

LEGISLATURE OF NEBRASKA
ONE HUNDRED NINTH LEGISLATURE
SECOND SESSION

LEGISLATIVE BILL 1212

FINAL READING

Introduced by Riepe, 12.

Read first time January 21, 2026

Committee: Health and Human Services

1 A BILL FOR AN ACT relating to occupational licensing; to amend sections
2 81-3437.01 and 81-3451, Reissue Revised Statutes of Nebraska,
3 sections 38-2001 and 38-2002, Revised Statutes Cumulative
4 Supplement, 2024, and section 81-3449, Revised Statutes Supplement,
5 2025; to define terms and provide for licensure of internationally
6 trained physicians under the Medicine and Surgery Practice Act; to
7 change and eliminate provisions relating to the Engineers and
8 Architects Regulation Act; to harmonize provisions; to provide
9 operative dates; and to repeal the original sections.
10 Be it enacted by the people of the State of Nebraska,

1 **Section 1.** Section 38-2001, Revised Statutes Cumulative Supplement,
2 2024, is amended to read:

3 38-2001 Sections 38-2001 to 38-2064 and sections 3 to 9 of this act
4 shall be known and may be cited as the Medicine and Surgery Practice Act.

5 **Sec. 2.** Section 38-2002, Revised Statutes Cumulative Supplement,
6 2024, is amended to read:

7 38-2002 For the purposes of the Medicine and Surgery Practice Act
8 and elsewhere in the Uniform Credentialing Act, unless the context
9 otherwise requires, the definitions found in sections 38-2003 to 38-2022
10 and section 3 of this act apply.

11 **Sec. 3.** For purposes of sections 3 to 9 of this act:

12 (1) Assessment and evaluation program means a structured program
13 approved by the department, with the recommendation of the board, which
14 utilizes multiple assessment methods to evaluate an internationally
15 trained physician's performance over time across the general competencies
16 within the physician's intended scope of practice;

17 (2) General competencies means the six domains of professional
18 competence endorsed by the Coalition for Physician Accountability,
19 including patient care and procedural skills, medical knowledge,
20 practice-based learning and improvement, interpersonal and communication
21 skills, professionalism, and systems-based practice;

22 (3) Health profession shortage area means a geographic region of the
23 state that has been designated by the Nebraska Rural Health Advisory
24 Commission pursuant to section 71-5665;

25 (4) Internationally trained physician means a physician who has: (a)
26 Received a degree of doctor of medicine or its equivalent from a legally
27 chartered medical school outside the United States; (b) completed a
28 graduate medical education training program that is substantially similar
29 to United States graduate medical education or residency, as determined
30 by the board; (c) been licensed or otherwise authorized to practice
31 medicine in a country other than the United States; (d) practiced

1 medicine for at least three of the last five years following the
2 completion of a graduate medical education training program, unless that
3 period is waived by the board; and (e) been in good standing with any
4 previous medical licensing or regulatory institution during the most
5 recent three years of practice and has no pending discipline before the
6 licensing or regulatory institution;

7 (5) Legally chartered medical school outside the United States means
8 a medical school recognized by the Educational Commission for Foreign
9 Medical Graduates that provides individuals with a medical education or
10 training outside the United States that is substantially similar to the
11 training required to qualify to practice medicine and surgery in this
12 state, as determined by the board;

13 (6) Licensing examination means the United States Medical Licensing
14 Examination;

15 (7) Participating health care entity means a federally qualified
16 health center, hospital, or other entity that provides an assessment and
17 evaluation program and is approved by the department, with the
18 recommendation of the board. The department, with the recommendation of
19 the board, may establish additional criteria for qualification as a
20 participating health care entity including criteria relating to the
21 ability to implement a board-recommended assessment and evaluation
22 program addressing the general competencies;

23 (8) Provisional license means a license to practice medicine issued
24 pursuant to section 4 of this act; and

25 (9) Transitional license means a license issued pursuant to section
26 5 of this act that permits an internationally trained physician to
27 practice as a practitioner in a health profession shortage area
28 independently without the supervision of a participating health care
29 entity.

