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1 AMENDMENT TO SENATE BILL 1325

2 AMENDMENT NO. _____. Amend Senate Bill 1325 by replacing
3 everything after the enacting clause with the following:

4 "Section 5. The Illinois Dental Practice Act is amended by
5 changing Section 6 as follows:

6 (225 ILCS 25/6) (from Ch. 111, par. 2306)

7 (Section scheduled to be repealed on January 1, 2026)

8 Sec. 6. Board of Dentistry; report ~~Dentistry—report~~ by
9 majority required. There is created a Board of Dentistry, to
10 be composed of 13 persons designated from time to time by the
11 Secretary, as follows:

12 (1) 10 members who ~~Eleven persons, 8 of whom~~ have been
13 dentists for a period of 5 years or more, at least one of
14 whom holds a permit to administer moderate sedation, and
15 at least one of whom holds a permit to administer deep
16 sedation and general anesthesia;

1 (2) 2 members who ~~of whom~~ have been dental hygienists
2 for a period of 5 years or more~~it~~ and

3 (3) one public member.

4 None of the members shall be an officer, dean, assistant
5 dean, or associate dean of a dental college or dental
6 department of an institute of learning, nor shall any member
7 be the program director of any dental hygiene program. A board
8 member who holds a faculty position in a dental school or
9 dental hygiene program shall not participate in the
10 examination of applicants for licenses from that school or
11 program. The dental hygienists shall not participate in the
12 examination of applicants for licenses to practice dentistry.
13 The public member shall not participate in the examination of
14 applicants for licenses to practice dentistry or dental
15 hygiene. The board shall annually elect a chairman and
16 vice-chairman who shall be dentists.

17 Terms for all members shall be for 4 years. Partial terms
18 over 2 years in length shall be considered as full terms. A
19 member may be reappointed for a successive term, but no member
20 shall serve more than 2 full terms in his or her lifetime.

21 The membership of the Board shall include only residents
22 from various geographic areas of this State and shall include
23 at least some graduates from various institutions of dental
24 education in this State.

25 In making appointments to the Board the Secretary shall
26 give due consideration to recommendations by organizations of

1 the dental profession in Illinois, including the Illinois
2 State Dental Society and Illinois Dental Hygienists
3 Association, and shall promptly give due notice to such
4 organizations of any vacancy in the membership of the Board.
5 The Secretary may terminate the appointment of any member for
6 cause which in the opinion of the Secretary reasonably
7 justifies such termination.

8 A vacancy in the membership of the Board shall not impair
9 the right of a quorum to exercise all the rights and perform
10 all the duties of the Board. Any action to be taken by the
11 Board under this Act may be authorized by resolution at any
12 regular or special meeting, and each such resolution shall
13 take effect immediately. The Board shall meet at least
14 quarterly.

15 The members of the Board shall each receive as
16 compensation a reasonable sum as determined by the Secretary
17 for each day actually engaged in the duties of the office, and
18 all legitimate and necessary expense incurred in attending the
19 meetings of the Board.

20 Members of the Board shall be immune from suit in any
21 action based upon any disciplinary proceedings or other
22 activities performed in good faith as members of the Board.

23 (Source: P.A. 99-492, eff. 12-31-15.)".