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(As Amended by Senate Amendment Schedule "A")

**"AN ACT CONCERNING THE GOVERNOR'S  
RECOMMENDATIONS TO IMPROVE ACCESS TO HEALTH CARE."**

1 Strike subdivision (3) of subsection (b) of section 1 in its entirety and  
2 insert the following in lieu thereof:

3 "(3) An advanced practice registered nurse having (A) been issued a  
4 license pursuant to section 20-94a, (B) maintained such license for a  
5 period of not less than three years, and (C) engaged in the performance  
6 of advanced practice level nursing activities in collaboration with a  
7 physician for a period of not less than six thousand two hundred forty  
8 hours in accordance with the provisions of subdivision (2) of this  
9 subsection, may, thereafter, alone or in collaboration with a physician  
10 or another health care provider licensed to practice in this state: (i)  
11 Perform the acts of diagnosis and treatment of alterations in health  
12 status, as described in subsection (a) of this section; and (ii) prescribe,  
13 dispense and administer medical therapeutics and corrective measures

14 and dispense drugs in the form of professional samples as described in  
 15 subdivision (2) of this subsection in all settings. Any such advanced  
 16 practice registered nurse shall provide written notice to each person to  
 17 whom he or she provides services whether or not such advanced  
 18 practice registered nurse is practicing in collaboration with a  
 19 physician."

20 After subdivision (4) of subsection (b) of section 1, insert the  
 21 following:

22 "(5) Any advertisement shall include a statement that the advanced  
 23 practice registered nurse is not a licensed physician. For purposes of  
 24 this subdivision, "advertisement" means any oral, written or graphic  
 25 statement or representation made in connection with the solicitation of  
 26 business in any manner by an advanced practice registered nurse and  
 27 includes, but is not limited to, a statement and representation made in  
 28 any newspaper or other publication, on an Internet web site, or on  
 29 radio or television or printed in any catalog, circular or any other sales  
 30 literature or brochure."

31 After the last section, add the following and renumber sections and  
 32 internal references accordingly:

33 "Sec. 501. (NEW) (*Effective October 1, 2014*) A physician licensed in  
 34 accordance with chapter 370 of the general statutes who collaborated  
 35 pursuant to the provisions of section 20-87a of the general statutes  
 36 with an advanced practice registered nurse licensed in accordance  
 37 with chapter 378 of the general statutes shall be immune from civil  
 38 liability relating to the acts or omissions of an advanced practice  
 39 registered nurse after the date on which the collaboration between  
 40 such physician and advanced practice registered nurse terminates."

This act shall take effect as follows and shall amend the following sections:		
Sec. 501	October 1, 2014	New section