30 **Sec. 4.** (1) The department, with the recommendation of the board,
31 may issue a provisional license for no longer than three years to an

1 internationally trained physician if the physician and the participating
2 health care entity submit evidence that the physician:

3 (a) Meets the definition of an internationally trained physician as
4 defined in section 3 of this act;

5 (b) Has a valid certification issued by the Educational Commission
6 for Foreign Medical Graduates;

7 (c) Has achieved a passing score on step 1 and step 2 of the
8 licensing examination;

9 (d) Has entered into an agreement with a participating health care
10 entity for full-time employment under the supervision of a licensed
11 physician. Such agreement shall provide that the participating health
12 care entity shall conduct an initial formative needs assessment, develop
13 an individualized learning and supervision plan, and assess and evaluate
14 the physician's familiarity with the standards appropriate for medical
15 practice in the state, consistent with assessment and evaluation criteria
16 established in rules and regulations adopted and promulgated by the
17 department, with the recommendation of the board, and designed to address
18 all general competencies;

19 (e) Is either a United States citizen or is legally authorized to
20 work by the federal government pursuant to 8 C.F.R. 274a.12, as such
21 regulation existed on January 1, 2026; and

22 (f) Has satisfied other criteria as required by the board which
23 shall not include a medical education residency program as a
24 prerequisite.

25 (2) An internationally trained physician practicing under a
26 provisional license shall be allowed to renew such physician's
27 provisional license for one three-year period. No physician practicing
28 under a provisional license shall be allowed to hold a provisional
29 license for more than six years.

30 (3)(a) Within six months after a physician commences practice under
31 a provisional license, the participating health care entity shall: (i)

1 Conduct an initial formative needs assessment of the internationally
2 trained physician's competence in the general competencies, including a
3 review of the physician's prior graduate medical education and practice
4 experience using a process approved by the department, with the
5 recommendation of the board; and (ii) submit an individualized learning
6 and supervision plan to the department for the physician that is informed
7 by the initial formative needs assessment and addresses all general
8 competencies for the physician's intended scope of practice. A copy of
9 such plan shall be provided to the board.

10 (b) The initial formative needs assessment shall be used to identify
11 areas of strength and areas in which additional support is needed and
12 shall not be used to deny issuance of a provisional license to a
13 physician who otherwise meets the requirements of subsection (1) of this
14 section.

15 (4)(a) The assessment and evaluation program utilized by a
16 participating health care entity for a physician practicing under a
17 provisional license shall include, but not be limited to: (i)
18 Standardized assessments of medical knowledge; (ii) direct observation of
19 the physician's clinical skills; (iii) multi-source feedback from
20 physicians and other health care team members and, when feasible,
21 patients; and (iv) periodic audits of medical records for which the
22 physician is responsible.

23 (b) The assessment and evaluation program shall ensure that the
24 physician engages in a sufficient volume and breadth of cases to permit
25 meaningful assessment across the general competencies for the physician's
26 intended scope of practice.

27 (5) An internationally trained physician practicing under a
28 provisional license shall be supervised and employed by a participating
29 health care entity. All practice under a provisional license shall
30 initially occur under supervision by a supervisor who meets the
31 requirements described in subdivision (a) of this subsection. The level

1 of supervision may be adjusted over time based on documented competence
2 demonstrated through the assessment and evaluation program, in accordance
3 with standards and supervision levels established in rules and
4 regulations adopted and promulgated by the department, with the
5 recommendation of the board. A participating health care entity shall:

6 (a) Employ one or more supervisors to supervise internationally
7 trained physicians. A supervisor shall (i) be licensed to practice
8 medicine in the state in good standing, and (ii) possess all necessary
9 institutional privileges;

10 (b) Carry medical malpractice insurance covering such physician
11 during the period of time the physician practices under the provisional
12 license; and

13 (c) Complete all required assessment and evaluation program
14 criteria.

15 (6) The department, with the recommendation of the board, may adopt
16 and promulgate rules and regulations to carry out this section,
17 including, but not limited to, criteria for participating health care
18 entities and supervisors, requirements for assessment and evaluation
19 programs, supervision levels, and required forms for initial formative
20 needs assessments and individualized learning and supervision plans.

21 **Sec. 5.** (1) The department, with the recommendation of the board,
22 may issue a transitional license for no longer than three years to an
23 internationally trained physician if such physician has:

24 (a) Practiced medicine for three years under the supervision of a
25 participating health care entity;

26 (b) Completed and received satisfactory results on the participating
27 health care entity's department-approved and board-recommended assessment
28 and evaluation program which shall document, using multiple assessment
29 methods, the physician's performance across the general competencies
30 within the physician's intended scope of practice;

31 (c) Received a satisfactory score on step 3 of the licensing

1 examination; and

2 (d) Completed additional prerequisites required by the board. Such
3 prerequisites shall not include a medical education residency program.

