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**DEPARTMENT OF LABOR, LICENSING AND REGULATION**

**BOARD OF NURSING**

Chapter 91

Statutory Authority: 1976 Code Sections 40‑33‑10(E), (I) and 40‑33‑70

91‑32. Code of Ethics.

**Synopsis:**

 The South Carolina Board of Nursing proposes to amend R.91‑32 to correct a scrivener’s error and adopt the American Nurses Association’s Code of Ethics: 2015.

 A Notice of Drafting was published in the *State Register* on October 26, 2018.

**Instructions:**

 Replace regulation as shown below. All other items and sections remain unchanged.

**Text:**

91‑32. Code of Ethics.

 The Board adopts the American Nurses Association’s Code of Ethics: 2015.

**Fiscal Impact Statement:**

 There will be no cost incurred by the State or any of its political subdivisions for these regulations.

**Statement of Rationale:**

 The proposed regulation is necessary to correct a scrivener’s error in the current language and to identify the version of the Code of Ethics (the 2015 version) that is being adopted by the Board of Nursing. The reference to “American Nursing Association”, as promulgated in 2014, was erroneous; there is no such association.