

**CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT  
DIGEST FOR HB 1221**

**Citations Affected:** IC 25-1; IC 25-5.1.

**Synopsis:** Professional licensing. Allows licenses to be issued for periods longer than two years if the law under which the license is issued specifically provides for such periods. Adds the Indiana physical therapy committee to general provisions concerning investigation of complaints and fee, license renewal, and examination requirements. Provides that athletic trainers must be licensed. (Current law requires athletic trainers to be certified.) Provides that rehabilitation techniques are considered athletic training. Requires the Indiana athletic trainers board to adopt continuing education standards that conform with the standards of the National Athletic Trainers Association. Requires an individual to be employed or reside in Indiana for at least 90 consecutive days before applying for an athletic trainer's license. Includes rehabilitation as a course that an individual must have completed to be licensed as an athletic trainer. Provides that a licensed athletic trainer may be directly reimbursed by a client. Excludes certain practices from the requirements for athletic trainer licensure. Licenses individuals who currently hold a valid athletic trainer's certificate. Specifies that cheating on a licensing examination is grounds for disciplinary sanctions. Allows a licensing board to rescind the license of an applicant or practitioner who has engaged in fraud or material deception to obtain the license. Allows an applicant aggrieved by a decision of the board to administratively appeal the decision. Requires individuals who seek to operate an auction house and individuals designated by an organization seeking to operate an auction house to obtain a license to operate the auction house, but specifies that an organization that operates a wholesale dealer automobile auction is exempt. Allows a person to apply to become a barber instructor if the person has five years of full-time experience as a barber. Requires applicants for a manicurist license that are licensed in another state to take the same examination that in-state applicants must take and score 75% or higher to pass. Requires the state board of cosmetology examiners to issue a license to act as an esthetician to a person who is licensed to act as an esthetician in another state or jurisdiction if the other state or jurisdiction imposes substantially similar requirements. Requires the state board of cosmetology examiners to count education hours and practice hours in another state as fulfillment of the education requirements of an esthetician license. Permits instead of requires the state boxing commission to adopt rules establishing the qualifications of applicants that apply to hold boxing matches. Removes fee requirements for licensure and licensure renewal that currently must be followed by the Indiana plumbing commission and requires the commission to establish the amount of the fees. Allows an individual who applies to the Indiana hypnotist committee before January 1, 1999: (1) to be certified without taking an examination if the individual has completed at least 300 hours of hypnotism education, or (2) to take the examination if the individual does not have the required hours of training if the individual has practiced hypnotism for at least 10 years or completed a hypnotism course before July 1, 1997. Makes conforming amendments. (This conference committee report (1) allows a practitioner to administratively appeal a decision of a licensing board to withhold a license due to malfeasance on the part of the practitioner; (2) modifies the athletic trainer residency, licensure, and education

requirements; and (3) requires rather than allows the state board of cosmetology to count the education and licensing of an esthetician in another state with regard to Indiana's requirements for estheticians.)

**Effective:** July 1, 1998.

Adopted

Rejected

## CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT

**MR. SPEAKER:**

*Your Conference Committee appointed to confer with a like committee from the Senate upon Engrossed Senate Amendments to Engrossed House Bill No. 1221 respectfully reports that said two committees have conferred and agreed as follows to wit:*

that the House recede from its dissent from all Senate amendments and that the House now concur in all Senate amendments to the bill and that the bill be further amended as follows:

- 1 Page 2, between lines 24 and 25, begin a new paragraph and
- 2 insert:
- 3 "SECTION 2. IC 25-1-5-3, AS AMENDED BY P.L.147-1997,
- 4 SECTION 7, IS AMENDED TO READ AS FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE
- 5 JULY 1, 1998]: Sec. 3. (a) There is established the health professions
- 6 bureau. The bureau shall perform all administrative functions, duties,
- 7 and responsibilities assigned by law or rule to the executive director,
- 8 secretary, or other statutory administrator of the following:
- 9 (1) Board of chiropractic examiners (IC 25-10-1).
- 10 (2) State board of dental examiners (IC 25-14-1).
- 11 (3) Indiana state board of health facility administrators
- 12 (IC 25-19-1).
- 13 (4) Medical licensing board of Indiana (IC 25-22.5-2).
- 14 (5) Indiana state board of nursing (IC 25-23-1).
- 15 (6) Indiana optometry board (IC 25-24).
- 16 (7) Indiana board of pharmacy (IC 25-26).
- 17 (8) Board of podiatric medicine (IC 25-29-2-1).
- 18 (9) Board of environmental health specialists (IC 25-32).
- 19 (10) Speech-language pathology and audiology board
- 20 (IC 25-35.6-2).
- 21 (11) State psychology board (IC 25-33).
- 22 (12) Indiana board of veterinary medical examiners (IC 15-5-1.1).
- 23 (13) Controlled substances advisory committee (IC 35-48-2-1).
- 24 (14) Committee of hearing aid dealer examiners (IC 25-20).
- 25 (15) Indiana physical therapy committee (IC 25-27).
- 26 (16) Respiratory care committee (IC 25-34.5).
- 27 (17) Occupational therapy committee (IC 25-23.5).

