

1 A bill to be entitled
 2 An act relating to reciprocity for the medical use of
 3 marijuana; providing that a qualified patient
 4 identification card or caregiver identification card,
 5 or its equivalent, issued by another state, United
 6 States territory, or the District of Columbia, has the
 7 same force and effect as a medical marijuana use
 8 registry identification card issued by the Department
 9 of Health; providing an effective date.

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 11 Be It Enacted by the Legislature of the State of Florida:

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 13 Section 1. Reciprocity for nonresident qualified patients
 14 and caregivers.—Notwithstanding any law to the contrary, a
 15 qualified patient identification card or caregiver
 16 identification card, or its equivalent, issued under the laws of
 17 another state, any United States territory, or the District of
 18 Columbia, to receive marijuana or a marijuana delivery device
 19 for a medical use by a patient with a qualifying medical
 20 condition, or to permit a person to assist with the medical use
 21 of marijuana by a patient with a qualifying medical condition,
 22 shall have the same force and effect as a medical marijuana use
 23 registry identification card issued by the Department of Health
 24 pursuant to s. 381.986, Florida Statutes.

25 Section 2. This act shall take effect July 1, 2019.