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### COUNCIL OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA

### NOTICE

### D.C. LAW 8-60

"District of Columbia Health Occupations Revision Act of 1985 Physician Assistants Temporary Amendment Act of 1989".

Pursuant to Section 412 of the District of Columbia Self-Government and Governmental Reorganization Act, P. L. 93-198, "the Act", the Council of the District of Columbia adopted Bill No. 8-349 on first and second readings, July 11, 1989, and September 26, 1989, respectively. Following the signature of the Mayor on October 13, 1989, this legislation was assigned Act No. 8-90, published in the October 27, 1989, edition of the D.C. Register, (Vol. 36 page 7386) and transmitted to Congress on October 18, 1989 for a 30-day review, in accordance with Section 602(c)(1) of the Act.

The Council of the District of Columbia hereby gives notice that the 30-day Congressional Review Period has expired, and therefore, cites this enactment as D.C. Law 8-60, effective January 30, 1990.

DAVID A. CLARKE Chairman of the Council

Dates Counted During the 30-day Congressional Review Period:

October 18,19,20,23,24,25,26,27,30,31

November 1,2,3,6,7,8,9,13,14,15,16,17,20,21,22

January 23,24,25,26,29

Codification
District of Columbia Code
(1990 Supplement)

AN ACT

# D.C. ACT 8 - 90

IN THE COUNCIL OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA

## OCT 1 3 1989

To amend, on a temporary basis, the Health Occupations Revision Act of 1985 to provide for the waiver of licensure requirements for physician assistants presently practicing in the District of Columbia.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA, That this act may be cited as the "District of Columbia Health Occupations Revision Act of 1985 Physician Assistants Temporary Amendment Act of 1989".

Note 1-229

Sec. 2. Section 203 the District of Columbia Health Occupations Revision Act of 1985, effective March 25, 1986 (D.C. Law 6-99; D.C. Code, sec. 2-3302.3), is amended by adding a new subsection (a-1)(1) to read as follows:

Note 2-3302.3

"(a-1)(1) The Board shall waive the educational or examination requirements for any applicant for licensure as a physician assistant who can demonstrate, to the satisfaction of the Board, that he or she has performed the function of a physician assistant, as defined in this act and rules issued pursuant to this act, on a full-time or substantially full-time basis continuously for at least 36 months immediately preceding the effective date of the District of Columbia Health Occupations Revision Act of 1985 Physician Assistants Amendment Temporary Act of 1989, and is qualified to do so on the basis of pertinent education, training, experience, and demonstrated current competence, provided that application for the license is made within 12 months of the effective date of the District of Columbia Health Occupations Revision Act of 1985 Physician Assistants Amendment Temporary Act of 1989.

"(2) An applicant licensed under subsection (a-1)(1) of this section shall be eligible for license renewal on the same terms as any other licensed physician

assistant.".

Sec. 3. (a) This act shall take effect after a 30-day period of Congressional review following approval by the Mayor (or in the event of veto by the Mayor, action by the Council of the District of Columbia to override the veto) as provided in section 602(c)(1) of the District of Columbia Self-Government and Governmental Reorganization Act, approved December 24, 1973 (87 Stat. 813; D.C. Code, sec. 1-233(c)(1)), and publication in either the District of Columbia Register, the District of Columbia Statutes-at-Large, or the District of Columbia Municipal Regulations.

(b) This act shall expire on the 225th day of its

having taken effect.

Chairman

Council of the District of Columbia

Mayor

District of Columbia

APPROVED: October 13, 1989



# COUNCIL OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA Council Period Eight

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