



General Assembly

**Amendment**

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Offered by:  
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To: Subst. House Bill No. 5537      File No. 516      Cal. No. 340

**"AN ACT CONCERNING THE DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC HEALTH'S RECOMMENDATIONS REGARDING VARIOUS REVISIONS TO THE PUBLIC HEALTH STATUTES."**

1      After the last section, add the following and renumber sections and  
2      internal references accordingly:

3      "Sec. 501. Subdivision (3) of subsection (b) of section 20-87a of the  
4      general statutes, as amended by substitute senate bill 36 of the current  
5      session, as amended by senate amendment schedule "A", is repealed  
6      and the following is substituted in lieu thereof (*Effective July 1, 2014*):

7      (3) An advanced practice registered nurse having (A) been issued a  
8      license pursuant to section 20-94a, (B) maintained such license for a  
9      period of not less than three years, and (C) engaged in the performance  
10     of advanced practice level nursing activities in collaboration with a  
11     physician for a period of not less than three years and not less than two  
12     thousand hours in accordance with the provisions of subdivision (2) of  
13     this subsection, may, thereafter, alone or in collaboration with a  
14     physician or another health care provider licensed to practice in this

15 state: (i) Perform the acts of diagnosis and treatment of alterations in  
 16 health status, as described in subsection (a) of this section; and (ii)  
 17 prescribe, dispense and administer medical therapeutics and corrective  
 18 measures and dispense drugs in the form of professional samples as  
 19 described in subdivision (2) of this subsection in all settings. Any  
 20 advanced practice registered nurse electing to practice not in  
 21 collaboration with a physician in accordance with the provisions of  
 22 this subdivision shall maintain documentation of having engaged in  
 23 the performance of advanced practice level nursing activities in  
 24 collaboration with a physician for a period of not less than three years  
 25 and not less than two thousand hours. Such advanced practice  
 26 registered nurse shall maintain such documentation for a period of not  
 27 less than three years after completing such requirements and shall  
 28 submit such documentation to the Department of Public Health for  
 29 inspection not later than forty-five days after a request made by the  
 30 department for such documentation."

This act shall take effect as follows and shall amend the following sections:		
Sec. 501	July 1, 2014	20-87a(b)(3)