

SECTION 3. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act shall take effect October 1, 2003.

Approved May 22, 2003.

CHAPTER 422
(House Bill 376)

AN ACT concerning

Sunset Review - State Board of Nursing - Electrology Practice Committee

FOR the purpose of repealing certain provisions of law ~~authorizing~~ relating to the State Board of Electrologists; specifying that this Act does not limit the right of certain individuals to practice certain occupations; requiring the State Board of Nursing to adopt certain regulations related to electrologists and electrology instructors; requiring the Board to set certain fees and to pay certain fees collected to the Comptroller of the State; requiring the Comptroller to distribute certain fees to the Board; establishing the Electrology Practice Committee; specifying the membership, terms, powers, and duties of the Committee; prohibiting the practice of electrology without a license; specifying the qualifications for licensure as an electrologist or an electrology instructor; establishing an application process for licensure; providing for the examination of an applicant for licensure; specifying the expiration date of certain licenses and requiring the Board to send a certain renewal notice by a certain date; requiring the Board to place certain licensees on inactive status under certain circumstances; requiring the Board to reinstate certain licenses in certain circumstances; prohibiting the surrender of certain licenses under certain circumstances; requiring the Board to approve a certain electrology education program under certain circumstances; authorizing the Board to remove a certain electrology education program under certain circumstances; authorizing the Board to deny a license to a certain applicant, grant a probationary license to a certain applicant, reprimand a certain licensee, place a certain licensee on probation, or suspend or revoke a certain license under certain circumstances; specifying certain grounds for discipline of certain licensees subject to certain hearing requirements; authorizing the Board to impose certain penalties under certain circumstances; providing for the appeal of a final decision of the Board under certain circumstances; authorizing the Board to reinstate certain revoked licenses under certain circumstances; prohibiting an individual from making certain representations by title, description of service, method, procedure, or otherwise unless authorized to practice electrology; prohibiting advertising that is unreasonable, misleading, or fraudulent; ~~specifying that only certain titles may be used to identify electrologists~~; authorizing the Board to adopt rules and regulations relating to the types of instruments and procedures used in the practice and teaching of electrology; providing for an electrologist rehabilitation committee to provide assistance under certain circumstances; requiring that a certain notice be displayed under certain circumstances; establishing certain