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AN ACT to amend the education law, in relation to statements of special-
ty by a physician

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK, REPRESENTED IN SENATE AND ASSEM-
BLY, DO ENACT AS FOLLOWS:

1 Section 1. Section 6527 of the education law is amended by adding a
2 new subdivision 8 to read as follows:
3 8. A LICENSED PHYSICIAN MAY INCLUDE A STATEMENT THAT HE OR SHE LIMITS
4 HIS OR HER PRACTICE TO SPECIFIC FIELDS, BUT MAY ONLY INCLUDE A STATEMENT
5 THAT HE OR SHE IS CERTIFIED OR ELIGIBLE FOR CERTIFICATION BY A PRIVATE
6 OR PUBLIC BOARD OR PARENT ASSOCIATION IF THAT BOARD OR ASSOCIATION IS AN
7 AMERICAN BOARD OF MEDICAL SPECIALTIES MEMBER BOARD OR A MEMBER BOARD OF
8 THE AMERICAN OSTEOPATHIC ASSOCIATION, A BOARD OR ASSOCIATION WITH EQUIV-
9 ALENT REQUIREMENTS APPROVED BY THAT PHYSICIAN AND SURGEON'S LICENSING
10 BOARD, OR A BOARD OR ASSOCIATION WITH AN ACCREDITATION COUNCIL FOR GRAD-
11 UATE MEDICAL EDUCATION APPROVED POSTGRADUATE TRAINING PROGRAM THAT
12 PROVIDES COMPLETE TRAINING IN THAT SPECIALTY OR SUBSPECIALTY.
13 S 2. This act shall take effect on the sixtieth day after it shall
14 have become a law.

EXPLANATION--Matter in ITALICS (underscored) is new; matter in brackets
[] is old law to be omitted.

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