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Section

- 1** **Volunteer health practitioners licensed in other states.** Amends § 145A.06, subd. 8. (a) Adds that volunteer health practitioners who are deployed pursuant to a plan or cooperative agreement with certain listed entities may practice in this state. Provides a definition of “volunteer health practitioner.”
- (b) Clarifies that volunteer health practitioners qualified under paragraph (a) are entitled to certain liability protections, unless any license of the practitioner in any state has been suspended, revoked, limited, or voluntarily terminated under threat of sanction. (Current law states that a practitioner is not entitled to liability protections if the practitioner is licensed in more than one state and any of the practitioner’s licenses are suspended, revoked, limited, or voluntarily terminated under threat of sanction.)