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# HOUSE MOTION \_\_\_\_\_

MR. SPEAKER:

I move that Engrossed Senate Bill 428 be amended to read as follows:

- 1 Page 17, between lines 26 and 27, begin a new paragraph and insert:
- 2 "SECTION 24. IC 25-23.6-1-1.7 IS ADDED TO THE INDIANA
- 3 CODE AS A NEW SECTION TO READ AS FOLLOWS
- 4 [EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2001]: **Sec. 1.7. "Bachelor's social worker"**
- 5 **means an individual who is licensed under IC 25-23.6-5-0.5.**
- 6 SECTION 25. IC 25-23.6-1-3.8 IS AMENDED TO READ AS
- 7 FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2001]: Sec. 3.8. Except as provided
- 8 in IC 25-23.6-7-5, as used in this chapter, "counselor" refers to a
- 9 **bachelor's social worker**, social worker, clinical social worker,
- 10 marriage and family therapist, or a mental health counselor who is
- 11 licensed under this article."
- 12 Page 17, line 35, after "as a" insert "**bachelor's social worker**,".
- 13 Page 18, between lines 4 and 5, begin a new paragraph and insert:
- 14 "SECTION 27. IC 25-23.6-5-0.5 IS ADDED TO THE INDIANA
- 15 CODE AS A NEW SECTION TO READ AS FOLLOWS
- 16 [EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2001]: **Sec. 0.5. (a) An individual who applies**
- 17 **for a license as a bachelor's social worker must meet the following**
- 18 **requirements:**
- 19 (1) **Furnish satisfactory evidence to the board that the**
- 20 **individual:**
- 21 (A) **has received at least a bachelor's degree in social work**
- 22 **from:**
- 23 (i) **an institution of higher education that is accredited or**
- 24 **approved for candidacy by the Council on Social Work**

- 1                   **Education or approved by the board; or**  
 2                   **(ii) a foreign school that has a program of study that is**  
 3                   **approved by the Foreign Equivalency Determination**  
 4                   **Service of the Council on Social Work Education; and**  
 5                   **(B) will, after receiving a bachelor's social worker license**  
 6                   **under this section, practice social work under the**  
 7                   **supervision of a licensed social worker, a licensed clinical**  
 8                   **social worker, or an equivalent supervisor, as determined**  
 9                   **by the board, for the equivalent of two (2) years.**
- 10                   **(2) Furnish satisfactory evidence to the board that the**  
 11                   **individual does not have a conviction for a crime that has a**  
 12                   **direct bearing on the individual's ability to practice**  
 13                   **competently.**
- 14                   **(3) Furnish satisfactory evidence to the board that the**  
 15                   **individual has not been the subject of a disciplinary action by**  
 16                   **a licensing or certification agency of another state or**  
 17                   **jurisdiction on the grounds that the individual was not able to**  
 18                   **practice as a social worker without endangering the public.**
- 19                   **(4) Pass a basic examination required by the board.**
- 20                   **(5) Pay the fee established by the board.**
- 21                   **(b) The scope of practice of an individual licensed under this**  
 22                   **section is the same as the scope of practice of a social worker**  
 23                   **licensed under section 1 of this chapter.**
- 24                   SECTION 28. IC 25-23.6-5-4 IS AMENDED TO READ AS  
 25                   FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2001]: Sec. 4. An individual who  
 26                   satisfies the requirements of:
- 27                   (1) section 1, **1.5**, or 2 of this chapter; and  
 28                   (2) section 3 of this chapter;  
 29                   may take the examination provided by the board."
- 30                   Page 18, between lines 16 and 17, begin a new paragraph and insert:  
 31                   "SECTION 30. IC 25-23.6-5-11 IS AMENDED TO READ AS  
 32                   FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2001]: Sec. 11. (a) The board may  
 33                   issue a temporary permit to an individual to profess to be a **bachelor's**  
 34                   **social worker**, social worker, or clinical social worker if the individual  
 35                   pays a fee and the individual:
- 36                   (1) has a valid license or certificate to practice from another state  
 37                   and the individual has passed an examination substantially  
 38                   equivalent to the level for which licensure is being requested;  
 39                   (2) is practicing in a state that does not license or certify social  
 40                   workers or clinical social workers, but is certified by a national  
 41                   association approved by the board and the individual has applied  
 42                   for a license from the board; or  
 43                   (3) has been approved by the board to take the examination and  
 44                   has graduated from a school or program approved by the board  
 45                   and the individual has completed any experience requirement.
- 46                   (b) A temporary permit expires the earlier of:  
 47                   (1) the date the individual holding the permit is issued a license

- 1           under this article;
- 2           (2) the date the board disapproves the individual's license
- 3           application; or
- 4           (3) one hundred eighty (180) days after the initial permit is issued.
- 5           (c) The board may renew a temporary permit if the individual
- 6           holding the permit was scheduled to take the next examination and the
- 7           individual:
- 8           (1) did not take the examination; and
- 9           (2) shows good cause for not taking the examination.
- 10          (d) A permit renewed under subsection (c) expires on the date the
- 11          individual holding the permit receives the results from the next
- 12          examination given after the permit was issued, and may not be
- 13          extended if the applicant has failed the examination."
- 14          Renumber all SECTIONS consecutively.
- (Reference is to ESB 428 as printed March 30, 2001.)

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Representative Bischoff