

(2) RECORDATION TAXES COLLECTED BY THE DEPARTMENT FOR WHICH THE STATUTORY RECORDATION TAX RATE WAS APPLIED UNDER § 12-103(E)(1)(III) OF THIS TITLE SHALL BE REMITTED to the counties in the ratio that the recordation tax collected in the prior fiscal year in each county bears to the total recordation tax collected in all counties in that year.

12-112.

The Department may adopt regulations to administer the collection and remitting of recordation tax for instruments of writing filed with the Department.

SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act shall take effect October 1, 1994 July 1, 1995.

Approved May 26, 1994.

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CHAPTER 721

(Senate Bill 655)

AN ACT concerning

**Professional Counselors and Professional Counselors—Marriage and Family Therapists**  
**—Licensure**

FOR the purpose of regulating professional counselors—marriage and family therapists under the State Board of Examiners of Professional Counselors; altering the membership of the Board; requiring the Board to waive certain requirements under certain circumstances; specifying the requirements for certification as a professional counselor—marriage and family therapist; authorizing the use of a certain title and designation under certain circumstances; specifying that certain provisions of law may not be construed to entitle certain persons to certain reimbursement; changing certain definitions; repealing certain definitions; defining certain terms; altering the composition and function of the State Board of Examiners of Licensed Professional Counselors; providing for the licensure and regulation of marriage and family therapists; requiring a certain member of the Board to have a master's or doctoral degree in marital and family therapy fulfill certain requirements; requiring the Board to waive the requirements for licensure as a licensed professional counselor or a licensed professional counselor—marriage and family therapist under certain circumstances; making stylistic changes; and generally relating to the licensure of professional counselors and marriage and family therapists the certification of professional counselors—marriage and family therapists and the State Board of Professional Counselors.

BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,

Article - Health Occupations

Section 17-101, 17-201, 17-202, 17-205 through 17-313, and 17-315 through 17-401

Section 17-101, 17-202, 17-205, 17-206, 17-301, 17-302, 17-303, 17-305, 17-306, 17-308, 17-312, 17-315, 17-317, and 17-401