

ARKANSAS SENATE
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Amendment Form

Subtitle of Senate Bill No. 22

TO MODIFY THE APPLICATION PROCESS FOR CERTIFICATION TO PRACTICE AS AN ORTHOTIC ASSISTANT, ORTHOTIC/PROSTHETIC ASSISTANT, OR PROSTHETIC ASSISTANT.

Amendment No. 2 to Senate Bill 22

Amend Senate Bill No. 22 as engrossed S2/9/21 (version: 02/09/2021 10:01:36 AM):

Page 1, line 31, delete "Meeting" and substitute "Meets"

AND

Page 1, delete lines 34 and 35, and substitute the following:

~~"(2)(B)~~ Has a minimum of:
 (i) Three ~~three~~ (3) years of experience in the field
in which the individual is seeking licensure as an assistant; or
 (ii) Two (2) years of experience in the field in
which the individual is seeking licensure as an assistant and has a minimum
of three (3) semester hours of higher education in the subjects of human
anatomy and physiology and medical terminology; and"

AND

Page 2, line 2, delete "assistant; and" and substitute "assistant; or"

AND

Page 2, delete lines 3 through 8, and substitute the following:

"(2)(A) Has graduated from a master's level orthotic, prosthetic, or orthotic/prosthetic educational program approved by the National Commission on Orthotic and Prosthetic Education and is in a residency program.

(B) An orthotic assistant, an orthotic/prosthetic assistant, or a prosthetic assistant certified under subdivision (2)(A) of this section shall maintain certification until he or she completes the residency program."



The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended and read the second time and _____

By: Senator Irvin

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Secretary