

April 16, 2007

H 1492. ANESTHESIOLOGIST ASSISTANTS LICENSURE. Filed 4/16/07. *AUTHORIZING THE LICENSURE OF ANESTHESIOLOGIST ASSISTANTS.* Authorizes the North Carolina Medical board to license and regulate anesthesiologist assistants. Amends GS 90-11 to add qualifications for licensure and amends GS 90-15 to set a cap of \$150 for license and registration fees. Amends GS 90-18(c) to add provision of anesthesia services by a licensed anesthesiologist assistant to the list of activities not constituting practicing medicine or surgery. Enacts new GS 90-18.5 to set limits on the use of the title anesthesiologist assistant and direct the North Carolina Medical Board to adopt regulations governing the provision of anesthesia services by an anesthesiologist assistant under the supervision of a licensed anesthesiologist. Provides that a licensed anesthesiologist may supervise no more than two anesthesiologist assistants at one time, but also provides that the Medical Board may expand that number to four after January 1, 2010..

Intro. by England, J. Harrell.

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H 1492. ANESTHESIOLOGIST ASSISTANTS LICENSURE. Filed 4/16/07. House committee substitute makes the following changes to 1st edition. Clarifies that proposed new GS 90-18.5 does not affect the scope of practice of physician assistants under existing law.

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H 1492. ANESTHESIOLOGIST ASSISTANTS LICENSURE. Filed 4/16/07. Senate committee substitute makes the following changes to 2nd edition. Reorganizes provisions in proposed new GS 90-18.5(c).

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SL 2007-146 (H 1492). ANESTHESIOLOGIST ASSISTANTS LICENSURE. AN ACT AUTHORIZING THE LICENSURE OF ANESTHESIOLOGIST ASSISTANTS. Summarized in *Daily Bulletin* 4/16/07, 5/7/07, and 6/20/07. Enacted June 29, 2007. Effective June 29, 2007.