
A BILL FOR AN ACT

RELATING TO SPEECH PATHOLOGY.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF HAWAII:

1 SECTION 1. Chapter 468E, Hawaii Revised Statutes, is
2 amended by adding a new section to be appropriately designated
3 and to read as follows:

4 "§468E- Provisional license. (a) The board shall
5 grant, upon application and payment of proper fees, provisional
6 licensure to an individual who:

7 (1) Possesses at a minimum a master's degree in the area
8 of speech pathology from an educational institution
9 recognized by the board; and

10 (2) Engages in clinical or academic practice under the
11 supervision of a licensed speech pathologist during
12 the period of time needed to fulfill the necessary
13 requirements for licensure as a speech pathologist
14 pursuant to section 468E-5; provided that the licensed
15 speech pathologist possesses an American Speech-
16 Language-Hearing Association certificate of clinical
17 competence and is in good standing with the board.



1 (b) Each provisional license shall include the name and
2 title of the licensed speech pathologist described in subsection
3 (a)(2). A provisional licensee may only practice speech
4 pathology under the supervision of the licensed speech
5 pathologist named on the provisional license.

6 (c) A provisional license issued pursuant to this section
7 shall be valid for one year from the date of issuance and may be
8 renewed for an additional one-year period if needed to fulfill
9 the requirements for licensure as a speech pathologist pursuant
10 to section 468E-5."

11 SECTION 2. New statutory material is underscored.

12 SECTION 3. This Act shall take effect on January 1, 2022.



Report Title:

Speech Pathology; Speech Pathologists; Licensure; Provisional License

Description:

Establishes a provisional license for speech pathologists.

Takes effect on 01/01/2022. (HB252 CD1)

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