4 (2) Prior to issuing a transitional license, the department shall
5 receive from the participating health care entity a final assessment and
6 evaluation report on a form prescribed by the department, with the
7 recommendation of the board, affirming that, in the judgment of the
8 participating health care entity, the physician has demonstrated the
9 ability to engage in independent and unsupervised practice within the
10 physician's intended scope of practice across all general competencies.
11 The board shall be provided with a copy of the final assessment and
12 evaluation report and may review the report and make a recommendation to
13 the department regarding issuance, denial, or renewal of a provisional or
14 transitional license under this section.

15 (3) The transitional license may be renewed for one three-year
16 period.

17 **Sec. 6.** (1) After an internationally trained physician has
18 practiced under a provisional license for a minimum of three years and a
19 transitional license for a minimum of three years, such physician shall
20 be eligible to apply for an unrestricted license to practice medicine in
21 this state. Prior to granting such unrestricted license, the board shall
22 review and evaluate assessment data and reports submitted under sections
23 4 and 5 of this act.

24 (2) While practicing under a provisional or transitional license,
25 the physician shall submit the following information to the department
26 and the board every six months or upon request: (a) A statement
27 certifying that the physician is employed as a physician in this state
28 and not subject to discipline; and (b) a disclosure of the results of any
29 assessment or evaluation completed by the participating health care
30 entity under an approved assessment and evaluation program pursuant to
31 section 5 of this act.

1 (3) The physician shall notify the department and the board of any
2 changes in employment during the period of time a provisional license is
3 in effect.

4 **Sec. 7.** A participating health care entity employing a physician
5 practicing under a provisional or transitional license shall ensure that
6 such physician:

7 (1) Is subject to, and protected by, the entity's policies regarding
8 work hours, discrimination and harassment, and access to wellness and
9 support services on the same basis as other physicians employed by the
10 entity; and

11 (2) Receives written information at the commencement of employment
12 regarding the policies described in subdivision (1) of this section.

13 **Sec. 8.** (1) In addition to other grounds for disciplinary action
14 against the license under the Uniform Credentialing Act, the department
15 may take disciplinary action, including suspension and revocation,
16 against a license granted pursuant to section 4 or 5 of this act for
17 professional misconduct, noncompliance with licensure requirements, or an
18 unsatisfactory assessment or evaluation submitted by a participating
19 health care entity. In determining whether an assessment or evaluation is
20 unsatisfactory under this subsection, the department may consider the
21 totality of assessment data generated under an approved assessment and
22 evaluation program, including repeated deficiencies in one or more
23 general competencies and the physician's response to remediation. The
24 department shall consider any board recommendation relating to an
25 assessment or evaluation described in this section.

26 (2) A provisional or transitional license may be suspended, pending
27 a full disciplinary review by the department if, in the judgment of a
28 participating health care entity, the internationally trained physician's
29 practice jeopardizes the health and well-being of a patient.

30 **Sec. 9.** An internationally trained physician aggrieved by any
31 action against such physician's provisional or transitional license may

1 appeal the decision. The appeal shall be in accordance with the
2 Administrative Procedure Act.

3 **Sec. 10.** Section 81-3437.01, Reissue Revised Statutes of Nebraska,
4 is amended to read:

5 81-3437.01 (1) Each licensee authorized to practice architecture or
6 engineering must obtain a seal. The design of the seal shall be
7 determined by the board. If a professional engineer's license has been
8 issued in a specific discipline, the discipline shall be specified on the
9 seal. The following information shall be on the seal: State of Nebraska;
10 licensee's name; licensee's license number; and the words Architect or
11 Professional (discipline) Engineer.

12 (2) Whenever the seal is applied, the licensee's signature and the
13 date of the seal's application shall be placed across or adjacent to the
14 seal in a manner that does not obscure the licensee's name or the license
15 number on the seal. The board may adopt and promulgate rules and
16 regulations for application of the seal.

17 (3) The seal ~~and the date of its placement~~ shall be on all technical
18 submissions and calculations whenever presented to a client or any public
19 or governmental agency. It shall be unlawful for a licensee to affix his
20 or her seal or to permit his or her seal to be affixed to any document
21 after the expiration of the certificate or for the purpose of aiding or
22 abetting any other person to evade or attempt to evade the Engineers and
23 Architects Regulation Act.

