
SENATE BILL 5314

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By Senator Moore.

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1 AN ACT Relating to massage practioners; and amending RCW
2 18.108.095.

3 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF WASHINGTON:

4 **Sec. 1.** RCW 18.108.095 and 1987 c 443 s 12 are each amended to
5 read as follows:

6 An applicant holding a license in another state or foreign
7 jurisdiction may be granted a Washington license without examination,
8 if, in the opinion of the board, the other state's or foreign
9 jurisdiction's examination and educational requirements are
10 substantially equivalent to Washington's(~~PROVIDED, That~~)).
11 Substantially equivalent requirements includes the number of course
12 hours required and the number of clinical practice hours required. No
13 license maybe granted unless the applicant demonstrates to the
14 satisfaction of the board a working knowledge of Washington law
15 pertaining to the practice of massage. The applicant shall provide

1 proof in a manner approved by the department that the examination and
2 requirements are equivalent to Washington's.