge presiding over the contested case hearing shall issue
33.27 a report and recommendation to the health-related licensing board no later than 30 days
33.28 after the final day of the contested case hearing. If the administrative law judge's report and
33.29 recommendations are for no action, the health-related licensing board shall issue a final
33.30 order pursuant to sections 14.61 and 14.62 within 30 days of receipt of the administrative
33.31 law judge's report and recommendations. If the administrative law judge's report and
33.32 recommendations are for action, the health-related licensing board shall issue a final order
33.33 pursuant to sections 14.61 and 14.62 within 60 days of receipt of the administrative law
33.34 judge's report and recommendations. Except as provided in paragraph (e), if the health-related

34.1 licensing board has not issued a final order pursuant to sections 14.61 and 14.62 within 30
34.2 days of receipt of the administrative law judge's report and recommendations for no action
34.3 or within 60 days of receipt of the administrative law judge's report and recommendations
34.4 for action, the temporary suspension shall be lifted.

34.5 (e) If the regulated person requests a delay in the contested case proceedings provided
34.6 for in paragraphs (c) and (d) for any reason, the temporary suspension shall remain in effect
34.7 until the health-related licensing board issues a final order pursuant to sections 14.61 and
34.8 14.62.

34.9 (f) This section shall not apply to the Office of Unlicensed Complementary and
34.10 Alternative Health Practice established under section 146A.02. The commissioner of health
34.11 shall conduct temporary suspensions for complementary and alternative health care
34.12 practitioners in accordance with section 146A.09.

34.13 Sec. 47. Minnesota Statutes 2016, section 214.10, subdivision 8, is amended to read:

34.14 Subd. 8. **Special requirements for health-related licensing boards.** In addition to the
34.15 provisions of this section that apply to all examining and licensing boards, the requirements
34.16 in this subdivision apply to all health-related licensing boards, except the Board of Veterinary
34.17 Medicine.

34.18 (a) If the executive director or consulted board member determines that a communication
34.19 received alleges a violation of statute or rule that involves sexual contact with a patient or
34.20 client, the communication shall be forwarded to the designee of the attorney general for an
34.21 investigation of the facts alleged in the communication. If, after an investigation it is the
34.22 opinion of the executive director or consulted board member that there is sufficient evidence
34.23 to justify disciplinary action, the board shall conduct a disciplinary conference or hearing.
34.24 If, after a hearing or disciplinary conference the board determines that misconduct involving
34.25 sexual contact with a patient or client occurred, the board shall take disciplinary action.
34.26 Notwithstanding subdivision 2, a board may not attempt to correct improper activities or
34.27 redress grievances through education, conciliation, and persuasion, unless in the opinion of
34.28 the executive director or consulted board member there is insufficient evidence to justify
34.29 disciplinary action. The board may settle a case by stipulation prior to, or during, a hearing
34.30 if the stipulation provides for disciplinary action.

34.31 (b) A board member who has a direct current or former financial connection or
34.32 professional relationship to a person who is the subject of board disciplinary activities must
34.33 not participate in board activities relating to that case.

(c) Each health-related licensing board shall establish procedures for exchanging information with other Minnesota state boards, agencies, and departments responsible for regulating health-related occupations, facilities, and programs, and for coordinating investigations involving matters within the jurisdiction of more than one regulatory body. The procedures must provide for the forwarding to other regulatory bodies of all information and evidence, including the results of investigations, that are relevant to matters within that licensing body's regulatory jurisdiction. Each health-related licensing board shall have access to any data of the Department of Human Services relating to a person subject to the jurisdiction of the licensing board. The data shall have the same classification under chapter 13, the Minnesota Government Data Practices Act, in the hands of the agency receiving the data as it had in the hands of the Department of Human Services.

(d) Each health-related licensing board shall establish procedures for exchanging information with other states regarding disciplinary actions against licensees. The procedures must provide for the collection of information from other states about disciplinary actions taken against persons who are licensed to practice in Minnesota or who have applied to be licensed in this state and the dissemination of information to other states regarding disciplinary actions taken in Minnesota. In addition to any authority in chapter 13 permitting the dissemination of data, the board may, in its discretion, disseminate data to other states regardless of its classification under chapter 13. Criminal history record information shall not be exchanged. Before transferring any data that is not public, the board shall obtain reasonable assurances from the receiving state that the data will not be made public.

Sec. 48. Minnesota Statutes 2016, section 214.12, is amended by adding a subdivision to read:

Subd. 6. Opioid and controlled substances prescribing. (a) The Board of Medical Practice, the Board of Nursing, the Board of Dentistry, the Board of Optometry, and the Board of Podiatric Medicine shall require that licensees with the authority to prescribe controlled substances obtain at least two hours of continuing education credit on best practices in prescribing opioids and controlled substances, as part of the continuing education requirements for licensure renewal. Licensees shall not be required to complete more than two credit hours of continuing education on best practices in prescribing opioids and controlled substances before this subdivision expires. Continuing education credit on best practices in prescribing opioids and controlled substances must meet board requirements.

