

HEALTH SERVICES -- CARE AND TREATMENT SERVICES

Dual Employment Restriction Exemption for Health Care Professionals

Motion:

Move to specify that the term "health care professional" includes a physician assistant, for the purposes of a provision in the bill that that would create an exemption from dual employment restrictions.

Note:

Under current law, any individual who holds a full-time position with a state agency or authority may not hold any position or be retained in any other capacity by another state agency or authority from which the individual receives, directly or indirectly, more than \$12,000 from the agency or authority in the same year. The bill would specify that this restriction would not apply to a health care professional who holds a full-time position with a state agency or authority and works for another agency or authority for less than 1,040 hours in a 12-month period. For the purposes of this provision, a health care professional is defined as a registered nurse, licensed practical nurse, a physician licensed to practice medicine and surgery, or a psychologist. This motion would amend the definition of "health care professional" to include a physician assistant.

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