- 1 (18) Social worker, marriage and family therapist, and mental  
 2 health counselor board (IC 25-23.6).
- 3 (19) Physician assistant committee (IC 25-27.5).
- 4 (20) Indiana athletic trainers ~~certification~~ board (IC 25-5.1-2-1).
- 5 (21) Indiana dietitians certification board (IC 25-14.5-2-1).
- 6 (22) Indiana hypnotist committee ( IC 25-20.5-1-7).
- 7 (b) Nothing in this chapter may be construed to give the bureau  
 8 policy making authority, which authority remains with each board.
- 9 SECTION 3. IC 25-1-7-1, AS AMENDED BY P.L.147-1997,  
 10 SECTION 8, IS AMENDED TO READ AS FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE  
 11 JULY 1, 1998]: Sec. 1. As used in this chapter:
- 12 "Board" means the appropriate agency listed in the definition of  
 13 regulated occupation in this section.
- 14 "Director" refers to the director of the division of consumer  
 15 protection.
- 16 "Division" refers to the division of consumer protection, office of  
 17 the attorney general.
- 18 "Licensee" means a person who is:
- 19 (1) licensed, certified, or registered by a board listed in this  
 20 section; and
- 21 (2) the subject of a complaint filed with the division.
- 22 "Person" means an individual, a partnership, a limited liability  
 23 company, or a corporation.
- 24 "Regulated occupation" means an occupation in which a person is  
 25 licensed, certified, or registered by one (1) of the following:
- 26 (1) Indiana board of accountancy (IC 25-2.1-2-1).
- 27 (2) Board of registration for architects (IC 25-4-1-2).
- 28 (3) Indiana auctioneer commission (IC 25-6.1-2-1).
- 29 (4) State board of barber examiners (IC 25-7-5-1).
- 30 (5) State boxing commission (IC 25-9-1).
- 31 (6) Board of chiropractic examiners (IC 25-10-1).
- 32 (7) State board of cosmetology examiners (IC 25-8-3-1).
- 33 (8) State board of dental examiners (IC 25-14-1).
- 34 (9) State board of funeral and cemetery service (IC 25-15-9).
- 35 (10) State board of registration for professional engineers  
 36 (IC 25-31-1-3).
- 37 (11) Indiana state board of health facility administrators  
 38 (IC 25-19-1).
- 39 (12) Medical licensing board of Indiana (IC 25-22.5-2).
- 40 (13) Indiana state board of nursing (IC 25-23-1).
- 41 (14) Indiana optometry board (IC 25-24).
- 42 (15) Indiana board of pharmacy (IC 25-26).
- 43 (16) Indiana plumbing commission (IC 25-28.5-1-3).
- 44 (17) Board of podiatric medicine (IC 25-29-2-1).
- 45 (18) Board of environmental health specialists (IC 25-32-1).
- 46 (19) State psychology board (IC 25-33).
- 47 (20) Speech-language pathology and audiology board  
 48 (IC 25-35.6-2).
- 49 (21) Indiana real estate commission (IC 25-34.1-2).
- 50 (22) Indiana board of veterinary medical examiners (IC 15-5-1.1).
- 51 (23) Department of natural resources for purposes of licensing

- 1 water well drillers under IC 25-39-3.  
 2 (24) Respiratory care committee (IC 25-34.5).  
 3 (25) Private detectives licensing board (IC 25-30-1-5.1).  
 4 (26) Occupational therapy committee (IC 25-23.5).  
 5 (27) Social worker, marriage and family therapist, and mental  
 6 health counselor board (IC 25-23.6).  
 7 (28) Real estate appraiser licensure and certification board  
 8 (IC 25-34.1-8).  
 9 (29) State board of registration for land surveyors  
 10 (IC 25-21.5-2-1).  
 11 (30) Physician assistant committee (IC 25-27.5).  
 12 (31) Indiana athletic trainers ~~certification~~ board (IC 25-5.1-2-1).  
 13 (32) Indiana dietitians certification board (IC 25-14.5-2-1).  
 14 (33) Indiana hypnotist committee (IC 25-20.5-1-7).  
 15 **(34) Indiana physical therapy committee (IC 25-27).**  
 16 ~~(34)~~ **(35)** Any other occupational or professional agency created  
 17 after June 30, 1981.

