

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

HOUSE BILL NO. 181

BY HEALTH AND WELFARE COMMITTEE

AN ACT

1 RELATING TO THE NATUROPATHIC MEDICAL PHYSICIANS LICENSING ACT; AMENDING
2 TITLE 54, IDAHO CODE, BY THE ADDITION OF A NEW CHAPTER 56, TITLE 54,
3 IDAHO CODE, TO ESTABLISH THE NATUROPATHIC MEDICAL PHYSICIANS LICENS-
4 ING ACT, TO PROVIDE LEGISLATIVE PURPOSE AND INTENT, TO DEFINE TERMS, TO
5 PROVIDE THE SCOPE OF PRACTICE OF NATUROPATHIC PHYSICIANS, TO PROVIDE
6 EXEMPTIONS FOR LICENSURE, TO REQUIRE A NATUROPATHIC PHYSICIAN LICENSE,
7 TO ESTABLISH THE BOARD OF NATUROPATHIC PHYSICIANS, TO ESTABLISH POWERS
8 AND DUTIES OF THE BOARD, TO ESTABLISH QUALIFICATIONS FOR LICENSURE,
9 TO PROVIDE LICENSURE STANDARDS AND ENDORSEMENT STANDARDS, TO PROVIDE
10 FOR LICENSE RENEWAL, TO ESTABLISH FEES, TO ESTABLISH DENIAL OF LICENSE
11 AND DISCIPLINARY PROCEEDINGS, TO PROVIDE DISCLOSURE REQUIREMENTS, TO
12 PROHIBIT CERTAIN ACTS, TO PROVIDE A PREEMPTION OF LOCAL REGULATIONS
13 AND TO PROVIDE SEVERABILITY; AMENDING SECTION 67-2601, IDAHO CODE, TO
14 ESTABLISH THE BOARD OF NATUROPATHIC PHYSICIANS IN THE DEPARTMENT OF
15 SELF-GOVERNING AGENCIES AND TO MAKE A TECHNICAL CORRECTION; PROVIDING
16 REPORTING REQUIREMENTS; PROVIDING AN EFFECTIVE DATE; AND PROVIDING A
17 SUNSET DATE.
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19 Be It Enacted by the Legislature of the State of Idaho:

20 SECTION 1. That Title 54, Idaho Code, be, and the same is hereby amended
21 by the addition thereto of a NEW CHAPTER, to be known and designated as Chap-
22 ter 56, Title 54, Idaho Code, and to read as follows:

23 CHAPTER 56

24 NATUROPATHIC MEDICAL PHYSICIANS LICENSING ACT

25 54-5601. LEGISLATIVE PURPOSE AND INTENT. It is the intent of the Idaho
26 legislature to regulate the practice of naturopathic medicine. Nothing in
27 this chapter will limit the decision in *State v. Smith*, 81 Idaho 103, 337
28 P.2d 938, except to the extent that certain modalities of treatment shall re-
29 quire a license pursuant to this chapter. To that end it is not the intent of
30 the legislature to regulate the practice of natural health care services as
31 it is defined in this chapter, except as expressly provided herein.

32 54-5602. DEFINITIONS. As used in this chapter:

33 (1) "Approved naturopathic medical program" means a naturopathic medi-
34 cal education program in the United States or Canada that provides the degree
35 of doctor of naturopathy or doctor of naturopathic medicine, that includes
36 graduate level full-time didactic and supervised clinical training and is
37 either accredited or has achieved candidacy status for accreditation by the
38 council on naturopathic medical education (CNME) or an equivalent federally
39 recognized accrediting body for naturopathic medical programs. Addition-
40 ally, the program shall be an institution, or part of an institution, of

1 higher education that is either accredited or is a candidate for accred-
 2 itation by a regional accrediting agency recognized by the United States
 3 department of education.

4 (2) "Board" means the board of naturopathic physicians created pur-
 5 suant to section 54-5606, Idaho Code.

6 (3) "Formulary" means the list of prescription medicines that natur-
 7 opathic physicians licensed under this chapter may use in the practice of
 8 their profession.

9 (4) "Minor office procedures" means the methods for the repair and care
 10 incidental to superficial lacerations and abrasions, superficial lesions
 11 and the removal of foreign bodies located in the superficial tissues.