(b) This subdivision expires January 1, 2023.

EFFECTIVE DATE. This section is effective January 1, 2019.

Sec. 49. Minnesota Statutes 2017 Supplement, section 364.09, is amended to read:

364.09 EXCEPTIONS.

(a) This chapter does not apply to the licensing process for peace officers; to law enforcement agencies as defined in section 626.84, subdivision 1, paragraph (f); to fire protection agencies; to eligibility for a private detective or protective agent license; to the licensing and background study process under chapters 245A and 245C; to the licensing and background investigation process under chapter 240; to eligibility for school bus driver endorsements; to eligibility for special transportation service endorsements; to eligibility for a commercial driver training instructor license, which is governed by section 171.35 and rules adopted under that section; to emergency medical services personnel, or to the licensing by political subdivisions of taxicab drivers, if the applicant for the license has been discharged from sentence for a conviction within the ten years immediately preceding application of a violation of any of the following:

(1) sections 609.185 to 609.2114, 609.221 to 609.223, 609.342 to 609.3451, or 617.23, subdivision 2 or 3; or Minnesota Statutes 2012, section 609.21;

(2) any provision of chapter 152 that is punishable by a maximum sentence of 15 years or more; or

(3) a violation of chapter 169 or 169A involving driving under the influence, leaving the scene of an accident, or reckless or careless driving.

This chapter also shall not apply to eligibility for juvenile corrections employment, where the offense involved child physical or sexual abuse or criminal sexual conduct.

(b) This chapter does not apply to a school district or to eligibility for a license issued or renewed by the Professional Educator Licensing and Standards Board or the commissioner of education.

(c) Nothing in this section precludes the Minnesota Police and Peace Officers Training Board or the state fire marshal from recommending policies set forth in this chapter to the attorney general for adoption in the attorney general's discretion to apply to law enforcement or fire protection agencies.

~~(d) This chapter does not apply to a license to practice medicine that has been denied or revoked by the Board of Medical Practice pursuant to section 147.091, subdivision 1a.~~

~~(e) This chapter does not apply to any person who has been denied a license to practice chiropractic or whose license to practice chiropractic has been revoked by the board in accordance with section 148.10, subdivision 7.~~

~~(f) This chapter does not apply to any license, registration, or permit that has been denied or revoked by the Board of Nursing in accordance with section 148.261, subdivision 1a.~~

~~(g)~~ (d) This chapter does not apply to any license, registration, permit, or certificate that has been denied or revoked by the commissioner of health according to section 148.5195, subdivision 5; or 153A.15, subdivision 2.

~~(h)~~ (e) This chapter does not supersede a requirement under law to conduct a criminal history background investigation or consider criminal history records in hiring for particular types of employment.

(f) This chapter does not apply to the licensing or registration process for, or to any license, registration, or permit that has been denied or revoked by, a health-related licensing board listed in section 214.01, subdivision 2.

Sec. 50. **GUIDELINES AUTHORIZING PATIENT-ASSISTED MEDICATION ADMINISTRATION.**

(a) Within the limits of the board's available appropriation, the Emergency Medical Services Regulatory Board shall propose guidelines authorizing EMTs, AEMTs, and paramedics certified under Minnesota Statutes, section 144E.28, to assist a patient in emergency situations with administering prescription medications that are:

(1) carried by a patient;

(2) intended to treat adrenal insufficiency or other rare conditions that require emergency treatment with a previously prescribed medication;

(3) intended to treat a specific life-threatening condition; and

(4) administered via routes of delivery that are within the scope of training of the EMT, AEMT, or paramedic.

(b) The proposed guidelines shall include language that requires the ambulance service to be available to patients or their caregivers who have medical conditions identified in paragraph (a) to define the patient's needs and, when appropriate, develop specific care plans and provide education or other resources at the discretion of the ambulance service medical director.

(c) The Emergency Medical Services Regulatory Board shall submit the proposed guidelines and draft legislation as necessary to the chairs and ranking minority members of the legislative committees with jurisdiction over health care by January 1, 2019.

- 38.1 Sec. 51. **REPEALER.**
- 38.2 (a) Minnesota Statutes 2016, section 214.075, subdivision 8, is repealed.
- 38.3 (b) Minnesota Rules, part 5600.0605, subparts 5 and 8, are repealed."
- 38.4 Renumber the sections in sequence and correct the internal references
- 38.5 Amend the title accordingly