18 SECTION 4. IC 25-1-8-1, AS AMENDED BY P.L.147-1997,  
 19 SECTION 9, IS AMENDED TO READ AS FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE  
 20 JULY 1, 1998]: Sec. 1. As used in this chapter, "board" means any of  
 21 the following:

- 22 (1) Indiana board of accountancy (IC 25-2.1-2-1).  
 23 (2) Board of registration for architects (IC 25-4-1-2).  
 24 (3) Indiana auctioneer commission (IC 25-6.1-2-1).  
 25 (4) State board of barber examiners (IC 25-7-5-1).  
 26 (5) State boxing commission (IC 25-9-1).  
 27 (6) Board of chiropractic examiners (IC 25-10-1).  
 28 (7) State board of cosmetology examiners (IC 25-8-3-1).  
 29 (8) State board of dental examiners (IC 25-14-1).  
 30 (9) State board of funeral and cemetery service (IC 25-15).  
 31 (10) State board of registration for professional engineers  
 32 (IC 25-31-1-3).  
 33 (11) Indiana state board of health facility administrators  
 34 (IC 25-19-1).  
 35 (12) Medical licensing board of Indiana (IC 25-22.5-2).  
 36 (13) Mining board (IC 22-10-1.5-2).  
 37 (14) Indiana state board of nursing (IC 25-23-1).  
 38 (15) Indiana optometry board (IC 25-24).  
 39 (16) Indiana board of pharmacy (IC 25-26).  
 40 (17) Indiana plumbing commission (IC 25-28.5-1-3).  
 41 (18) Board of environmental health specialists (IC 25-32-1).  
 42 (19) State psychology board (IC 25-33).  
 43 (20) Speech-language pathology and audiology board  
 44 (IC 25-35.6-2).  
 45 (21) Indiana real estate commission (IC 25-34.1-2-1).  
 46 ~~(22) Until July 1, 1996, Indiana state board of television and radio~~  
 47 ~~service examiners (IC 25-36-1).~~  
 48 ~~(23)~~ **(22)** Indiana board of veterinary medical examiners  
 49 (IC 15-5-1.1-3).  
 50 ~~(24)~~ **(23)** Department of insurance (IC 27-1).  
 51 ~~(25)~~ **(24)** State police department (IC 10-1-1-1), for purposes of

- 1 certifying polygraph examiners under IC 25-30-2.  
 2 ~~(26)~~ **(25)** Department of natural resources for purposes of  
 3 licensing water well drillers under IC 25-39-3.  
 4 ~~(27)~~ **(26)** Private detectives licensing board (IC 25-30-1-5.1).  
 5 ~~(28)~~ **(27)** Occupational therapy committee (IC 25-23.5-2-1).  
 6 ~~(29)~~ **(28)** Social worker, marriage and family therapist, and  
 7 mental health counselor board (IC 25-23.6-2-1).  
 8 ~~(30)~~ **(29)** Real estate appraiser licensure and certification board  
 9 (IC 25-34.1-8).  
 10 ~~(31)~~ **(30)** State board of registration for land surveyors  
 11 (IC 25-21.5-2-1).  
 12 ~~(32)~~ **(31)** Physician assistant committee (IC 25-27.5).  
 13 ~~(33)~~ **(32)** Indiana athletic trainers ~~certification~~ board  
 14 (IC 25-5.1-2-1).  
 15 ~~(34)~~ **(33)** Board of podiatric medicine (IC 25-29-2-1).  
 16 ~~(35)~~ **(34)** Indiana dietitians certification board (IC 25-14.5-2-1).  
 17 **(35) Indiana physical therapy committee (IC 25-27).**  
 18 (36) Any other occupational or professional agency created after  
 19 June 30, 1981.

