

Act No. 138 (H.656). Professions and occupations; Office of Professional Regulation

An act relating to professions and occupations regulated by the Office of Professional Regulation

This act makes miscellaneous amendments to laws governing professions and occupations regulated by the Office of Professional Regulation. The act's amendments include those relating to:

- Credit for military service as it applies to professional licensure or certification;
- Barbers and cosmetologists;
- Funeral services, including the ability of the Board of Funeral Service to adopt rules for the issuance of limited service establishment licenses for handling cremations, direct alkaline hydrolysis, immediate burials, or direct green burials;
- Pharmacy;
- Real estate brokers and salespersons, including new education requirements;
- Psychology;
- Limiting the duration of a part-time temporary registration for security guards and private investigators;
- Social workers;
- Clinical mental health counselors;
- Real estate appraisers, including required background checks for license applicants;
- Advisory committees related to naturopathic physicians and midwives;
- A special license endorsement for electrologists to use lasers for hair removal; and
- Prohibiting people under 10 years of age from being allowed in a motor vehicle racing pit area.

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