



General Assembly

Substitute Bill No. 7255

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**AN ACT CONCERNING THE GRANTING OF RECIPROCAL
ELECTRICAL WORK AND ELECTRONIC TECHNICIAN AND SERVICE
DEALER LICENSES.**

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in General Assembly convened:

1 Section 1. Section 20-333a of the general statutes is repealed and the
2 following is substituted in lieu thereof (*Effective from passage*):

3 (a) The Commissioner of Consumer Protection may, upon the
4 payment of the appropriate fee, as provided in section 20-335, grant a
5 license or a card of registration provided for in this chapter, without an
6 examination, to any currently practicing, competent person who holds
7 a similar license or card of registration granted by any other state,
8 licensure jurisdiction within another state, the District of Columbia or
9 any territory or commonwealth of the United States having licensure
10 or registration requirements substantially similar to, or higher than,
11 those of this state, if the licensing authority in such other state,
12 licensure jurisdiction within another state, the District of Columbia or
13 any territory or commonwealth of the United States may grant such
14 similar license or card of registration, without an examination, to any
15 currently practicing, competent licensee or registrant from this state.
16 [The commissioner, with the advice and consent of the appropriate
17 examining board, may adopt regulations in accordance with the
18 provisions of chapter 54 in order to carry out the provisions of this
19 section.]

20 (b) The commissioner may enter into a reciprocal licensing
21 agreement with another state, the District of Columbia or any territory
22 or commonwealth of the United States regarding the granting of a
23 license or card of registration provided for in this chapter.

24 (c) The commissioner may adopt regulations, in accordance with the
25 provisions of chapter 54, in order to carry out the provisions of this
26 section.

27 Sec. 2. Subsection (b) of section 20-350 of the general statutes is
28 repealed and the following is substituted in lieu thereof (*Effective from*
29 *passage*):

30 (b) The [board] Commissioner of Consumer Protection may
31 [authorize the Department of Consumer Protection to] issue a license
32 without examination to any person who, at the time of the application
33 or within thirty days prior thereto, was licensed to engage in servicing
34 receiving equipment by another state under a law which contained
35 qualifications substantially similar to or higher than those prescribed
36 by this chapter, which state grants reciprocity to persons licensed
37 under the provisions of this chapter.

This act shall take effect as follows and shall amend the following sections:		
Section 1	<i>from passage</i>	20-333a
Sec. 2	<i>from passage</i>	20-350(b)

GL *Joint Favorable Subst.*