

Senate Bill 280

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CHAPTER 168

AN ACT to amend 146.30 (8) (a) and (b) of the statutes, relating to the composition of the advisory committee on nursing home licensing and regulation.

The people of the state of Wisconsin, represented in senate and assembly, do enact as follows:

SECTION 1. 146.30 (8) (a) and (b) of the statutes are amended to read:

146.30 (8) (a) The board shall appoint an advisory committee to advise and consult in the establishment and review of minimum standards and rules ~~and regulations~~ for carrying out this section. The committee shall consist of the state health officer and the director of ~~the department of public welfare~~, or their designated representatives, and ~~7 10~~ additional members, residents of the state, and shall include ~~4~~ persons of recognized ability *in nursing home administration selected to represent the various types of nursing homes* and ~~6~~ persons of recognized ability in the fields of hospital administration, ~~nursing home operation~~, medicine, nursing, social services, and persons with broad civic interests representing the general public.

(b) Of the ~~7 10~~ appointed members, ~~3~~ all shall be appointed ~~initially~~ for terms of ~~one year, 2 for 2 years and 2 for 3 years~~, and their successors shall be appointed for terms of 3 years each, except when appointed to complete an unexpired term. Members whose terms expire shall hold office until the appointment and qualification of their successors. The state health officer, or his representative, shall serve as chairman or secretary of the committee, as the members may choose, and all other officers shall be elected annually.

SECTION 2. This bill is declared to be an emergency bill, recommended by the joint committee on finance, in accordance with the requirements of section 16.47 (2) of the statutes.

Approved July 30, 1965.