

2016 Regular Session

SENATE BILL NO. 208

BY SENATOR COLOMB

CHIROPRACTORS. Provides for the practice of chiropractic. (gov sig)

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 37:2801(3)(a), relative to the practice of chiropractic; to provide for definitions; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

Be it enacted by the Legislature of Louisiana:

Section 1. R.S. 37:2801(3)(a) is hereby amended and reenacted to read as follows:

§2801. Definitions

As used in this Chapter:

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(3)(a) "Practice of chiropractic" means holding one's self out to the public as a chiropractor and as being engaged in the business of, or the actual engagement in, ~~the diagnosing of conditions~~ **examining, evaluating, and diagnosing patients for the purpose of determining neuromusculoskeletal conditions** associated with the functional integrity of the spine **or its extremities or both** and treating by adjustment, manipulation, and the use of the physical and other properties of heat, light, water, electricity, sound, massage, therapeutic exercise, mobilization, mechanical devices, and other physical rehabilitation measures for the purpose of correcting interference with normal nerve transmission and expression, **to restore**

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The original instrument and the following digest, which constitutes no part of the legislative instrument, were prepared by Christine Arbo Peck.

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(Amends R.S. 37:2801(3)(a))