

**Subject** Board of Medical Practice technical and policy changes

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## Overview

This bill makes technical and policy changes to statutes governing physician, physician assistant, and acupuncture licensure and practice.

## Summary

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| 1 | <b>United States or Canadian medical school graduates.</b><br>Amends § 147.02, subd. 1. Removes language regarding alternative graduate medical training approved by the board but not accredited by a national accrediting organization.  |
| 2 | <b>Endorsement; reciprocity.</b><br>Amends § 147.03, subd. 1. Makes technical and clarifying changes; removes minimum score of 75 for the Special Purpose Examination of the Federation of State Medical Boards; adds the Comprehensive Osteopathic Medical Licensing Examination. |
| 3 | <b>Requirements.</b><br>Amends § 147.037, subd. 1. Makes clarifying changes; specifies acceptable osteopathic licensing examinations.  |
| 4 | <b>Forms of disciplinary action.</b><br>Amends § 147.141. Makes technical changes.   |
| 5 | <b>Forms of disciplinary action.</b><br>Amends § 147A.16. Makes technical changes.   |

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6	<b>Exceptions.</b> Amends § 147B.02, subd. 4. Removes language that allows an intern or person studying in an approved formal course of study, if supervised by a licensed acupuncturist, to practice acupuncture without an acupuncture license.
7	<b>Licensure requirements.</b> Amends § 147B.02, subd. 7. Makes technical and clarifying changes; removes requirement for a notarized copy of an applicant's National Certification Commission for Acupuncture and Oriental Medicine certification.
8	<b>Repealer.</b> Repeals Minnesota Rules, parts 5610.0100; 5610.0200; and 5610.0300 (relating to professional corporations).



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