

ASSEMBLY BILL NO. 330—ASSEMBLYMAN ELLISON

MARCH 17, 2021

Referred to Committee on Commerce and Labor

SUMMARY—Establishes provisions governing occupational training and licensing. (BDR 54-759)

FISCAL NOTE: Effect on Local Government: No.  
Effect on the State: No.

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EXPLANATION – Matter in *bolded italics* is new; matter between brackets ~~omitted material~~ is material to be omitted.

AN ACT relating to professions; providing for equivalent credit towards requirements for professional and occupational licenses and certifications for certain occupational, vocational and technical training; and providing other matters properly relating thereto.

**Legislative Counsel’s Digest:**

1 This bill provides that persons who complete certain training programs for  
2 occupational, vocational, career, trade or technical education and receive  
3 certificates for the completion of such programs shall be eligible to receive  
4 equivalent credit towards related professional and occupational licenses and  
5 certifications. This bill also: (1) provides for the appeal of a denial of equivalent  
6 credit; and (2) requires each state agency, board or commission which has the  
7 authority to regulate an occupation or profession, in coordination with the State  
8 Board of Education, to adopt regulations to effectuate the purposes of these  
9 provisions.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEVADA, REPRESENTED IN  
SENATE AND ASSEMBLY, DO ENACT AS FOLLOWS:

1 **Section 1.** Chapter 622 of NRS is hereby amended by adding  
2 thereto a new section to read as follows:

3 *1. A person who, in secondary or postsecondary education,*  
4 *completes a training program for occupational, vocational, career,*  
5 *trade or technical education approved by the State Board of*  
6 *Education and receives a certificate for the completion of that*  
7 *program is eligible to receive equivalent credit towards the*  
8 *satisfaction of requirements for the issuance of any professional*



1 *and occupational licenses and certifications relating to the*  
2 *training received.*

3 *2. For a person to be eligible to receive equivalent credit*  
4 *pursuant to subsection 1, the secondary or postsecondary*  
5 *education received by the person pursuant to title 34 of NRS must*  
6 *be consistent with the requirements for the issuance of*  
7 *professional or occupational licenses and certifications established*  
8 *pursuant to the provisions of title 54 of NRS and the regulations*  
9 *adopted pursuant thereto.*

10 *3. Any person aggrieved by a decision of a regulatory body*  
11 *concerning eligibility for equivalent credit pursuant to this section*  
12 *may appeal to the regulatory body for a determination whether the*  
13 *training satisfies the requirements for professional or*  
14 *occupational licensure or certification, as applicable. An appeal*  
15 *made pursuant to this subsection must be conducted as provided*  
16 *for the appeal of the denial of a professional or occupational*  
17 *license or certificate by that regulatory body.*

18 *4. Each regulatory body, in coordination with the State Board*  
19 *of Education, shall adopt regulations to effectuate the purposes of*  
20 *this section.*

