



HB0139

Denturist practice act.

Sponsored By: Representative(s) Winter

AN ACT relating to professions and occupations; amending dentists and dental hygienists licensing statutes to include denturists; authorizing a denturist to be added to the board of dental examiners as specified; specifying that this act does not apply to denturistry students performing denturistry as part of their curriculum; specifying that denturists shall only perform dental laboratory work at the direction of a dentist; requiring denturists and dental laboratory technicians to complete work for a dentist pursuant to a written prescription as specified; requiring dentists and denturists to engage the services of persons outside their office with a written work authorization; specifying that denturists in certain occupations are exempt from the act; specifying that denturists may perform services for patients if trained to do so in an accredited denturistry school and under the supervision of a dentist; amending requirements relating to permissible supervised work by specified persons; requiring dental hygienists to be graduates of a board approved program in order to practice; amending definitions; providing definitions; amending other laws relating to dentists and dental hygienists to include denturists as specified; providing an appropriation; and providing for effective dates.

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**ROLL CALL**

**Ayes:** Representative(s) Allemand, Allred, Andrew, Banks, Bear, Brown, Byron, Davis, Eklund, Haroldson, Heiner, Hornok, Jennings, Knapp, Locke, Neiman, Newsome, Ottman, Pendergraft, Penn, Rodriguez-Williams, Singh, Slagle, Smith, Strock, Styvar, Tarver, Trujillo, Ward, Winter, Zwonitzer, Dan

**Nays:** Representative(s) Berger, Burkhart, Jr, Chadwick, Chestek, Clouston, Conrad, Crago, Harshman, Henderson, Larsen, Lloyd, Larson, Jt, Lawley, Nicholas, Niemiec, Northrup, Oakley, Obermueller, O'hearn, Olsen, Provenza, Sherwood, Speaker Sommers, Stith, Storer, Walters, Washut, Western, Wylie, Yin, Zwonitzer, Dave

**Excused:** Representative Angelos

**Ayes** 31      **Nays** 30      **Excused** 1      **Absent** 0      **Conflicts** 0