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CHAPTER 266

SENATE BILL 1105

AN ACT

AMENDING SECTION 32-3924, ARIZONA REVISED STATUTES; RELATING TO THE
ACUPUNCTURE BOARD OF EXAMINERS.

(TEXT OF BILL BEGINS ON NEXT PAGE)

1 Be it enacted by the Legislature of the State of Arizona:

2 Section 1. Section 32-3924, Arizona Revised Statutes, is amended to
3 read:

4 32-3924. Qualifications for licensure

5 To receive a license to practice acupuncture pursuant to this chapter,
6 a person shall submit an application as prescribed by the board. The
7 applicant shall disclose in an application for initial licensure ~~or~~
8 ~~relicensure~~ all other active and past professional health care licenses and
9 certificates issued to the applicant in this state or by another state,
10 district or territory of the United States. The application shall document
11 to the board's satisfaction that the applicant has successfully completed a
12 clean needle technique course approved by the board and meets all of the
13 following:

14 1. Has either:

15 (a) Been certified in acupuncture by the national certification
16 commission for acupuncture and oriental medicine, or its successor
17 organization, or another certifying body or examination that is recognized by
18 the board.

19 (b) Passed the point location module, foundations of oriental medicine
20 module, biomedicine module and acupuncture module offered by the national
21 certification commission for acupuncture and oriental medicine.

22 (c) Been licensed by another state with substantially similar
23 standards, and has not had certification or licensure revoked.

24 2. Has graduated from or completed training in a board-approved
25 program of acupuncture with a minimum of one thousand eight hundred fifty
26 hours of training that includes at least eight hundred hours of
27 board-approved clinical training.

28 3. Beginning July 1, 2016, has submitted a full set of fingerprints to
29 the board for the purpose of obtaining a state and federal criminal records
30 check pursuant to section 41-1750 and Public Law 92-544. The department of
31 public safety may exchange this fingerprint data with the federal bureau of
32 investigation.

33 Sec. 2. Retroactivity

34 Section 32-3924, Arizona Revised Statutes, as amended by this act,
35 applies retroactively to from and after June 30, 2016.

APPROVED BY THE GOVERNOR MAY 17, 2016.

FILED IN THE OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY OF STATE MAY 17, 2016.

Passed the House May 7, 20 16,

Passed the Senate January 28, 20 16,

by the following vote: 55 Ayes,

by the following vote: 25 Ayes,

0 Nays, 5 Not Voting

3 Nays, 2 Not Voting

[Signature]
Speaker of the House

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President of the Senate

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Chief Clerk of the House

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Secretary of the Senate

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT OF ARIZONA
OFFICE OF GOVERNOR

This Bill was received by the Governor this

9th day of May, 20 16,

at 10:07 o'clock A. M.

[Signature]
Secretary to the Governor

Approved this 17th day of

May, 20 16,

at 1:16 o'clock P. M.

[Signature]
Governor of Arizona

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT OF ARIZONA
OFFICE OF SECRETARY OF STATE

This Bill was received by the Secretary of State

this 17 day of May, 20 16

at 4:31 o'clock P. M.

[Signature]
Secretary of State

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