12 (5) "Natural health care services" means the broad domain of health
 13 care services, including diagnosis and treatment, where treatment or advice
 14 regarding the human body and its functions is administered by a person who:

15 (a) Does not use legend drugs or prescription drugs in such practice;

16 (b) Uses only natural elements including, without limitation, air,
 17 heat, water and light;

18 (c) Uses only class I or class II nonprescription, approved medical de-
 19 vices as defined in section 513 of the federal food, drug and cosmetic
 20 act;

21 (d) Uses only vitamins, minerals, herbs, natural food products and
 22 their extracts, nutritional supplements and homeopathic preparations
 23 and remedies not otherwise prohibited by law; and

24 (e) Does not perform surgery.

25 (6) "Naturopathic medicine" means a distinct and comprehensive system
 26 of primary health care practiced by naturopathic physicians. The practice
 27 of naturopathic medicine is separate and distinct from natural health care
 28 services.

29 (7) "Naturopathic physician" means a person authorized and licensed to
 30 practice naturopathic medicine under this chapter.

31 54-5603. SCOPE OF PRACTICE. (1) Naturopathic physicians may use phys-
 32 ical and laboratory examinations consistent with naturopathic medical ed-
 33 ucation and training for diagnostic purposes. Naturopathic physicians may
 34 order and perform diagnostic and imaging tests consistent with naturopathic
 35 medical education and training. All diagnostic and imaging tests not con-
 36 sistent with naturopathic medical education and training must be referred
 37 for performance and interpretation by an appropriately licensed health care
 38 professional.

39 (2) Naturopathic physicians licensed under this chapter are authorized
 40 to dispense, administer and prescribe prescription drugs and medical de-
 41 vices as determined by the formulary and authorized by board rule.

42 (3) Naturopathic physicians licensed under this chapter may perform
 43 minor office procedures pursuant to privileges authorized by board rule.

44 (4) A naturopathic physician may perform those therapies for which he
 45 has been trained and educated and that are not inconsistent with the provi-
 46 sions of this chapter that are authorized by board rule.

47 54-5604. EXEMPTIONS FOR LICENSURE. This chapter is not intended to and
 48 does not prohibit, restrict or apply to:

1 (1) The practice of a profession by individuals who are licensed, cer-
2 tified or registered under other laws of this state and are performing ser-
3 vices within the authorized scope of practice;

4 (2) The practice of naturopathic medicine by an individual employed by
5 the federal government while the individual is engaged in the performance of
6 duties prescribed by the laws and regulations of the United States;

7 (3) An individual rendering aid to a family member or in an emergency,
8 when no fee or other consideration for the service is charged, received, ex-
9 pected or contemplated;

10 (4) An individual engaged in the sale of vitamins, health foods, over-
11 the-counter homeopathic products, dietary supplements, herbs or other prod-
12 ucts of nature, the sale of which is not otherwise prohibited under state or
13 federal law;

14 (5) The practice by a naturopathic physician duly licensed in another
15 state, territory or the District of Columbia when that naturopathic physi-
16 cian is incidentally called into this state for consultation with a physi-
17 cian licensed pursuant to this chapter or chapter 18, title 54, Idaho Code;

18 (6) The practice of naturopathic medicine by students enrolled in an
19 approved naturopathic medical program. Services shall be performed pur-
20 suant to a course of instruction or assignments from an instructor and under
21 the supervision and observation of the instructor; or

22 (7) The practice and providing of natural health care services as de-
23 fined in this chapter and not in violation of this chapter by an individual
24 who is not licensed in this state as a health care professional or practi-
25 tioner.

26 54-5605. NATUROPATHIC PHYSICIAN LICENSE REQUIRED. (1) A license shall
27 be required for a person to engage in the practice of naturopathic medicine.

28 (2) No person shall assume or use the title or designation "doctor" or
29 "physician" in association with the practice of naturopathic medicine, or
30 the abbreviations "NMD" or "ND" or any other title, designations, words,
31 letters, abbreviations, sign, card or device to indicate to the public that
32 such person is licensed to practice naturopathic medicine pursuant to this
33 chapter unless such person is so licensed under this chapter or allowed under
34 section 54-5103, Idaho Code.

35 (3) Nothing in this chapter shall prohibit the use of the term "doctor"
36 or "physician" by a person defined or licensed as such pursuant to title 54,
37 Idaho Code.

