A BILL FOR AN ACT

RELATING TO PROFESSIONAL AND VOCATIONAL LICENSING.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF HAWAII:

1	SECT	ION 1	. Chapter 436B, Hawaii Revised Statutes, is
2	amended b	y add	ing a new section to be appropriately designated
3	and to re	ad as	follows:
4	" <u>§43</u>	6B-	Nonresident military spouses; requirements for
5	maintaini	ng li	cense or certification by endorsement or
6	reciproci	ty, o	r temporary license. (a) Any license or
7	certifica	tion	issued pursuant to section 436B-14.6 or 436B-14.7
8	shall be	valid	only for the continuous period during which:
9	(1)	The	nonresident military spouse is married to the
10		serv	ice member spouse; and
11	(2)	The	service member spouse is:
12		(A)	In good standing within the active or reserve
13			component of any of the armed forces of the
14			United States; and
15		(B)	Stationed in Hawaii pursuant to military
16			permanent change of station orders issued by the
17			United States Department of Defense.

1	(b)	Any person licensed or certified under section 436B-				
2	14.6 or 4	36B-14.7 shall promptly report to the appropriate				
3	authority any change in status or circumstances that may affect					
4	the perso	the person's compliance with the requirements of subsection (a)				
5	or section 436B-14.7."					
6	SECTION 2. Section 436B-2, Hawaii Revised Statutes, is					
7	amended by adding a new definition to be appropriately inserted					
8	and to read as follows:					
9	""Nonresident military spouse" means a person:					
10	(1)	Who is not a resident of Hawaii;				
11	(2)	Who is certified or licensed to engage in a profession				
12		or vocation in a state other than Hawaii;				
13	(3)	Whose spouse is a member in good standing in the				
14		active or a reserve component of any of the armed				
15		forces of the United States and is stationed in Hawaii				
16		pursuant to military permanent change of station				
17		orders issued by the United States Department of				
18		Defense; and				
19	(4)	Who possesses a current and valid identification card				
20		issued to the person by the United States Department				
21		of Defense."				
22	SECT	ION 3. New statutory material is underscored.				

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1 SECTION 4. This Act shall take effect upon its approval.

Report Title:

Professional and Vocational Licensing; Nonresident Military Spouses; Licensure by Endorsement or Reciprocity

Description:

Establishes qualifications for "nonresident military spouses" eligible for expedited procedures for professional and vocational licensing by endorsement or reciprocity, and temporary licensing. Establishes requirements for nonresident military spouses to maintain licenses and requires reporting of changes in status or circumstances that may affect licensure. (SD1)

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