

- 214 (i) an established code of ethics;
- 215 (ii) a voluntary certification program; or
- 216 (iii) other measures to ensure a minimum quality of service;
- 217 (h) whether:
- 218 (i) the ~~[occupation or profession]~~ lawful occupation involves the treatment of an
- 219 illness, injury, or health care condition; and
- 220 (ii) practitioners of the ~~[occupation or profession]~~ lawful occupation will request
- 221 payment of benefits for the treatment under an insurance contract subject to Section
- 222 [31A-22-618](#);
- 223 (i) whether the public can be adequately protected by means other than regulation; and
- 224 (j) other appropriate criteria as determined by the committee.
- 225 Section 6. Section **36-23-109** is amended to read:
- 226 **36-23-109. Review of state regulation of occupations and professions.**
- 227 (1) ~~[Before the annual written report]~~ As part of the annual report described in Section
- 228 [36-23-106](#) ~~[is submitted for 2013]~~, the committee shall study and make recommendations
- 229 regarding potentially less restrictive alternatives to licensing for the regulation of ~~[occupations~~
- 230 ~~and professions]~~ lawful occupations, including registration ~~[and]~~, certification, or exemption, if
- 231 appropriate, that would ~~[better]~~ avoid unnecessary regulation ~~[and intrusion upon individual~~
- 232 ~~liberties by the state;]~~ while still protecting the health and safety of the public.
- 233 (2) The committee shall study and make recommendations regarding ~~§~~ **→ [approximately**
- 234 **20% of] ←§** lawful occupations that require a license in the state so that each licensed lawful
- 235 occupation is reviewed every five years.

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