24 (4) The seal ~~and date~~ shall be placed on all originals, copies,
25 tracings, or other reproducible drawings and the first page ~~and last~~
26 ~~pages~~ of specifications, reports, and studies in such a manner that the
27 seal, signature, and date will be reproduced and be in compliance with
28 rules and regulations of the board. The application of the licensee's
29 seal shall constitute certification that the work was done by the
30 licensee or under the licensee's control.

31 (5) In the case of a temporary permit issued to a licensee of

1 another state, the licensee shall use his or her state of licensure seal
2 and shall affix his or her signature and temporary permit to all his or
3 her work.

4 **Sec. 11.** Section 81-3449, Revised Statutes Supplement, 2025, is
5 amended to read:

6 81-3449 The provisions of the Engineers and Architects Regulation
7 Act regulating the practice of architecture do not apply to the following
8 activities:

9 (1) The construction, remodeling, alteration, or renovation of a
10 detached single-family through four-family dwelling of less than five
11 thousand square feet of above grade finished space. Any detached or
12 attached sheds, storage buildings, and garages incidental to the dwelling
13 are not included in the tabulation of finished space. Such exemption may
14 be increased by rule and regulation of the board adopted pursuant to the
15 Negotiated Rulemaking Act but shall not exceed the Type V, column B,
16 limitations set forth by the allowable height and building areas table in
17 the state building code adopted in section 71-6403;

18 (2) The construction, remodeling, alteration, or renovation of a
19 one-story commercial or industrial building or structure of less than
20 five thousand square feet of above grade finished space which does not
21 exceed thirty feet in height unless such building or structure, or the
22 remodeling or repairing thereof, provides for the employment, housing, or
23 assembly of twenty or more persons. Any detached or attached sheds,
24 storage buildings, and garages incidental to the building or structure
25 are not included in the tabulation of finished space. Such exemption may
26 be increased by rule and regulation of the board adopted pursuant to the
27 Negotiated Rulemaking Act but shall not exceed the Type V, column B,
28 limitations set forth by the allowable height and building areas table in
29 the state building code adopted in section 71-6403;

30 (3) The construction, remodeling, alteration, or renovation of farm
31 buildings, including barns, silos, sheds, or housing for farm equipment

1 and machinery, livestock, poultry, or storage, if the structures are
2 designed to be occupied by no more than twenty persons. Such exemption
3 may be increased by rule and regulation of the board adopted pursuant to
4 the Negotiated Rulemaking Act but shall not exceed the Type V, column B,
5 limitations set forth by the allowable height and building areas table in
6 the state building code adopted in section 71-6403;

7 (4) Any public works project with contemplated expenditures for a
8 completed project that do not exceed one hundred thousand dollars. The
9 board shall adjust the dollar amount in this subdivision every fifth
10 year. The first such adjustment after August 27, 2011, shall be effective
11 on July 1, 2014. The adjusted amount shall be equal to the then current
12 amount adjusted by the cumulative percentage change in the Consumer Price
13 Index for All Urban Consumers published by the Federal Bureau of Labor
14 Statistics for the five-year period preceding the adjustment date. The
15 amount shall be rounded to the next highest one-thousand-dollar amount;

16 (5) Any alteration, renovation, or remodeling of a building if the
17 alteration, renovation, or remodeling does not affect architectural or
18 engineering safety features of the building;

19 (6) The teaching, including research and service, of architectural
20 subjects in a college or university offering a degree in architecture
21 accredited by the National Architectural Accrediting Board;

22 (7) The preparation of submissions to architects, building
23 officials, or other regulating authorities by the manufacturer, supplier,
24 or installer of any materials, assemblies, components, or equipment that
25 describe or illustrate the use of such items, the preparation of any
26 details or shop drawings required of the contractor by the terms of the
27 construction documents, or the management of construction contracts by
28 persons customarily engaged in contracting work;

29 (8) The preparation of technical submissions or the administration
30 of construction contracts by employees of a person or organization
31 lawfully engaged in the practice of architecture if such employees are

1 acting under the direct supervision of an architect;

2 (9) A public service provider or an organization who employs a
3 licensee performing professional services for itself;