20 SECTION 5. IC 25-1-9-1, AS AMENDED BY P.L.147-1997,  
 21 SECTION 10, IS AMENDED TO READ AS FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE  
 22 JULY 1, 1998]: Sec. 1. As used in this chapter, "board" means any of  
 23 the following:

- 24 (1) Board of chiropractic examiners (IC 25-10-1).  
 25 (2) State board of dental examiners (IC 25-14-1).  
 26 (3) Indiana state board of health facility administrators  
 27 (IC 25-19-1).  
 28 (4) Medical licensing board of Indiana (IC 25-22.5-2).  
 29 (5) Indiana state board of nursing (IC 25-23-1).  
 30 (6) Indiana optometry board (IC 25-24).  
 31 (7) Indiana board of pharmacy (IC 25-26).  
 32 (8) Board of podiatric medicine (IC 25-29-2-1).  
 33 (9) Board of environmental health specialists (IC 25-32).  
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 35 (IC 25-35.6-2).  
 36 (11) State psychology board (IC 25-33).  
 37 (12) Indiana board of veterinary medical examiners (IC 15-5-1.1).  
 38 (13) Indiana physical therapy committee (IC 25-27-1).  
 39 (14) Respiratory care committee (IC 25-34.5).  
 40 (15) Occupational therapy committee (IC 25-23.5).  
 41 (16) Social worker, marriage and family therapist, and mental  
 42 health counselor board (IC 25-23.6).  
 43 (17) Physician assistant committee (IC 25-27.5).  
 44 (18) Indiana athletic trainers ~~certification~~ board (IC 25-5.1-2-1).  
 45 (19) Indiana dietitians certification board (IC 25-14.5-2-1).  
 46 (20) Indiana hypnotist committee ( IC 25-20.5-1-7)."

47 Page 3, line 36, after "board." insert "**An applicant who is**  
 48 **aggrieved by a decision of the board under this section is entitled**  
 49 **to hearing and appeal rights under the Indiana administrative**  
 50 **rules and procedures act (IC 4-21.5)."**

51 Page 3, between lines 39 and 40, begin a new paragraph and insert:

1 "SECTION 7. IC 25-5.1-1-4 IS AMENDED TO READ AS  
 2 FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 1998]: Sec. 4. "Athletic training"  
 3 means the practice of prevention, recognition, assessment,  
 4 management, treatment, disposition, and reconditioning of athletic  
 5 injuries under the direction of a licensed ~~team medical doctor;~~  
 6 **physician**, osteopath, podiatrist, or chiropractor. **However, in a clinic**  
 7 **accessible to the general public, the term means practicing athletic**  
 8 **training only upon the referral and order of a licensed physician,**  
 9 **osteopath, podiatrist, or chiropractor.** The term includes the  
 10 following:

11 (1) Practice that may be conducted by an athletic trainer through  
 12 the use of heat, light, sound, cold, electricity, exercise,  
 13 **rehabilitation**, or mechanical devices related to the care and the  
 14 conditioning of athletes.

15 (2) The organization and administration of educational programs  
 16 and athletic facilities.

17 (3) The education and the counseling of the public on matters  
 18 related to athletic training.

19 SECTION 8. IC 25-5.1-1-5 IS AMENDED TO READ AS  
 20 FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 1998]: Sec. 5. "Board" refers to the  
 21 Indiana athletic trainers ~~certification~~ board established by  
 22 IC 25-5.1-2-1.

23 SECTION 9. IC 25-5.1-2-1 IS AMENDED TO READ AS  
 24 FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 1998]: Sec. 1. The Indiana athletic  
 25 trainers ~~certification~~ board is established.

26 SECTION 10. IC 25-5.1-2-6 IS AMENDED TO READ AS  
 27 FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 1998]: Sec. 6. The board shall do  
 28 the following:

29 (1) Organize by electing a president, vice president, and secretary.

30 (2) Adopt rules under IC 4-22-2 to do the following:

31 (A) Provide for the ~~certification~~ **licensure** of athletic trainers.

32 (B) Fix application fees, examination fees, and ~~certification~~  
 33 **licensure** fees.

34 (C) Establish standards for the practice of athletic training  
 35 under this article.

36 **(D) Establish standards for continuing education that**  
 37 **conform with the standards of NATA.**

38 ~~(E)~~ **(E)** Otherwise implement this article.

39 (3) Prescribe the application forms to be furnished to all persons  
 40 seeking to be ~~certified~~ **licensed** under this article.

41 (4) Prescribe the form and design of the ~~certificate~~ **license** to be  
 42 issued under this article.

43 (5) Conduct hearings, keep records of proceedings, and do all  
 44 things necessary to properly administer and enforce this article.

