

of another state, territory or foreign country, if, in the opinion of the Board, the applicant's educational qualifications at the time of his or her graduation fulfilled the requirements of this State at such time.

(d) Application for license under this subsection (d) must be made before June 1, 1969. The Board may issue a license to practice as a licensed practical nurse to any person who shall submit to the Board written evidence, verified by oath or affirmation, that said applicant:

~~(a)~~(1) Is of good moral character.

(2) Has practiced practical nursing in this State for at least two years within the five-year period immediately preceding June 1, 1967; provided such person passes a written examination administered by the Board.

(e) The applicant applying for a license to practice as a licensed practical nurse shall pay the fee established by the regulations of the Board. An additional fee, as established by such regulations, shall be required for each re-examination.

(f) Any person who holds a license to practice practical nursing in this State shall have the right to use the title "Licensed Practical Nurse" and the abbreviation "L.P.N." No other person shall assume such title or use such abbreviation or any other words, letters, signs or devices to indicate that the person using them is a licensed practical nurse.

(g) Any person holding a certificate of registration to practice as a practical nurse issued by the Board and which is valid on June 1, 1967 shall hereafter be deemed to be licensed as a licensed practical nurse under provisions of this subtitle for so long as such certificate is not revoked or suspended as provided herein.

297.

(a) The license of every person licensed under the provisions of this subtitle shall be renewed ~~biennially~~ **QUINQUENNIALY** **BIENNIALY**. The fee for renewal shall be as established by the regulations of the Board.

(b) Such renewal shall render the holder thereof a legal practitioner of nursing for the period stated on the renewal form.

~~(c)~~ Any person who allows his or her license to lapse by failing to renew the license as provided above may be reinstated by the Board on payment of the renewal fee.

~~(d)~~(C) Any person practicing nursing during the time his or her license has lapsed shall be considered to be practicing without a license and shall be subject to the penalties provided for violations of this subtitle.

~~(e)~~(D) A nurse who ceases to engage in nursing in this state shall not be required to pay the renewal fee as long as he or she remains inactive. Should said nurse wish to resume nursing at some future time he or she shall so notify the Board and remit the renewal fee for the current biennial period.

298.

(a) An institution desiring to conduct a nursing education program to prepare professional or practical nurses shall apply to the