

ACT 100

H.B. NO. 2110-86

A Bill for an Act Relating to Chiropractic.

Be It Enacted by the Legislature of the State of Hawaii:

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SECTION 1. Section 442-6, Hawaii Revised Statutes, is amended by amending subsection (c) to read as follows:

“(c) The applicant shall be required to pass parts I and II of the national board of chiropractic examiners’ examination in order to qualify for the state chiropractic examination. The state examinations shall be designed to ascertain the fitness and qualifications of the applicant to practice chiropractic. The board may contract with professional testing services to prepare, administer, and grade the state examinations. The state examination [shall] may include both practical demonstration and a written examination. [The board may accept an applicant who presents bona fide evidence as having passed the national board of chiropractic examiners’ examination in lieu of the written portion of the state board of chiropractic examiners’ examination.] A license shall be granted to any applicant who attains a numerical score of seventy-five [per cent] or higher in all subjects and sections of the state examination. Any applicant failing to make the required grade may be reexamined at the next regular examination upon payment of a reexamination fee.”

SECTION 2. Section 442-6, Hawaii Revised Statutes, is amended by amending subsection (e) to read as follows:

“(e) For each year of actual practice as a licensed chiropractor in another state the applicant shall be given a credit of one-half [per cent] point up to twenty years maximum to be added to each score for each subject area.”

SECTION 3. Section 442-18, Hawaii Revised Statutes, is amended to read as follows:

“**§442-18 Disposition of fees; establishment of fees by rule.** (a) All moneys received by the board of chiropractic examiners under this chapter shall be paid to the director of [finance as government realizations.] commerce and consumer affairs and shall be deposited with the director of finance to the credit of the general fund.

(b) All fees required by this chapter or in rules adopted by the board shall be as provided in rules adopted by the director of commerce and consumer affairs pursuant to chapter 91. The examination fee may be paid directly to the testing agency by the director or the examinee.”

SECTION 4. Statutory material to be repealed is bracketed. New statutory material is underscored.

SECTION 5. This Act shall take effect upon its approval.

(Approved April 28, 1986.)