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1 IN THE HOUSE

BY THE COMMERCE COMMITTEE

2 CS FOR HOUSE BILL NO. 628

3 IN THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF ALASKA

4 SIXTH LEGISLATURE - SECOND SESSION

5 A BILL

6 For an Act entitled: "An Act relating to physical therapists; and providing
7 for an effective date."

8 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF ALASKA:

9 * Section 1. AS 08.84.030(3) is amended to read:

10 (3) have graduated from a school of physical therapy approved
11 by the Council on Medical Education and Hospitals of the American
12 Medical Association, or the American Physical Therapy Association;

13 * Sec. 2. AS 08.84.030(4) is amended to read:

14 (4) pass [QUALIFY BY (A) PASSING] to the satisfaction of the
15 board an examination from the professional examination service of the
16 American Public Health Association, [CONDUCTED BY THE BOARD,] to
17 determine his fitness for practice as a physical therapist[;] or
18 be [(B) BEING] entitled to registration without examination as provided
19 in sec. 60 of this chapter;

20 * Sec. 3. AS 08.84.050 is amended to read:

21 Sec. 08.84.050. FEES. The following fees shall be imposed under
22 this chapter when applicable:

- 23 (1) application \$25
- 24 (2) registration by examination 25
- 25 (3) registration by endorsement [RECIPROCITY] 25
- 26 (4) biennial renewal. 25
- 27 (5) temporary permit. 10

28 * Sec. 4. AS 08.84.060 is amended to read:

29 Sec. 08.84.060. REGISTRATION BY ENDORSEMENT [RECIPROCITY]. The

1 board may register without examination an applicant who is a physical
2 therapist registered under the laws of another state or territory, if
3 the requirements for registration in that state or territory were at
4 the date of his registration, substantially equal to the requirements
5 in this state [, AND IF THE STATE OR TERRITORY ACCORDS A SIMILAR
6 PRIVILEGE OF REGISTRATION WITHOUT EXAMINATION TO A PERSON REGISTERED
7 IN THIS STATE].

8 * Sec. 5. AS 08.84 is amended by adding a new section to read:

9 Sec. 08.84.065. TEMPORARY PERMIT. (a) The board may issue a
10 nonrenewable temporary permit to an applicant for licensure by endorse-
11 ment or by examination who meets the requirements of sec. 30(1), (2)
12 and (3) of this chapter and pays the required fee.

13 (b) A temporary permit issued to an applicant for licensure by
14 endorsement is valid for eight months or until the board considers the
15 applicant's endorsement application, whichever occurs first.

16 (c) A temporary permit issued to an applicant for licensure by
17 examination is valid for eight months or until the results of the
18 first examination for which the applicant is scheduled are published,
19 whichever occurs first. If the applicant fails to take the first
20 examination for which he is scheduled his temporary permit lapses on
21 the day of the examination.

22 * Sec. 6. AS 08.84.080 is amended to read:

23 Sec. 08.84.080. EXAMINATIONS. (a) The board shall examine
24 applicants for registration as physical therapists at the times and
25 places it determines. It may employ two registered physical therapists
26 to aid it in the examination.

27 (b) An application for examination shall be submitted to the
28 department at least 40 days prior to the examination date.

29 * Sec. 7. This Act takes effect on the day after its passage and approval

1 or on the day it becomes law without approval.

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