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HOUSE RESOLUTION

8 TO AMEND THE HOUSE RULES TO PROVIDE FOR THE INTRODUCTION
9 OF LEGISLATION PERTAINING TO LICENSURE AND SCOPE OF
10 PRACTICE OF HEALTH CARE PROVIDERS

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17 BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE EIGHTY-FIRST GENERAL
18 ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ARKANSAS:

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20 That the following is hereby adopted as a Rule of the House of
21 Representatives of the Eighty-First General Assembly of the State of Arkansas:

22 "(a) Except as provided in subsection (b), no action may be taken in
23 the House Committee on Public Health, Welfare, and Labor or on the floor of
24 the House of Representatives on any bill that provides for licensure of any
25 profession, occupation or class of health care providers not currently
26 licensed or expands the scope of practice of any profession, occupation, or
27 class of health care providers unless the House Committee on Public Health,
28 Welfare, and Labor, at least three (3) months prior to convening the next
29 legislative session has initiated a study of the feasibility of such
30 legislation, or beginning in 1999, thirty (30) days prior to convening the
31 next legislative session.

32 (b) A bill providing for the licensure of any profession, occupation,
33 or class of health care providers not currently licensed or expanding the
34 scope of any practice of any profession, occupation, or class of health care
35 providers may be acted upon without the initiation of a feasibility study
36 required in subsection (a) upon a two-thirds vote of the House Public Health,

1 Welfare, and Labor Committee membership."

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