38 54-5606. BOARD OF NATUROPATHIC PHYSICIANS -- ORGANIZATION AND MEET-
39 INGS. (1) There is hereby established in the department of self-governing
40 agencies, bureau of occupational licenses, the board of naturopathic physi-
41 cians. The board shall consist of five (5) members appointed by the gover-
42 nor, three (3) of whom shall be licensed pursuant to this chapter, one (1) of
43 whom shall be a physician licensed pursuant to chapter 18, title 54, Idaho
44 Code, and one (1) of whom shall be a pharmacist licensed pursuant to chapter
45 17, title 54, Idaho Code. Board members shall serve at the pleasure of the
46 governor.

47 (2) One (1) member of the initial board shall be appointed for a one (1)
48 year term of office; one (1) member of the initial board shall be appointed

1 for a two (2) year term of office; one (1) member of the initial board shall
2 be appointed for a three (3) year term of office; one (1) member of the ini-
3 tial board shall be appointed for a four (4) year term of office; and one (1)
4 member of the initial board shall be appointed for a five (5) year term of of-
5 fice. Thereafter, the term of office for each board member shall be five (5)
6 years.

7 (3) The initial three (3) licensed naturopathic board members shall
8 be eligible to become licensed pursuant to this chapter and shall have been
9 practicing naturopathic medicine in the state of Idaho for at least the two
10 (2) years immediately preceding their appointment.

11 (4) After initial board members are appointed, the three (3) board
12 members who are naturopathic physicians shall be licensed pursuant to this
13 chapter, shall actively practice naturopathic medicine in the state of
14 Idaho for the duration of their appointment and shall have been practicing
15 naturopathic medicine for at least two (2) years immediately preceding their
16 appointment.

17 (5) Upon initial appointment of the board and thereafter, whenever a
18 term of a member of the board who is licensed pursuant to chapter 18, ti-
19 tle 54, Idaho Code, expires or becomes vacant, the Idaho medical association
20 shall nominate three (3) persons licensed pursuant to chapter 18, title 54,
21 Idaho Code, for such vacancy and shall forward the nominations to the gover-
22 nor who shall give consideration to such nominees.

23 (6) Upon initial appointment of the board and thereafter, whenever a
24 term of a member of the board who is licensed pursuant to chapter 17, title
25 54, Idaho Code, expires or becomes vacant, the Idaho board of pharmacy shall
26 nominate three (3) persons licensed pursuant to chapter 17, title 54, Idaho
27 Code, for such vacancy and shall forward the nominations to the governor who
28 shall give consideration to such nominees.

29 (7) In the event of the death, resignation or removal of any board mem-
30 ber before the expiration of the term to which the board member is appointed,
31 the vacancy shall be filled for the unexpired portion of the term in the same
32 manner as the original appointment.

33 (8) Within thirty (30) days after its appointment, the initial board
34 shall hold a meeting and elect a chairperson. The board shall meet at least
35 annually thereafter and may hold additional meetings at the call of the
36 chairperson or at the written request of any two (2) members of the board. A
37 majority of the board shall constitute a quorum. The vote of a majority of
38 members present at a meeting wherein a quorum is present shall determine the
39 action of the board.

40 (9) Each member of the board shall be compensated as provided in section
41 59-509(n), Idaho Code.

42 54-5607. POWERS AND DUTIES OF THE BOARD. The board shall have the au-
43 thority and responsibility to:

44 (1) Receive applications of persons applying for licensure, determine
45 the qualifications of persons applying for licensure and provide licenses to
46 applicants qualified under this chapter;

47 (2) Establish by rule and collect fees from applicants for licensure
48 and for renewal of licensure;

1 (3) Establish by rule the minimum amount and type of continuing educa-
2 tion to be required for each licensee seeking renewal;

3 (4) Investigate complaints against persons who are licensed under this
4 chapter or practicing naturopathic medicine without a license;

5 (5) Undertake, when appropriate, disciplinary proceedings and disci-
6 plinary action against persons licensed under this chapter;

7 (6) Provide such other services and perform such other functions as are
8 consistent with this chapter as are necessary and desirable to fulfill its
9 purposes;

10 (7) Recover the costs and fees, including attorney's fees, incurred in
11 the investigation and prosecution of any person who is found in violation of
12 this chapter or the board's rules;

13 (8) Promulgate and adopt rules, pursuant to chapter 52, title 67, Idaho
14 Code, necessary to administer the provisions of this chapter;

15 (9) Establish special competency certification requirements for li-
16 censees as deemed necessary by action of the board;

