

STATE OF OKLAHOMA

1st Session of the 46th Legislature (1997)

HOUSE BILL NO. 1023

By: Askins of the House

and

Harrison of the Senate

AS INTRODUCED

An Act relating to sunset; amending 59 O.S. 1991, Section 481, as last amended by Section 2, Chapter 323, O.S.L. 1994 (59 O.S. Supp. 1996, Section 481), which relates to the State Board of Medical Licensure and Supervision; and re-creating the State Board of Medical Licensure and Supervision.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF OKLAHOMA:

SECTION 1. AMENDATORY 59 O.S. 1991, Section 481, as last amended by Section 2, Chapter 323, O.S.L. 1994 (59 O.S. Supp. 1996, Section 481), is amended to read as follows:

Section 481. A State Board of Medical Licensure and Supervision hereinafter referred to as the "Board", is hereby re-created, to continue until July 1, ~~1997~~ 2003, in accordance with the provisions of the Oklahoma Sunset Law. The Board shall be composed of seven (7) allopathic physicians licensed to practice medicine in this state and represent the public and two (2) lay members. The physician members of the Board shall be graduates of legally chartered medical schools recognized by the Oklahoma State Regents

for Higher Education or the Liaison Council on Medical Education. Said members shall have actively practiced as licensed physicians continuously in this state for the three (3) years immediately preceding their appointment to the Board. The two lay members shall participate only for the purpose of assisting in the review of complaints and in promulgating and adopting rules and shall not participate in the examination or licensing of physicians or other professions licensed by the Board. All members of the Board shall be residents of this state and shall be appointed by the Governor as provided for in Section 482 of this title. All present members of the Board shall continue to serve for the remainder of their current terms.

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