**A** **BILL**

TO DELETE SECTION 40‑45‑110(A)(4) OF THE 1976 CODE, RELATING TO THE BOARD OF PHYSICAL THERAPY EXAMINERS REFUSING TO GRANT LICENSES OR SUSPENDING, REVOKING, OR OTHERWISE RESTRICTING LICENSES ON THE GROUNDS OF PROVIDING PHYSICAL THERAPY SERVICES BEYOND THIRTY DAYS AFTER AN INITIAL EVALUATION OR TREATMENT DATE WITHOUT REFERRAL OF THE PATIENT TO A LICENSED MEDICAL DOCTOR OR DENTIST UNLESS INITIAL EVALUATION AND TREATMENT WAS MADE FROM A REFERRAL FROM A MEDICAL DOCTOR OR DENTIST.

Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of South Carolina:

SECTION 1. Section 40‑45‑110(A)(4) of the 1976 Code is deleted.

SECTION 2. This act takes effect upon approval by the Governor.

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