17 (10) The board shall establish by rule a formulary. The formulary list
18 shall be based upon naturopathic medical education, training and continuing
19 education, but may not go beyond the scope of prescription medicines and med-
20 ical devices covered by approved naturopathic medical education and train-
21 ing or board-approved continuing education. The naturopathic medical for-
22 mulary shall not include medicines and devices that are inconsistent with
23 the training provided by approved naturopathic medical programs and contin-
24 uing education. The formulary shall be approved by a unanimous vote of the
25 full board duly called pursuant to section 54-5606, Idaho Code; and

26 (11) Authorize by written agreement the bureau of occupational licenses
27 to act as agent in its interest.

28 54-5608. QUALIFICATIONS FOR LICENSURE. To be eligible for a license to
29 practice as a naturopathic physician in the state of Idaho, the applicant
30 shall submit an application, pay the fee and fulfill the following require-
31 ments:

32 (1) Education.

33 (a) The applicant must be a graduate of an approved naturopathic medi-
34 cal program as defined in section 54-5602(1), Idaho Code; or

35 (b) The applicant must be a graduate of a college or university in the
36 United States or Canada, prior to September 1, 1991, that is still in
37 existence and that offered a full-time structured curriculum in basic
38 sciences and supervised patient care comprising a doctoral naturo-
39 pathic medical education as a prerequisite to graduation, having been
40 not less than one hundred thirty-two (132) weeks in duration and that
41 required completion within a period of not less than thirty-five (35)
42 months and have been continually practicing for five (5) years immedi-
43 ately preceding licensure.

44 (2) Examination. Applicants who meet the qualifications of subsection
45 (1) (a) of this section and all applicants after July 1, 2016, shall provide
46 proof of having received a passing grade on the naturopathic physicians li-
47 censing examinations (NPLEX), administered by the North American board of
48 naturopathic examiners (NABNE). The passing grade for each specific exami-
49 nation administration shall be as determined by the NABNE.

1 54-5609. LICENSE STANDARDS -- ENDORSEMENT. The board shall establish
2 by rule the standards for licensure of applicants licensed in another juris-
3 diction. However, the standards for endorsement of licensure shall not be
4 less than those required by section 54-5608(1) (a) and (2), Idaho Code.

5 54-5610. LICENSE RENEWAL. All licenses issued under this chapter
6 shall be for a term of one (1) year and shall expire on the birthday of the
7 licensee unless renewed in the manner prescribed by rule. Except as set
8 forth in this chapter, rules governing procedures and conditions for license
9 renewal and reinstatement shall be in accordance with section 67-2614, Idaho
10 Code.

11 54-5611. FEES. (1) The board shall establish by rule fees for licen-
12 sure pursuant to the provisions of this chapter as follows:

13 (a) An application fee for licensure not to exceed two hundred fifty
14 dollars (\$250);

15 (b) The fee for the initial naturopathic physician license not to ex-
16 ceed one thousand dollars (\$1,000);

17 (c) The fee for the renewal of a naturopathic physician license not to
18 exceed one thousand dollars (\$1,000); and

19 (d) The application fee shall be in addition to the initial license fee.

20 (2) All fees received under the provisions of this section shall be non-
21 refundable and shall be deposited in the state treasury to the credit of the
22 occupational license account in the dedicated fund, and all costs and ex-
23 penses incurred by the board under the provisions of this chapter shall be a
24 charge against and paid from the account for such purposes. Notwithstand-
25 ing any other provisions of law, the funds collected pursuant to this section
26 shall be immediately available for the administration of this chapter.

27 54-5612. DENIAL OF LICENSE AND DISCIPLINARY PROCEEDINGS. (1) The
28 board may refuse to issue or renew a license or may revoke, suspend or other-
29 wise discipline a license holder for any of the following grounds:

30 (a) The use of fraud or deceit in obtaining a license under this chapter
31 or in connection with services rendered as a naturopathic physician;

32 (b) A legal finding of mental incompetence;

33 (c) Aiding or abetting a person, not duly licensed under this chapter,
34 in claiming to be a naturopathic physician or in practicing naturo-
35 pathic medicine;

36 (d) Any gross negligence, incompetence or misconduct in the perfor-
37 mance of naturopathic medicine;

38 (e) Conviction of a felony, or a crime involving moral turpitude, or the
39 entering of a plea of guilty or the finding of guilt by a jury or court of
40 commission of a felony or a crime involving moral turpitude;

