

Amendment No.

COMMITTEE/SUBCOMMITTEE ACTION

ADOPTED	<u> </u>	(Y/N)
ADOPTED AS AMENDED	<u> </u>	(Y/N)
ADOPTED W/O OBJECTION	<u> </u>	(Y/N)
FAILED TO ADOPT	<u> </u>	(Y/N)
WITHDRAWN	<u> </u>	(Y/N)
OTHER	<u> </u>	

1 Committee/Subcommittee hearing bill: Health Quality
 2 Subcommittee

3 Representative Mercado offered the following:

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5 **Amendment**

6 Remove lines 127-145 and insert:

7 include all the coursework required under subparagraph (b) ~~sub-~~
 8 ~~subparagraphs (b)1.a.-c.~~, credit for the post-master's level
 9 clinical experience shall not commence until the applicant has
 10 completed a minimum of 10 of the courses required under
 11 subparagraph (b) ~~sub-subparagraphs (b)1.a.-c.~~, as determined by
 12 the board, and at least 6 semester hours or 9 quarter hours of
 13 the course credits must have been completed in the area of
 14 marriage and family systems, theories, or techniques. Within the
 15 2 ~~3~~ years of required experience, the applicant shall provide
 16 direct individual, group, or family therapy and counseling, to

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17 | include the following categories of cases: unmarried dyads,
18 | married couples, separating and divorcing couples, and family
19 | groups including children. A doctoral internship may be applied
20 | toward the clinical experience requirement. A licensed mental
21 | health professional must be on the premises when clinical
22 | services are provided by a registered intern in a private
23 | practice setting.

24 | (d) Has passed a theory and practice examination
25 | designated ~~provided~~ by the board ~~department~~ for this purpose.
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