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Amendment Form

Subtitle of House Bill No. 1747

TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING RURAL MEDICAL PRACTICE STUDENT LOANS AND
SCHOLARSHIPS; AND TO AMEND THE LAW TO INCLUDE STUDENTS ENROLLED IN ADDITIONAL
MEDICAL PROGRAMS AS ELIGIBLE FOR RECEIPT OF RURAL MEDICAL PRACTICE LOANS.

Amendment No. 1 to House Bill 1747

Amend House Bill No. 1747 as originally introduced:

Page 1, line 34, delete "~~Rural~~ Medically Underserved Population" and substitute "Rural"

AND

Page 2, line 23, delete "~~Rural~~ Medically Underserved Population" and substitute "Rural"

AND

Page 2, line 24, delete "~~rural~~ medically" and substitute "rural"

AND

Page 2, line 25, delete "underserved population"

AND

Page 2, line 25, delete "~~rural~~" and substitute "rural"

AND

Page 2, line 26, delete "medically underserved population"

AND

Page 3, line 8, delete "~~and~~" and substitute "and"

AND



Page 3, line 9, delete "~~rural practice~~" and substitute "rural practice"

AND

Page 3, delete lines 14 and 15, and substitute the following:

"(5) The applicant desires to practice ~~medicine~~ in an eligible qualified rural community; and"

AND

Page 3, line 18, delete "~~rural medically~~" and substitute "rural"

AND

Page 3, line 19, delete "underserved population"

AND

Page 3, line 23, delete "~~rural medically~~" and substitute "rural"

AND

Page 3, line 24, delete "underserved population"

AND

Page 3, line 30, delete "~~and rural practice~~" and substitute "and rural practice"

AND

Page 4, delete lines 5 through 7, and substitute the following:

"(c) Each applicant to whom a rural medical practice loan or loans is granted by the Arkansas Rural Medical Practice Student Loan and Scholarship Board"

AND

Page 4, delete line 10, and substitute the following:

"(1)(A) The recipient of a rural"

AND

Page 4, line 12, delete "~~qualified rural community with~~" and substitute "qualified rural community"

AND

Page 4, line 13, delete "a medically underserved population"

AND

Page 4, line 23, delete "~~Rural~~ Medically Underserved Population" and substitute "Rural"

AND

Page 4, delete line 25, and substitute the following:
"rural community; or"

AND

Page 4, line 26, delete "~~rural~~" and substitute "rural"

AND

Page 4, line 27, delete "medically underserved population"

AND

Page 4, line 27, delete "~~Rural~~" and substitute "Rural"

AND

Page 4, line 28, delete "Medically Underserved Population"

AND

Page 4, delete lines 30 through 36, and substitute the following:
"than one (1) qualified rural community to meet his or her obligation to practice full time if the Arkansas Rural Medical Practice Student Loan and Scholarship Board determines, based upon guidelines established by the Arkansas Rural Medical Practice Student Loan and Scholarship Board, that the physician need in the rural communities cannot sustain a full-time medical"

AND

Page 5, delete lines 6 and 7, and substitute the following:
"(B) The recipient of a rural medical practice loan or loans shall bindingly contract that for"

AND

Page 5, line 14, delete "~~Rural~~ Medically Underserved Population" and substitute "Rural"

AND

Page 5, delete line 17, and substitute the following:
"(2)(A) The recipient of a rural"

AND

Page 5, delete lines 32, and substitute the following:
"in a rural area but has not"

AND

Page 6, line 2, delete "~~rural~~ medically underserved population" and substitute "rural"

AND

Page 6, delete line 4, and substitute the following:
"rural community and that breach of"

AND

Page 6, delete lines 7 and 8, and substitute the following:
"(4)(A) In the event that a rural medical practice loan recipient under this subchapter does not"

AND

Page 6, line 23, delete "~~and rural practice~~ curriculum" and substitute "and rural practice curriculum"

AND

Page 6, delete lines 35 and 36, and substitute the following:
"practice ~~of medicine~~ while residing in a qualified rural community in Arkansas as defined in § 6-81-701."

AND

Page 7, delete lines 1 and 2, and substitute the following:
"(b) However, the Arkansas Rural Medical Practice Student Loan and Scholarship Board"

AND

Page 7, delete lines 8 and 9, and substitute the following:
"years of medical education that includes practice experience in a rural community; or"

AND

Page 7, delete lines 29 through 32, and substitute the following:
"(6) This subsection shall not prohibit the Arkansas Rural Medical Practice Student Loan and Scholarship Board from considering and entering into a negotiated settlement with the rural medical practice loan"

The Amendment was read _____
By: Representative McAlindon
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