4 ~~(10) A nonresident who holds the certification issued by the~~
5 ~~National Council of Architectural Registration Boards offering to render~~
6 ~~the professional services involved in the practice of architecture. The~~
7 ~~nonresident shall not perform any of the professional services involved~~
8 ~~in the practice of architecture until licensed as provided in the~~
9 ~~Engineers and Architects Regulation Act. The nonresident shall notify the~~
10 ~~board in writing that (a) he or she holds a National Council of~~
11 ~~Architectural Registration Boards certificate and is not currently~~
12 ~~licensed in Nebraska but will be present in Nebraska for the purpose of~~
13 ~~offering to render architectural services, (b) he or she will deliver a~~
14 ~~copy of the notice to every potential client to whom the applicant offers~~
15 ~~to render architectural services, and (c) he or she promises to apply~~
16 ~~immediately to the board for licensure if selected as the architect for~~
17 ~~the project;~~

18 (10) ~~(11)~~ The practice by a qualified member of another legally
19 recognized profession who is otherwise licensed or certified by this
20 state or any political subdivision to perform services consistent with
21 the laws of this state, the training, and the code of ethics of the
22 respective profession, if such qualified member does not represent
23 himself or herself to be practicing architecture and does not represent
24 himself or herself to be an architect;

25 (11) ~~(12)~~ Financial institutions making disbursements of funds in
26 connection with construction projects;

27 (12) ~~(13)~~ Earthmoving and related work associated with soil and
28 water conservation practices performed on farmland or any land owned by a
29 political subdivision that is not subject to a permit from the Department
30 of Water, Energy, and Environment or for work related to livestock waste
31 facilities that are not subject to a permit by the Department of Water,

1 Energy, and Environment; and

2 ~~(13)~~ ~~(14)~~ The work of employees and agents of a political
3 subdivision or a nonprofit entity organized for the purpose of furnishing
4 electrical service performing, in accordance with other requirements of
5 law, their customary duties in the administration and enforcement of
6 codes, permit programs, and land-use regulations and their customary
7 duties in utility and public works construction, operation, and
8 maintenance.

9 **Sec. 12.** Section 81-3451, Reissue Revised Statutes of Nebraska, is
10 amended to read:

11 81-3451 (1) The following shall be considered as the minimum
12 evidence satisfactory to the board that an applicant is eligible for
13 enrollment as an engineer-intern:

14 (a)(i) Graduation from a program accredited by the Engineering
15 Accreditation Commission of ABET;

16 (ii) Graduation from a program accredited by the Canadian
17 Engineering Accreditation Board; or

18 (iii) Meeting the Education Standard of the National Council of
19 Examiners for Engineering and Surveying as determined by the council;

20 (b) Passage of an examination in the fundamentals of engineering as
21 accepted by the Board of Engineers and Architects;

22 (c) Submittal of an application accompanied by the fee established
23 by the board; and

24 (d) Demonstration of good reputation and good ethical character by
25 attestation of references. The names and complete addresses of references
26 acceptable to the board shall be included in the application for
27 enrollment.

28 ~~(2)(a) The following shall be considered as the minimum evidence~~
29 ~~satisfactory to the board that an applicant is eligible for admission to~~
30 ~~the examination on the principles and practice of engineering that is~~
31 ~~adopted by the board:~~

1 ~~(i)(A) Graduation from a program accredited by the Engineering
2 Accreditation Commission of ABET;~~

3 ~~(B) Graduation from a program accredited by the Canadian Engineering
4 Accreditation Board; or~~

5 ~~(C) Meeting the Education Standard of the National Council of
6 Examiners for Engineering and Surveying as determined by the council;~~

7 ~~(ii) Passage of an examination in the fundamentals of engineering as
8 accepted by the Board of Engineers and Architects;~~

9 ~~(iii) Submittal of an application accompanied by the fee established
10 by the board; and~~

11 ~~(iv) Demonstration of good reputation and good ethical character by
12 attestation of references. The names and complete addresses of references
13 acceptable to the board shall be included in the application.~~

14 ~~(b) A candidate who fails the principles and practice of engineering
15 examination may apply for reexamination, which may be granted upon
16 payment of a fee established by the board. In the event of a second or
17 subsequent failure, the examinee may, at the discretion of the board, be
18 required to appear before the board with evidence of having acquired the
19 necessary additional knowledge to qualify before admission to the
20 examination.~~

21 ~~(2) (3)~~ The following shall be considered as the minimum evidence
22 satisfactory to the board that an applicant is eligible for licensure as
23 a professional engineer:

