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1	AMENDMENT TO HOUSE BILL 3679	
2	AMENDMENT NO Amend House Bill 3679 by replac	ing
3	everything after the enacting clause with the following:	
4 5	"Section 5. The Medical Practice Act of 1987 is amended adding Section 54.7 as follows:	by
6	(225 ILCS 60/54.7 new)	
7	Sec. 54.7. Administration of intense pulsed light syst	em.
8	The use of intense pulsed light systems or lasers required	to
9	be registered under the Laser System Act of 1997 is conside	red
10	the practice of medicine. A procedure may not be performed	on
11	an individual without an order from a physician licensed	to
12	practice medicine in all its branches. A physician licensed	l to
13	practice medicine in all its branches may delegate	the
14	application of an intense pulsed light system or a laser	for
15	the purpose of care or treatment to a physician assista	.nt,
16	advanced practice nurse, registered nurse, electrologist,	or

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1	other persons, provided those persons operating the intense
2	pulsed light system or laser have documented training. The
3	Department may establish additional requirements for
4	implementation of this Section by rule.
5	Section 10. The Electrologist Licensing Act is amended by
6	changing Section 23 as follows:
7	(225 ILCS 412/23)
8	(Section scheduled to be repealed on January 1, 2014)
9	Sec. 23. Scope of practice.
10	(a) The scope of practice of an electrologist is limited to
11	the following:
12	(1) The application of an antiseptic on the area of the
13	individual's skin to which electrology will be applied.
14	(2) The use of a sterile needle/probe electrode type
15	epilation, which includes (i) electrolysis, known as
16	direct current/DC, (ii) thermolysis, known as alternating
17	current/AC, or (iii) a combination of both electrolysis and
18	thermolysis, known as superimposed or sequential blend.
19	(b) Nothing in this Act shall be construed to authorize an
20	electrologist to use surgery including but not limited to the
21	use of any laser technology, except as provided in Section 54.7
22	of the Medical Practice Act of 1987. An electrologist shall
23	refer to a licensed physician any individual whose condition,
24	at the time of evaluation or service, is determined to be

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beyond the scope of practice of the electrologist, such as an individual with signs of infection or bleeding.

3 (Source: P.A. 92-750, eff. 1-1-03.)

4 Section 99. Effective date. This Act takes effect upon 5 becoming law.".