

ACT 367

S.B. NO. 2789

A Bill for an Act Relating to Chiropractic.

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

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’ written examination and the written clinical competency examination in order to qualify for the state chiropractic examination. The state [examinations] chiropractic examination 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.] chiropractic examination. The state chiropractic examination may include both a practical demonstration and a written examination. A license shall be granted to any applicant who attains a numerical score of seventy-five or higher in all subjects and sections of the state chiropractic examination. Any applicant failing to make the required grade may be reexamined at the next regular examination upon payment of a reexamination fee. Any person seeking licensure under this chapter, including approval to use physiotherapy modalities, shall demonstrate to the satisfaction of the board that the person has received training in the use of physiotherapy modalities at an accredited institution and passed the physiotherapy portion of the National Board of Chiropractic Examiners’ examination. The board may require an applicant to complete a practical demonstration examination which shall include an examination of the applicant’s performance in using physiotherapy treatment techniques and equipment.”

SECTION 2. Statutory material to be repealed is bracketed. New statutory material is underscored.

SECTION 3. This Act shall take effect November 1, 1988.

(Approved June 14, 1988.)