ACT 45, SLH 2014 (SB 2492, SD1)

Effective April 23, 2014

HRS	Description
246-31	Department of Taxation – Allows an APRN to certify a person's disability in order to be exempt from real property taxes on all real property owned by the person up to, but not exceeding, a taxable value of \$15,000.
286-107	Examiner of Drivers – Allows an APRN to certify that a person was examined by the APRN not more than 6 months prior to the expiration date of the person's license and that the person was found by the examination to have met the physical requirements established by the State Director of Transportation for the renewal of licenses by mail if they are unable to appear in person.
291-11.6	Allows an APRN to certify a person has a "condition" that prevents him/her appropriate restraint by the seat belt assembly, stating that the nature of the condition, as well as the reason the restraint is inappropriate.
291-51	Allows an APRN to issue a medical statement verifying that a person is disabled, limited, or impaired in the ability to walk. HRS §291-51.4 includes an APRN, who fraudulently verifies that a person is disabled, is guilty of a petty misdemeanor.
302A-1156	Allows an APRN to certify that the physical condition of a child is such that immunizations would endanger the child's life or health.
325-34	Allows an APRN to certify that because of a stated cause, the health of the person would be endangered by the vaccination or immunization.
347-13	Allows and APRN to sign a statement attesting to a person's need to use a life jacket or other floatation device in a public swimming pool.
431:10H-217	Allows an APRN to certify a certain level of functional dependency of a person in order for the person to be eligible for benefits.
431:13-103	The following are defined as unfair methods of competition and unfair or deceptive acts or practices I the business of insurance(N)Delaying the investigation or payment of claims by requiring an insured, claimant, or the physician or APRN of either to submit a preliminary claim report and then requiring the subsequent submission of formal proof of loss forms, both of which submissions contain substantially the same information;
432E-36	 Allows an APRN to certify, in writing: that the health care service or treatment that is the subject of the request would be significantly less effective if not promptly initiated; treatment has not been effective; treatments are not medically appropriate; or that there is no available standard treatment covered by the health carrier that is more beneficial.
435E-41	The following are unfair methods of competition and deceptive acts or practices with respect to cooperative corporations or interindemnity arrangements under this chapter:(K) Delaying the investigation or payment of claims by requiring a claimant, or the claimant's physician or APRN, to submit a preliminary claim report, and then requiring the subsequent submission of formal proof of loss forms, both of which submissions contain substantially the same information.

457-8.8	Removes the prohibition under the APRN Global Signature Authority that APRNs may not certify disability that may be used to obtain parking privileges for disabled persons.
612-4	Allows an APRN to certify a person is incapable of rendering satisfactory jury service.