

## 1 VIRGINIA ACTS OF ASSEMBLY — CHAPTER

2 *An Act to amend the Code of Virginia by adding a section numbered 54.1-2928.1, granting authority to*  
3 *the Board of Medicine for the issuance of restricted volunteer licenses to practitioners of the healing*  
4 *arts for voluntary practice in clinics organized in whole or in part for the delivery of health care*  
5 *services without charge.*

6 [H 1487]

7 Approved

8 **Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Virginia:**9 **1. That § 54.1-2928.1 of the Code of Virginia is enacted as follows:**10 § 54.1-2928.1. *Restricted volunteer license.*11 *A. The Board may issue a restricted volunteer license to a practitioner of the healing arts who:*12 *1. Held an unrestricted license issued by the Virginia Board of Medicine or by a board in another*  
13 *state as a licensee in good standing at the time the license expired or became inactive;*14 *2. Is practicing within the limits of his license in accordance with provisions of § 54.1-106; and*15 *3. Attests to knowledge of the laws and regulations governing his branch of the healing arts in*  
16 *Virginia.*17 *B. A person holding a restricted volunteer license under this section shall not be required to*  
18 *complete continuing education for the first renewal of such a license. Subsequent renewals will require*  
19 *continuing education as specified by Board regulation.*20 *C. If a practitioner with a restricted volunteer license issued under this section has not held an*  
21 *active, unrestricted license and been engaged in active practice within the past four years, he shall only*  
22 *practice his profession if a doctor of medicine or osteopathic medicine with an active, unrestricted*  
23 *Virginia license reviews the quality of care rendered by the practitioner with the restricted volunteer*  
24 *license at least every 90 days.*25 *D. Such license may be renewed every two years in accordance with regulations promulgated by the*  
26 *Board.*27 *E. A practitioner holding a restricted volunteer license issued pursuant to this section is subject to*  
28 *the provisions of this chapter, the regulations promulgated under this chapter, and the disciplinary*  
29 *regulations which apply to all such practitioners in Virginia.*30 *F. The application fee and the biennial renewal fee for restricted volunteer license under this section*  
31 *shall be no more than one-half the renewal fee for an inactive license in the same branch of the healing*  
32 *arts.*33 **2. That the Board of Medicine shall promulgate regulations to implement provisions of this act**  
34 **within 280 days of its enactment.**

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