41 (f) Practicing as a naturopathic physician when physical or mental
42 abilities are impaired by the use of controlled substances or other
43 drugs, chemicals or alcohol;

44 (g) Failure of the individual practitioner to maintain his profes-
45 sional premises in a clean and sanitary condition;

46 (h) Any other good cause, relevant to qualifications to practice as a
47 naturopathic physician. The board may not suspend, revoke or refuse to

1 issue or renew a license based on the findings that a licensee's prac-
2 tice is unconventional in the absence of demonstrable harm to a patient
3 and the patient has signed a waiver to the effect that the treatment or
4 device is considered unconventional;

5 (i) Failure to demonstrate compliance with continuing education re-
6 quirements as determined by the board;

7 (j) Violating any law or rule pursuant to this chapter;

8 (k) Having been convicted of any crime that reflects adversely on the
9 person's fitness to be licensed or registered pursuant this chapter;

10 (l) Having a license to practice naturopathic medicine or other health
11 care license or certificate refused, revoked or suspended or otherwise
12 disciplined by any state, territory, district of the United States or
13 Canada for reasons that relate to the applicant's ability to skillfully
14 and safely practice naturopathic medicine, or other health care pro-
15 fession, unless that license or certification has been restored to good
16 standing by that jurisdiction;

17 (m) Prescribing, dispensing or administering any controlled substance
18 or device identified under the uniform controlled substances act, chap-
19 ter 27, title 37, Idaho Code, or identified in the federal controlled
20 substances act, 21 U.S.C. sections 801 through 971 (1988), as amended,
21 except as authorized by this chapter;

22 (n) Performing surgical procedures, except those minor office proce-
23 dures authorized by this chapter;

24 (o) Practicing or claiming to practice as a medical doctor, osteopath,
25 dentist, podiatrist, optometrist, psychologist, advanced practice
26 professional nurse, physician assistant, chiropractor, physical ther-
27 apist, acupuncturist or any other health care professional not autho-
28 rized in this chapter unless licensed by the state of Idaho to do so;

29 (p) Using general or spinal anesthetics;

30 (q) Administering ionizing radioactive substances for therapeutic
31 purposes;

32 (r) Performing surgical procedures using a laser device;

33 (s) Inducing or performing an abortion;

34 (t) Performing surgical procedures involving the eye, ear, tendons,
35 nerves, veins or arteries extending beyond superficial tissue;

36 (u) Treating any lesion suspicious of malignancy or requiring surgi-
37 cal removal. Lesions suspicious of malignancy or requiring surgical
38 removal shall be referred to or comanaged with a physician licensed pur-
39 suant to chapter 18, title 54, Idaho Code;

40 (v) Performing chiropractic adjustments as defined in section 54-704,
41 Idaho Code;

42 (w) Performing physical therapy as defined in section 54-2203, Idaho
43 Code; or

44 (x) Failure to comply with a board order.

45 (2) The board may reinstate any revoked or suspended license upon such
46 terms as it may determine.

47 (3) The board may by rule provide a procedure for an applicant to re-
48 quest an exemption review for a felony or lesser crime conviction. The ap-
49 plicant shall bear the burden and financial responsibility of providing all

1 evidence, documentation and proof of suitability for licensure required by
2 the board for exemption review.

3 54-5613. DISCLOSURE BY THOSE PROVIDING NATURAL HEALTH CARE SER-
4 VICES. (1) Any person providing natural health care services who is not a
5 naturopathic physician and who is advertising or charging a fee for those
6 services shall, prior to providing such services, disclose to the client in a
7 clearly worded statement:

8 (a) The practitioner's name, business address and telephone number;
9 (b) The nature of the natural health care services to be provided; and
10 (c) That the practitioner is not an "M.D.," "D.O.," "N.M.D.," "natur-
11 opathic physician," "naturopathic doctor" or "N.D." nor is the practi-
12 tioner licensed to provide these services.

13 (2) Before a practitioner provides natural health care services to a
14 client for the first time, such practitioner must obtain a written acknowl-
15 edgment from the client stating that he has been provided with the informa-
16 tion described in this section and that he recognizes that the practitioner
17 is not licensed to practice medicine, surgery or naturopathic medicine or
18 any other type of medicine. The client shall be provided with a copy of this
19 written acknowledgment that must be maintained for two (2) years by the per-
20 son providing the services. If the disclosure information changes, then the
21 practitioner has a duty to repeat the disclosure if a client obtains services
22 after the change.

