

# STATE OF NEW YORK

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2023-2024 Regular Sessions

## IN SENATE

January 10, 2023

Introduced by Sen. ORTT -- read twice and ordered printed, and when printed to be committed to the Committee on Higher Education

AN ACT to amend the education law, in relation to adopting the interstate nurse licensure compact (Part A); and to amend the education law, in relation to adopting the advanced practice registered nurse compact (Part B)

The People of the State of New York, represented in Senate and Assembly, do enact as follows:

1 Section 1. This act enacts into law components of legislation relating  
2 to enacting the interstate nurse licensure compact and the advanced  
3 practice registered nurse compact. Each component is wholly contained  
4 within a Part identified as Parts A through B. The effective date for  
5 each particular provision contained within such Part is set forth in the  
6 last section of such Part. Any provision in any section contained within  
7 a Part, including the effective date of the Part, which makes reference  
8 to a section "of this act", when used in connection with that particular  
9 component, shall be deemed to mean and refer to the corresponding  
10 section of the Part in which it is found. Section three of this act sets  
11 forth the general effective date of this act.

12 PART A

13 Section 1. The education law is amended by adding a new section 6912  
14 to read as follows:

15 § 6912. Interstate nurse licensure compact. Notwithstanding any law to  
16 the contrary, the interstate nurse licensure compact, which was approved  
17 by a special delegate assembly of the national council of state boards  
18 of nursing on May fourth, two thousand fifteen, is hereby enacted into  
19 law and entered into with all jurisdictions legally joining therein.

20 § 2. This act shall take effect on the ninetieth day after it shall  
21 have become a law. Effective immediately, the addition, amendment

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

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1 and/or repeal of any rule or regulation necessary for the implementation  
2 of this act on its effective date are authorized to be made and  
3 completed on or before such effective date.

4 PART B

5 Section 1. The education law is amended by adding a new section 6913  
6 to read as follows:

7 § 6913. Advanced practice registered nurse compact. Notwithstanding  
8 any law to the contrary, the advanced practice registered nurse compact,  
9 which was adopted by the national council of state boards of nursing  
10 delegate assembly on August twelfth, two thousand twenty, is hereby  
11 enacted into law and entered into with all jurisdictions legally joining  
12 therein.

13 § 2. This act shall take effect on the ninetieth day after it shall  
14 have become a law. Effective immediately, the addition, amendment  
15 and/or repeal of any rule or regulation necessary for the implementation  
16 of this act on its effective date are authorized to be made and  
17 completed on or before such effective date.

18 § 2. Severability clause. If any clause, sentence, paragraph, subdivi-  
19 sion, section or part of this act shall be adjudged by any court of  
20 competent jurisdiction to be invalid, such judgment shall not affect,  
21 impair, or invalidate the remainder thereof, but shall be confined in  
22 its operation to the clause, sentence, paragraph, subdivision, section  
23 or part thereof directly involved in the controversy in which such judg-  
24 ment shall have been rendered. It is hereby declared to be the intent of  
25 the legislature that this act would have been enacted even if such  
26 invalid provisions had not been included herein.

27 § 3. This act shall take effect immediately; provided, however, that  
28 the applicable effective date of Parts A through B of this act shall be  
29 as specifically set forth in the last section of such Parts.