

1 **State of Arkansas**
2 **78th General Assembly**
3 **Regular Session, 1991**
4 **By: Representative Tullis**

A Bill ACT 303 OF 1991

HOUSE BILL 1281

For An Act To Be Entitled

8 "AN ACT TO PROVIDE THAT PHYSICAL THERAPIST APPLICANTS MUST
9 PASS A WRITTEN EXAMINATION ADMINISTERED BY THE STATE
10 EXAMINING COMMITTEE FOR PHYSICAL THERAPISTS; TO PROVIDE
11 THAT THE EXAMINATIONS OF APPLICANTS FOR LICENSES TO
12 PRACTICE PHYSICAL THERAPY BE HELD AT A TIME AND PLACE
13 SELECTED BY THE COMMITTEE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES."

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15 BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ARKANSAS:

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17 SECTION 1. Ark. Code Ann. §17-92-303(b) is hereby amended to read as
18 follows:

19 "(b) Each physical therapist applicant must:

20 (1) Be at least twenty-one (21) years of age;

21 (2) Be a citizen of the United States or have made a declaration
22 of intention to become a citizen. If the applicant does not follow through
23 with this intention within a seven-year period, the physical therapy license
24 is automatically revoked;

25 (3) Be of good moral character;

26 (4) Have been graduated by a school of physical therapy approved
27 by the American Physical Therapy Association;

28 (5) Have passed a written examination selected, approved, and
29 administered by the State Examining Committee for Physical Therapists."

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31 SECTION 2. Ark. Code Ann. §17-92-303(c)(1) is hereby amended to read as
32 follows:

33 "(c)(1) All examinations of applicants for all licenses to practice
34 physical therapy shall be held at a time and a place provided by the
35 committee."

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