23 54-5614. CERTAIN ACTS PROHIBITED. It shall be unlawful and a misde-
24 meanor for any person to engage in any of the following acts:

25 (1) To violate any of the provisions of this chapter and any rules pro-
26 mulgated pursuant thereto;

27 (2) To represent himself to be a licensed naturopathic physician with-
28 out having first obtained a license in compliance with the provisions of this
29 chapter or section 54-5103, Idaho Code;

30 (3) To practice, attempt or offer to practice naturopathic medicine as
31 defined in this chapter without having at the time of so doing, a valid, unex-
32 pired, unrevoked and unsuspended license issued under this chapter; or

33 (4) To assume or use the title or designation "doctor" or "physician"
34 in association with the practice of naturopathic medicine, or the abbrevi-
35 ations "NMD" or "ND" or any other title, designations, words, letters, ab-
36 breviations, sign, card or device to indicate to the public that such person
37 is licensed to practice naturopathic medicine pursuant to this chapter un-
38 less such person is so licensed under this chapter or allowed under section
39 54-5103, Idaho Code.

40 54-5615. PREEMPTION OF LOCAL REGULATIONS. Beginning July 1, 2016, a
41 local unit of government shall not establish or maintain professional li-
42 censing requirements for a naturopathic physician licensed pursuant to this
43 chapter.

44 54-5616. SEVERABILITY. The provisions of this chapter are hereby de-
45 clared to be severable, and if any provision of this chapter or the applica-
46 tion of such provision to any person or circumstance is declared invalid for

1 any reason, such declaration shall not affect the validity of the remaining
2 portions of this chapter.

3 SECTION 2. That Section 67-2601, Idaho Code, be, and the same is hereby
4 amended to read as follows:

5 67-2601. DEPARTMENT CREATED -- ORGANIZATION -- DIRECTOR -- BUREAU OF
6 OCCUPATIONAL LICENSES CREATED. (1) There is hereby created the department of
7 self-governing agencies. The department shall, for the purposes of section
8 20, article IV, of the constitution of the state of Idaho, be an executive
9 department of the state government.

10 (2) The department shall consist of the following:

11 (a) Agricultural commodity commissions: Idaho apple commission, as
12 provided by chapter 36, title 22, Idaho Code; Idaho bean commission,
13 as provided by chapter 29, title 22, Idaho Code; Idaho beef council, as
14 provided by chapter 29, title 25, Idaho Code; Idaho cherry commission,
15 as provided by chapter 37, title 22, Idaho Code; Idaho dairy products
16 commission, as provided by chapter 31, title 25, Idaho Code; Idaho pea
17 and lentil commission, as provided by chapter 35, title 22, Idaho Code;
18 Idaho potato commission, as provided by chapter 12, title 22, Idaho
19 Code; the Idaho wheat commission, as provided by chapter 33, title 22,
20 Idaho Code; the Idaho aquaculture commission, as provided by chapter
21 44, title 22, Idaho Code; and the Idaho alfalfa and clover seed commis-
22 sion, as provided in chapter 42, title 22, Idaho Code.

23 (b) Professional and occupational licensing boards: Idaho state board
24 of certified public accountancy, as provided by chapter 2, title 54,
25 Idaho Code; board of acupuncture, as provided by chapter 47, title 54,
26 Idaho Code; board of architectural examiners, as provided by chapter
27 3, title 54, Idaho Code; office of the state athletic director, as pro-
28 vided by chapter 4, title 54, Idaho Code; board of barber examiners, as
29 provided by chapter 5, title 54, Idaho Code; board of commissioners of
30 the Idaho state bar, as provided by chapter 4, title 3, Idaho Code; board
31 of chiropractic physicians, as provided by chapter 7, title 54, Idaho
32 Code; Idaho board of cosmetology, as provided by chapter 8, title 54,
33 Idaho Code; Idaho counselor licensing board, as provided by chapter 34,
34 title 54, Idaho Code; state board of dentistry, as provided by chapter
35 9, title 54, Idaho Code; state board of denturistry, as provided by chap-
36 ter 33, title 54, Idaho Code; Idaho board of licensure of professional
37 engineers and professional land surveyors, as provided by chapter 12,
38 title 54, Idaho Code; state board for registration of professional
39 geologists, as provided by chapter 28, title 54, Idaho Code; speech
40 and hearing services licensure board, as provided by chapter 29, title
41 54, Idaho Code; Idaho physical therapy licensure board, as provided by
42 chapter 22, title 54, Idaho Code; Idaho state board of landscape ar-
43 chitects, as provided by chapter 30, title 54, Idaho Code; liquefied
44 petroleum gas safety board, as provided by chapter 53, title 54, Idaho
45 Code; state board of medicine, as provided by chapter 18, title 54,
46 Idaho Code; state board of morticians, as provided by chapter 11, title
47 54, Idaho Code; board of naturopathic medical examiners, as provided
48 by chapter 51, title 54, Idaho Code; board of nurses, as provided by
49 chapter 14, title 54, Idaho Code; board of examiners of nursing home