45 (6) Publish and make available the following upon request and for  
 46 a fee not to exceed the actual cost of printing and mailing:

47 (A) Requirements for issuance of an athletic trainer's  
 48 ~~certificate~~ **license** under this article.

49 (B) Rules adopted under this article.

50 (7) Maintain and make available as required by IC 4-1-6 and  
 51 IC 5-14-3 a register of each ~~certified~~ **licensed** athletic trainer in

1 Indiana, including each ~~certified~~ **licensed** athletic trainer's last  
 2 known address and the expiration date and identification number  
 3 of the ~~certified~~ **licensed** athletic trainer's ~~certificate~~. **license**.

4 (8) Contract with the NATA board of certification to prepare,  
 5 conduct, and score NATA's current professional examination as  
 6 the qualifying examination for athletic trainers under this article.

7 SECTION 11. IC 25-5.1-3-1 IS AMENDED TO READ AS  
 8 FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 1998]: Sec. 1. (a) To qualify for a  
 9 ~~certificate~~ **license** under this article, an individual must satisfy the  
 10 following requirements:

11 (1) Satisfactorily complete an application for ~~certification~~  
 12 **licensure** in accordance with the rules adopted by the board.

13 (2) Pay the application fees, examination fees, and ~~certification~~  
 14 **licensure** fees established by the board.

15 (3) Be a resident of **or employed in** Indiana **for at least ninety**  
 16 **(90) consecutive days before the date of application**.

17 (4) Not have been convicted of a crime that has a direct bearing  
 18 on the applicant's ability to practice competently as determined by  
 19 the board.

20 (5) Not have had disciplinary action taken against the applicant or  
 21 the applicant's ~~certificate~~ **license** by the board or by the licensing  
 22 agency of another state or jurisdiction by reason of the applicant's  
 23 inability to safely practice athletic training with those reasons for  
 24 discipline still being valid as determined by the board.

25 (6) Show to the satisfaction of the board that the applicant has  
 26 received at least a baccalaureate degree from an institution of  
 27 higher education that meets the academic standards for athletic  
 28 trainers established by NATA and described in subsection (b).

29 (7) Except to the extent that section 6 of this chapter applies,  
 30 successfully pass the qualifying examination adopted by the board  
 31 as described in IC 25-5.1-2-6(8).

32 (b) The minimum academic standards for athletic trainers ~~certified~~  
 33 **licensed** under this article as required under subsection (a)(6) include  
 34 the satisfactory completion of an academic program that includes at  
 35 least the following accredited courses:

36 (1) Human anatomy.

37 (2) Human physiology.

38 (3) Physiology of exercise.

39 (4) Kinesiology.

40 (5) Personal health.

41 (6) Basic athletic training.

42 (7) Advanced athletic training.

43 (8) Clinical experience as prescribed by the board.

44 (9) Therapeutic ~~exercise~~ and modalities.

45 **(10) Rehabilitation.**

46 (c) The examination described in subsection (a)(7) shall be offered  
 47 two (2) times during each calendar year.

48 SECTION 12. IC 25-5.1-3-2 IS AMENDED TO READ AS  
 49 FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 1998]: Sec. 2. Except as provided  
 50 in section 3 of this chapter, the board shall issue a ~~certificate~~ **license** to  
 51 an individual who:

- 1 (1) meets the conditions set out in section 1 of this chapter; and  
 2 (2) is otherwise qualified for ~~certification~~ **licensure** under this  
 3 article.

4 SECTION 13. IC 25-5.1-3-3 IS AMENDED TO READ AS  
 5 FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 1998]: Sec. 3. The board may  
 6 refuse to issue a ~~certificate license~~ to an applicant for ~~certification~~  
 7 **licensure** under section 1 of this chapter if:

- 8 (1) the board determines during the application process that the  
 9 applicant committed an act that would have subjected the  
 10 applicant to disciplinary sanction under section 1(a)(5) of this  
 11 chapter if the applicant had been:

12 (A) certified **before July 1, 1998; or**

13 (B) **licensed after June 30, 1998;**

14 in Indiana when the act occurred; or

- 15 (2) the applicant has had a:

16 (A) certificate revoked under IC 25-1-1.1 **before July 1, 1998;**

17 **or**

18 (B) **license revoked under IC 25-1-1.1 after June 30, 1998.**

19 SECTION 14. IC 25-5.1-3-4 IS AMENDED TO READ AS  
 20 FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 1998]: Sec. 4. (a) A ~~certificate~~  
 21 **license** issued by the board expires on a date established by the bureau  
 22 under IC 25-1-5-4 in each even-numbered year.

