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DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC HEALTH

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House Bill 7112 – An Act Establishing a Temporary Permit to Practice for Athletic Trainers

The Department of Public Health supports House Bill 7112.

House Bill 7112 allows athletic trainer applicants, who have completed the educational requirements for licensure but have not taken or received the results of the required examination, to practice for up to 120 days from the date of graduation under the direct supervision of a licensed athletic trainer. Temporary permits become void in the event that the applicant fails to pass the examination.

The provisions of this act are consistent with the temporary practice provisions for other health care practitioners licensed by the Department.

Thank you for your consideration of the Department's views on this bill.

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