

# Medical Affairs Committee

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## Meeting Notice

**To:** Subcommittee Members

Sen. Davis, Chairman

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**From:** Senator Danny Verdin, Chairman

**Date:** March 4, 2021

**Subject:** Subcommittee Meeting

A subcommittee of the Medical Affairs Committee will meet on **Wednesday, March 10** at **9:30** in **Room 408**.

## **Agenda**

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1. [S. 455](#) -- Senator Davis: A BILL TO AMEND SECTION 40-33-36 OF THE 1976 CODE, RELATING TO THE TEMPORARY LICENSURE OF NURSES, TO CREATE AN ADDITIONAL CATEGORY OF TEMPORARY LICENSURE FOR GRADUATE NURSES, TO PRESCRIBE CRITERIA FOR OBTAINING TEMPORARY LICENSURE AS A GRADUATE NURSE, TO PROVIDE FOR SITUATIONS IN WHICH TEMPORARY LICENSURE AS A GRADUATE NURSE SHALL BE IMMEDIATELY REVOKED, AND TO DEFINE NECESSARY TERMS.
  2. [S. 624](#) -- Senator Davis: A BILL TO AMEND SECTION 40-47-1250 OF THE 1976 CODE, RELATING TO THE SUPERVISION OF ANESTHESIOLOGIST'S ASSISTANTS, TO INCREASE THE NUMBER OF ANESTHESIOLOGIST'S ASSISTANTS THAT AN ANESTHESIOLOGIST CAN SUPERVISE; AND TO DELETE SECTION 40-47-1240(8) OF THE 1976 CODE, RELATING TO THE LICENSURE REQUIREMENT FOR ANESTHESIOLOGIST'S ASSISTANTS TO APPEAR BEFORE A BOARD MEMBER AND PRESENT CERTAIN CERTIFICATIONS AND KNOWLEDGE.

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3. [S. 639](#) -- Senators Davis, Goldfinch, Scott, Shealy and Talley: A BILL TO AMEND SECTION 40-33-20 OF THE 1976 CODE, RELATING TO DEFINITIONS UNDER THE NURSE PRACTICE ACT, TO PROVIDE THAT ADVANCED PRACTICE REGISTERED NURSES MAY PERFORM SPECIFIC MEDICAL ACTS PURSUANT TO APPROVED WRITTEN GUIDELINES, TO REMOVE THE SUPERVISION REQUIREMENT FROM THE DEFINITION OF "APPROVED WRITTEN GUIDELINES" AND CERTIFIED REGISTERED NURSE ANESTHETIST (CRNA) PRACTICE, AND TO MAKE CONFORMING CHANGES; TO AMEND SECTION 40-33-34(H) OF THE 1976 CODE, RELATING TO QUALIFICATIONS FOR THE PERFORMANCE OF MEDICAL ACTS, TO REVISE THE GUIDELINES FOR ANESTHESIA CARE, AND TO PROVIDE NOTICE REQUIREMENTS; AND TO REPEAL SECTION 40-47-197 OF THE 1976 CODE, RELATING TO THE SUPERVISION OF CRNAS.
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- Registration at the above link must be done with your preference of in-person or virtual testimony. If you choose the latter, be sure to include an e-mail address so a link to join the meeting can be sent to you.
- To accommodate other speakers, please be prepared to limit comments to three minutes.
- The meeting room will have limited occupancy due to pandemic conditions.
- In addition to speaking, written comments are also welcome from speakers and non-speakers, alike. A three-minute video addressing the subject will also be accepted in lieu of in-person or virtual testimony. Please send e-mails/attachments to:

[smedicomm@scsenate.gov](mailto:smedicomm@scsenate.gov) (please use bill # in subject line).

- Written correspondence should be sent to:

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- Electronic or written correspondence must be received, and registration to speak completed, by Monday, March 8, 9 AM.