23 (b) An individual may renew a ~~certificate license~~ by paying a  
 24 renewal fee not later than the expiration date of the ~~certificate~~ **license**.

25 (c) If an individual fails to timely pay a renewal fee as required by  
 26 subsection (b), the individual's ~~certificate license~~ becomes invalid  
 27 without any action being taken by the board.

28 SECTION 15. IC 25-5.1-3-5 IS AMENDED TO READ AS  
 29 FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 1998]: Sec. 5. (a) Except as  
 30 provided in subsection (b), an individual whose ~~certificate license~~ has  
 31 expired may have the ~~certificate license~~ renewed for not more than  
 32 three (3) years after the date of expiration upon:

33 (1) payment of all past due fees and a penalty fee set by the board;  
 34 **and**

35 (2) **submission of proof to the board that the individual has**  
 36 **completed the number of hours of continuing education**  
 37 **during the expired period that are required under standards**  
 38 **adopted under IC 25-5.1-2-6(2)(D).**

39 (b) If an individual's ~~certificate license~~ has been expired for more  
 40 than three (3) years, the individual must file a new application.

41 SECTION 16. IC 25-5.1-3-6 IS AMENDED TO READ AS  
 42 FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 1998]: Sec. 6. If an individual who  
 43 applies for a ~~certificate license~~ under this article meets any of the  
 44 following conditions, the individual may be exempted from the  
 45 examination requirement under section 1(a)(7) of this chapter by action  
 46 of the board:

47 (1) The individual is ~~certified~~ **licensed** to practice athletic training  
 48 in another state if the other state's standards for ~~certification~~  
 49 **licensure** are at least equal to the standards for ~~certification~~  
 50 **licensure** in Indiana.

51 (2) The individual is certified by NATA and is otherwise

1 qualified for ~~certification~~ **licensure** under this article.

2 (3) The individual is certified by an organization recognized by  
3 the National Commission on Competency Assurance and is  
4 otherwise qualified for ~~certification~~ **licensure** under this article.

5 SECTION 17. IC 25-5.1-3-7 IS ADDED TO THE INDIANA  
6 CODE AS A **NEW SECTION** TO READ AS FOLLOWS  
7 [EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 1998]: **Sec. 7. This article does not prohibit**  
8 **the following:**

9 **(1) The practice of an occupation or profession for which an**  
10 **individual is licensed, certified, or registered in Indiana by a**  
11 **state agency.**

12 **(2) The practice of a health care occupation or profession by**  
13 **an individual who is practicing within the individual's**  
14 **education and experience.**

15 **(3) The performance of a first aid procedure incidental to an**  
16 **individual's employment or volunteer duties.**

17 **(4) The performance of an emergency first aid procedure by**  
18 **an individual.**

19 SECTION 18. IC 25-5.1-4-1 IS AMENDED TO READ AS  
20 FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 1998]: Sec. 1. An individual may  
21 not use the title "~~certified~~ **licensed** athletic trainer" unless the  
22 individual is ~~certified~~ **licensed** under this article."

23 Page 7, line 2, delete "may" and insert "**shall**".

24 Page 7, line 7, delete "may" and insert "**shall**".

25 Page 10, between lines 19 and 20, begin a new paragraph and insert:

26 "**SECTION 30. [EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 1998] (a) Notwithstanding**  
27 **IC 25-5.1, as amended by this act, an individual who holds a valid**  
28 **athletic trainer's certificate on June 30, 1998, is considered to hold**  
29 **a valid athletic trainer's license under IC 25-5.1, as amended by**  
30 **this act, after June 30, 1998. The individual need not reapply for a**  
31 **replacement license under IC 25-5.1, as amended by this act, and**  
32 **the certificate shall be treated as a valid license issued under**  
33 **IC 25-5.1, as amended by this act, until the certificate's expiration**  
34 **date.**

35 **(b) An athletic trainer's license described in subsection (a)**  
36 **expires on the date the athletic trainer's certificate would have**  
37 **expired if the amendments to IC 25-5.1 by this act had not been**  
38 **enacted.**

39 **(c) This SECTION expires July 1, 2000."**

40 Renumber all SECTIONS consecutively.

(Reference is to EHB 1221 as reprinted February 24, 1998.)

**Conference Committee Report**  
**on**  
**House Bill 1221**

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