24 ~~(a)(i) Graduation from a program accredited by the Engineering
25 Accreditation Commission of ABET;~~

26 ~~(ii) Graduation from a program accredited by the Canadian
27 Engineering Accreditation Board; or~~

28 ~~(iii) Meeting the Education Standard of the National Council of
29 Examiners for Engineering and Surveying as determined by the council;~~

30 ~~(b) Passage of an examination in the fundamentals of engineering
31 that is accepted by the Board of Engineers and Architects;~~

1 (c) ~~(a)~~ Passage of an examination in the principles and practice of
2 engineering that is accepted by the board ~~examination as set forth in~~
3 ~~subsection (2) of this section;~~

4 (d) ~~(b)~~ A record of four years or more of progressive post-
5 accredited-degree experience on engineering projects of a grade and
6 character which indicates to the board that the applicant may be
7 competent to practice engineering;

8 (e) Submittal of an application for licensure as a professional
9 engineer accompanied by a fee established by the board;

10 (f) ~~(c)~~ Demonstration of good reputation and good ethical character
11 by attestation of references. The names and complete addresses of
12 references acceptable to the board shall be included in the application
13 for licensure; and

14 (g) ~~(d)~~ Successful passage of an examination on the statutes, rules,
15 and other requirements unique to this state.

16 (3) ~~(4)~~ An individual holding a license to practice engineering
17 issued by a proper authority of any jurisdiction, based on credentials
18 that do not conflict with subsection ~~subsections~~ (2) and ~~(3)~~ of this
19 section and other provisions of the Engineers and Architects Regulation
20 Act, may, upon application, be licensed as a professional engineer after:

21 (a) Demonstration of good reputation and good ethical character by
22 attestation of references. The names and complete addresses of references
23 acceptable to the board shall be included in the application for
24 licensure; and

25 (b) Successful passage of an examination on the statutes, rules, and
26 other requirements unique to this state.

27 (4) ~~(5)~~ An individual who has been licensed to practice engineering
28 for fifteen years or more in one or more jurisdictions and who has
29 practiced engineering for fifteen years in compliance with the licensing
30 laws in the jurisdictions where his or her engineering practice has
31 occurred since initial licensure may, upon application, be licensed as a

1 professional engineer after:

2 (a) Demonstration of good reputation and good ethical character by
3 attestation of references. The names and complete addresses of references
4 acceptable to the board shall be included in the application for
5 licensure; and

6 (b) Successful passage of an examination on the statutes, rules, and
7 other requirements unique to this state.

8 ~~(5)~~ ~~(6)~~ The board may designate a professional engineer as being
9 licensed in a specific discipline or branch of engineering signifying the
10 area in which the professional engineer has demonstrated competence.

11 ~~(6)~~ ~~(7)~~ Upon application to the board in writing and payment of a
12 fee established by the board, an individual who holds a valid license to
13 practice engineering in another jurisdiction may be issued a temporary
14 permit, valid for a definite period of time, to provide engineering
15 services for a specific project. An individual may not be issued more
16 than one temporary permit. No right to practice engineering accrues to
17 such applicant with respect to any other work not set forth in the
18 temporary permit. Temporary permit holders are subject to all of the
19 provisions of the Engineers and Architects Regulation Act governing the
20 practice of engineering.

21 ~~(7)~~ ~~(8)~~ None of the examination materials described in this section
22 shall be considered public records.

23 ~~(8)~~ ~~(9)~~ The board or its agent shall direct the time and place of
24 the engineering examinations referenced in subsections (1) and ~~(2)~~ ~~(3)~~
25 ~~and~~ ~~(3)~~ of this section.

26 ~~(9)~~ ~~(10)~~ The board may adopt the examinations and grading procedures
27 of the National Council of Examiners for Engineering and Surveying. The
28 board may also adopt guidelines published by the council.

29 ~~(10)~~ ~~(11)~~ Licensure shall be effective upon issuance.

30 **Sec. 13.** Sections 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, and 14 of this act
31 become operative on August 1, 2027. The other sections of this act become

1 operative on their effective date.

2 **Sec. 14.** Original sections 38-2001 and 38-2002, Revised Statutes
3 Cumulative Supplement, 2024, are repealed.

4 **Sec. 15.** Original sections 81-3437.01 and 81-3451, Reissue Revised
5 Statutes of Nebraska, and section 81-3449, Revised Statutes Supplement,
6 2025, are repealed.