

Amendment to HB 538-FN

1 Amend the title of the bill by replacing it with the following:

2
3 AN ACT requiring occupational regulatory boards and commissions to post reciprocity
4 information.
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6 Amend the bill by replacing all after the enacting clause with the following:

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8 1 New Section; General Administration; Boards and Commissions; Reciprocity Information.
9 Amend RSA 332-G by inserting after section 11 the following new section:

10 332-G:12 Reciprocity Information.

11 I. All boards or commissions, including the board of hearing care providers established in
12 RSA 137-F:3, shall post information on their website relative to reciprocal licensure or certification
13 for persons holding a current and valid license or certification for the practice of the regulated
14 profession in another state. Such information shall include a list of the states which the board or
15 commission has determined to have license or certification requirements equal to, or greater than,
16 the requirements of this state. The posting shall also list states with which the board or commission
17 has:

18 (a) Entered into a reciprocity agreement;

19 (b) Entered into a multistate compact;

20 (c) Established criteria for licensure by endorsement.

21 II. In addition, the posted reciprocity information shall clearly identify and describe the
22 terms, conditions, or criteria under which a licensee or certificate holder from a listed state may
23 obtain a license or certification in this state. Such terms, conditions, and criteria, may include, but
24 shall not be limited to, the successful completion of an examination addressing the laws of the state
25 of New Hampshire and the payment of a fee.

26 2 Effective Date. This act shall take effect January 1, 2018.

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AMENDED ANALYSIS

This bill requires that occupational regulatory boards and commissions provide information on their website concerning reciprocity for persons holding a current and valid license or certification in another state.