1 administrators, as provided by chapter 16, title 54, Idaho Code; state
2 board of optometry, as provided by chapter 15, title 54, Idaho Code;
3 Idaho outfitters and guides board, as provided by chapter 21, title
4 36, Idaho Code; board of pharmacy, as provided by chapter 17, title 54,
5 Idaho Code; state board of podiatry, as provided by chapter 6, title 54,
6 Idaho Code; Idaho state board of psychologist examiners, as provided by
7 chapter 23, title 54, Idaho Code; Idaho real estate commission, as pro-
8 vided by chapter 20, title 54, Idaho Code; real estate appraiser board,
9 as provided by chapter 41, title 54, Idaho Code; board of social work
10 examiners, as provided by chapter 32, title 54, Idaho Code; the board of
11 veterinary medicine, as provided by chapter 21, title 54, Idaho Code;
12 the board of examiners of residential care facility administrators, as
13 provided by chapter 42, title 54, Idaho Code; the certified shorthand
14 reporters board, as provided by chapter 31, title 54, Idaho Code; the
15 driving businesses licensure board, as provided by chapter 54, title
16 54, Idaho Code; the board of drinking water and wastewater profession-
17 als, as provided by chapter 24, title 54, Idaho Code; ~~and~~ the board of
18 midwifery, as provided by chapter 55, title 54, Idaho Code; and the
19 board of naturopathic physicians, as provided by chapter 56, title 54,
20 Idaho Code.

21 (c) The board of examiners, pursuant to section 67-2001, Idaho Code.

22 (d) The division of building safety: building code board, chapter 41,
23 title 39, Idaho Code; manufactured housing board, chapter 21, title
24 44, Idaho Code; electrical board, chapter 10, title 54, Idaho Code;
25 public works contractors license board, chapter 19, title 54, Idaho
26 Code; plumbing board, chapter 26, title 54, Idaho Code; public works
27 construction management, chapter 45, title 54, Idaho Code; the heating,
28 ventilation and air conditioning board, chapter 50, title 54, Idaho
29 Code; and modular building advisory board, chapter 43, title 39, Idaho
30 Code.

31 (e) The division of veterans services to be headed by a division ad-
32 ministrator who shall be a nonclassified employee exempt from the pro-
33 visions of chapter 53, title 67, Idaho Code. The administrator of the
34 division shall administer the provisions of chapter 2, title 65, Idaho
35 Code, and chapter 9, title 66, Idaho Code, with the advice of the vet-
36 erans affairs commission established under chapter 2, title 65, Idaho
37 Code, and shall perform such additional duties as are imposed upon him
38 by law.

39 (f) The board of library commissioners, pursuant to section 33-2502,
40 Idaho Code.

41 (g) The Idaho state historical society, pursuant to section 67-4123,
42 Idaho Code.

43 (h) The state public defense commission, pursuant to section 19-849,
44 Idaho Code.

45 (3) The bureau of occupational licenses is hereby created within the
46 department of self-governing agencies.

47 SECTION 3. The Board of Naturopathic Physicians shall report on the
48 status of the board and the practice of naturopathic medicine in Idaho to the
49 First Regular Session of the Sixty-sixth Idaho Legislature in 2021.

1 SECTION 4. This act shall be in full force and effect on and after July
2 1, 2015, except that the provisions of Sections 54-5605 and 54-5614, Idaho
3 Code, shall be in full force and effect on and after July 1, 2016.

4 SECTION 5. The provisions of this act shall be null, void and of no force
5 and effect on and after July 1, 2021.