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Citations Affected: IC 25-14-1-13.

Synopsis: Board of dentistry. Allows the state board of dentistry to: (1) require a dentist to submit information concerning the dentist's working relationship with a person that impacts the dentist's practice of dentistry; and (2) set standards of practice concerning that relationship.

Effective: July 1, 2014.



A BILL FOR AN ACT to amend the Indiana Code concerning professions and occupations.

Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Indiana:

1 SECTION 1. IC 25-14-1-13 IS AMENDED TO READ AS
2 FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2014]: Sec. 13. (a) The board is
3 charged with the duty of administering and enforcing the laws
4 pertaining to the practice of dentistry and of dental hygiene. The board
5 may adopt and enforce rules for the administration and enforcement of
6 this article in accordance with IC 4-22-2. The board shall adopt a code
7 of professional conduct and shall adopt rules establishing standards for
8 the competent practice of dentistry or dental hygiene. The board may
9 adopt rules concerning assessment of costs in disciplinary proceedings
10 before the board.

11 **(b) The board may:**

12 **(1) require a dentist to submit information concerning the**
13 **dentist's working relationship with a person that impacts the**
14 **dentist's practice of dentistry; and**

15 **(2) set standards of practice concerning the dentist's**
16 **relationship with a person described in this subsection.**

17 ~~(b)~~ **(c)** Complaints against persons licensed under this article or
18 IC 25-13 are subject to IC 25-1-7. The board may conduct hearings
19 concerning these complaints in accordance with IC 4-21.5.

