

GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF NORTH CAROLINA
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HOUSE BILL 194

Short Title: Allow PAVE Certification/Veterinary License. (Public)

Sponsors: Representatives Whitmire, Moffitt, Setzer, and L. Bell (Primary Sponsors).

For a complete list of Sponsors, refer to the North Carolina General Assembly Web Site.

Referred to: Regulatory Reform, if favorable, Commerce and Job Development.

March 5, 2013

A BILL TO BE ENTITLED

AN ACT ALLOWING THE NORTH CAROLINA VETERINARY BOARD TO ACCEPT
PROGRAM FOR THE ASSESSMENT OF VETERINARY EDUCATION
EQUIVALENCE (PAVE) CERTIFICATION TO MEET LICENSURE
REQUIREMENTS.

The General Assembly of North Carolina enacts:

SECTION 1. G.S. 90-187(c) reads as rewritten:

"(c) An application from a graduate of a ~~nonaccredited college of veterinary medicine~~
~~outside the United States and Canada~~program not accredited by the American Veterinary
Medical Association may not be considered by the Board until the applicant furnishes
satisfactory proof of graduation from a college of veterinary medicine and of successful
completion of ~~the a~~ certification program developed and administered ~~by~~by (i) the Educational
Commission for Foreign Veterinary Graduates of the American Veterinary Medical ~~which~~
~~Association,~~Association or (ii) the Program for the Assessment of Veterinary Education
Equivalence (PAVE) of the American Association of Veterinary State Boards. The certification
~~program~~programs shall include examinations with respect to clinical proficiency and
comprehension of and ability to communicate in the English language."

SECTION 2. This act is effective when it becomes law.

