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98TH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

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ADRIANE D. CROUSE, Secretary.

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AN ACT

To amend chapter 334, RSMo, by adding thereto one new section relating to the registration of radiology technologists.

Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Missouri, as follows:

Section A. Chapter 334, RSMo, is amended by adding thereto one new section, to be known as section 334.980, to read as follows:

334.980. 1. As used in this section, the following terms shall mean:

(1) "Advanced radiology practitioner", a radiologist assistant certified by the American Registry of Radiologic Technologists or a nuclear medicine advanced associate certified by the Nuclear Medicine Technology Certification Board who has specific qualifications, certifications, and responsibilities as recognized by the state board of registration for the healing arts and who has been licensed to perform certain functions under the supervision of a certified radiation practitioner;

(2) "Certified radiation practitioner", a person licensed to practice medicine, dentistry, podiatry, chiropractic, osteopathy, or optometry in this state;

(3) "Radiologic technologist", a radiographer, radiation therapist, nuclear medicine technologist, or magnetic resonance technologist certified by the American Registry of Radiologic Technologists or a nuclear medicine technologist certified by the Nuclear Medicine Technology Certification Board who has specific qualifications, certifications, and responsibilities as recognized by the state board of registration for the healing arts and who has been licensed to perform certain functions under the supervision of a certified radiation

22 practitioner.

23 2. No person shall hold himself or herself out as an advanced
24 radiology practitioner or radiologic technologist or perform imaging or
25 treatment using ionizing radiation or magnetic resonance unless such
26 person has been licensed by the state board of registration for the
27 healing arts within the division of professional registration as an
28 advanced radiology practitioner or a radiologic technologist.

29 3. The board of registration for the healing arts may promulgate
30 rules and regulations for the administration of this section. Any rule
31 or portion of a rule, as that term is defined in section 536.010, that is
32 created under the authority delegated in this section shall become
33 effective only if it complies with and is subject to all of the provisions
34 of chapter 536 and, if applicable, section 536.028. This section and
35 chapter 536 are nonseverable and if any of the powers vested with the
36 general assembly under chapter 536 to review, to delay the effective
37 date, or to disapprove and annul a rule are subsequently held
38 unconstitutional, then the grant of rulemaking authority and any rule
39 proposed or adopted after August 28, 2015, shall be invalid and void.

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