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Meeting Notice

To: All Committee Members

From: Senator Danny Verdin, Chairman

Date: January 6, 2020

Subject: Committee Meeting

The Medical Affairs Committee will meet **Thursday, January 16 at 10:00 in Room 308.**

Corrected Agenda

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1. [H. 3101](#)* -- Reps. G. M. Smith, Hosey, Thayer, Yow, Erickson, Bradley, McCravy, W. Newton, Huggins and W. Cox: A BILL TO AMEND THE CODE OF LAWS OF SOUTH CAROLINA, 1976, TO ENACT THE "INTERSTATE MEDICAL LICENSURE COMPACT" BY ADDING ARTICLE 3 TO CHAPTER 47, TITLE 40 SO AS TO PROVIDE FOR THE ENTRY OF SOUTH CAROLINA INTO A MULTISTATE PHYSICIAN LICENSURE COMPACT, TO PROVIDE FOR THE RECIPROCAL PRACTICE OF MEDICINE AMONG THE STATES THAT ARE PARTIES TO THE COMPACT, TO PROVIDE STANDARDS AND PROCEDURES APPLICABLE TO PRACTICING MEDICINE IN OTHER STATES PURSUANT TO THE COMPACT, TO PROVIDE FOR A COORDINATED LICENSURE INFORMATION SYSTEM FOR SHARING DATA AMONG COMPACT STATES, AND TO PROVIDE PROCEDURES FOR DISPUTE RESOLUTIONS, DISCIPLINARY ACTIONS, AND TERMINATION OF MEMBERSHIPS.

There will also be a listening session for [H. 3101](#) the day before this committee meeting, **Wednesday, January 15**. This session will take place in **Room 308 at 10:00**. Representatives of the Interstate Medical Licensure Compact will be available to answer questions that Committee members might have about the bill.

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2. [H. 3157](#)* -- Rep. Parks and McCravy: A BILL TO AMEND THE CODE OF LAWS OF SOUTH CAROLINA, 1976, BY ADDING CHAPTER 84 TO TITLE 40 SO AS TO PROVIDE FOR THE REGULATION OF GENETIC COUNSELORS; TO ESTABLISH THE BOARD OF GENETIC COUNSELOR EXAMINERS; TO PROVIDE THE POWERS AND DUTIES OF THE BOARD; TO DEFINE NECESSARY TERMINOLOGY; TO PROVIDE PROCEDURES AND CRITERIA FOR LICENSURE BY THE BOARD; TO PROVIDE RELATED DUTIES OF THE DEPARTMENT OF LABOR, LICENSING AND REGULATION; TO PROVIDE FOR THE INVESTIGATION OF VIOLATIONS AND IMPOSITION OF PENALTIES; AND TO PROVIDE CERTAIN EXEMPTIONS FROM THE PROVISIONS OF THIS CHAPTER, AMONG OTHER THINGS.

** These bills were previously heard by Committee and carried over 11/5/19*

3. Regulation Document [4852](#) was heard and received an affirmative vote from Committee on 5/2/19. The House Regulations and Administrative Procedures Committee voted to have the document withdrawn. The proposed change, pursuant to withdrawal and resubmission, limits those taking the nursing home administrator licensure exam to three attempts, with a petition to the board to “pursue licensure” after the third failure, rather than second or subsequent attempts needing to be “approved by the board.”

Committee members should notify the Chairman or Research Staff if there is a desire to reconsider this document with these changes. Otherwise, the Regulation as amended will go into effect on 2/3/20.

4. Report from Donate Life SC.
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The status of Regulation Documents will remain posted on the Committee page:

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