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## Act No. 115 (S.253). Health; physicians; medical licensure

## An act relating to Vermont's adoption of the Interstate Medical Licensure Compact

This act adopts the Interstate Medical Licensure Compact in Vermont. It also authorizes the Office of Professional Regulation and the Board of Medical Practice to engage in criminal background check activities regarding applicants for expedited medical licensure through the Compact and specifies that if there is ever an assessment imposed on the State for its membership in the Interstate Medical Licensure Compact Commission, the Board of Medical Practice and the Board of Osteopathic Physicians and Surgeons will be responsible for paying the assessment in proportional amounts based on their respective numbers of licensees for professions that are eligible for licensure through the Compact.

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