

# S.B. 121

## ANESTHESIOLOGIST ASSISTANT LICENSING ACT

HOUSE FLOOR AMENDMENTS

AMENDMENT 4

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Representative **James A. Dunnigan** proposes the following amendments:

1. Page 3, Lines 70 through 72d:

70 (5) "Supervision ~~§~~ standards ~~←§~~ " means ~~§~~ [a supervising anesthesiologist is  
70a immediately available in  
71 physical proximity that allows the anesthesiologist to return and re-establish direct contact with  
72 the patient to meet the medical needs and address any urgent or emergent clinical problems.]  
72a standards ~~{that:~~  
72b ~~(a) are}~~ established by the division through rule ~~{; and}~~ that:  
(a) prohibit an anesthesiologist from supervising more than four anesthesiologist assistants at any one  
time; and  
72c (b) comply with the rules and regulations for anesthesia service reimbursement created by the  
72d Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services to the extent that the rules and regulations do not conflict  
with state law . ~~←§~~

2. Page 4, Lines 90 through 105:

90 58-70b-302. Qualifications for licensure -- Temporary license.  
91 ~~{(1) Except as provided in Subsection (2), each}~~ Each applicant for licensure as an  
92 anesthesiologist assistant under this chapter shall:  
93 ~~{(a)}~~ (1) submit an application on a form established by the division;  
94 ~~{(b)}~~ (2) pay a fee determined by the division under Section 63J-1-504;  
95 ~~{(c)}~~ (3) provide satisfactory documentation of having graduated from a program certified by  
96 the Commission on Accreditation of Allied Health Education Programs the commission's  
97 successor organization;  
98 ~~{(d)}~~ (4) within 12 months of completing the training under Subsection ~~{(1)(c)}~~ (3) .  
99 pass the  
100 certification exam offered by the National Commission for Certification of Anesthesiologist  
101 Assistants; and  
102 ~~{(e)}~~ (5) have the certification described in Subsection ~~{(1)(d)}~~ (4) at the time of the  
103 application  
104 and maintain the certification throughout the term of the license.  
105 ~~{(2) The division may issue a temporary license, in accordance with Section 58-1-303~~  
~~and any other conditions established by rule, to an applicant who meets all of the requirements~~  
~~for licensure except the certification requirement of Subsection (1)(d) or (1)(e).}~~

