

Amend CSSB 317 (senate committee printing) as follows:

(1) In SECTION 1.04 of the bill, strike added Section 452.059(b), Occupations Code (page 2, line 53, through page 3, line 5), and substitute the following:

(b) The training program required under this section must provide the person with information regarding:

(1) the law governing the operations of the executive council, physical therapy board, and occupational therapy board;

(2) the programs, functions, rules, and budgets of the executive council, physical therapy board, and occupational therapy board;

(3) the scope of and limitations on the rulemaking authority of the executive council, physical therapy board, and occupational therapy board;

(4) the types of executive council, physical therapy board, and occupational therapy board rules, interpretations, and enforcement actions that may implicate federal antitrust law by limiting competition or impacting prices charged by persons engaged in a profession or business regulated by the executive council, physical therapy board, or occupational therapy board, including rules, interpretations, and enforcement actions that:

(A) regulate the scope of practice of persons engaged in a profession or business regulated by the executive council, physical therapy board, or occupational therapy board;

(B) restrict advertising by persons engaged in a profession or business regulated by the executive council, physical therapy board, or occupational therapy board;

(C) affect the price of goods or services provided by persons engaged in a profession or business regulated by the executive council, physical therapy board, or occupational therapy board; or

(D) restrict participation in a profession or business regulated by the executive council, physical therapy board, or occupational therapy board;

(5) the results of the most recent formal audit of the executive council, physical therapy board, and occupational therapy board;

(6) the requirements of:

(A) laws relating to open meetings, public information, administrative procedure, and disclosure of conflicts of interest; and

(B) other laws applicable to members of the executive council, physical therapy board, and occupational therapy board in performing their duties; and

(7) any applicable ethics policies adopted by the executive council or the Texas Ethics Commission.

(2) In SECTION 2.05 of the bill, strike amended Section 453.060(b), Occupations Code (page 5, lines 19-43), and substitute the following:

(b) The ~~[A]~~ training program must ~~[shall]~~ provide the person with information ~~[to a participant]~~ regarding:

(1) the law governing board and executive council operations ~~[this chapter]~~;

(2) the programs, functions, rules, and budgets of ~~[operated by]~~ the board and executive council;

(3) the scope of and limitations on the rulemaking authority ~~[the role and functions]~~ of the board and executive council;

(4) the types of board and executive council rules, interpretations, and enforcement actions that may implicate federal antitrust law by limiting competition or impacting prices charged by persons engaged in a profession or business regulated by the board, including rules, interpretations, and enforcement actions that:

(A) regulate the scope of practice of persons engaged in a profession or business regulated by the board;

(B) restrict advertising by persons engaged in a profession or business regulated by the board;

(C) affect the price of goods or services provided by persons engaged in a profession or business regulated by the board; or

(D) restrict participation in a profession or business regulated by the board ~~[the rules of the board, with an emphasis on the rules that relate to disciplinary and investigatory~~

~~authority~~];

(5) ~~[the current budget for the board,~~

~~[(6)]~~ the results of the most recent formal audit of the board and executive council;

(6) ~~[(7)]~~ the requirements of:

(A) laws relating to open meetings, public information, administrative procedure, and disclosure of conflicts ~~[Chapters 551, 552, 2001, and 2002, Government Code,~~

~~[(8) the requirements of the conflict]~~ of interest; and

(B) ~~[laws and]~~ other laws applicable to members of the board in performing their duties ~~[relating to public officials]~~; and

(7) ~~[(9)]~~ any applicable ethics policies adopted by the board or the Texas Ethics Commission.

(3) In SECTION 4.06 of the bill, strike amended Section 454.059(b), Occupations Code (page 25, lines 32-55), and substitute the following:

(b) The training program must ~~[shall]~~ provide the person with information ~~[to a participant]~~ regarding:

(1) the law governing board and executive council operations ~~[this chapter]~~;

(2) the programs, functions, rules, and budgets of ~~[operated by]~~ the board and executive council;

(3) the scope of and limitations on the rulemaking authority ~~[role and functions]~~ of the board and executive council;

(4) the types of board and executive council rules, interpretations, and enforcement actions that may implicate federal antitrust law by limiting competition or impacting prices charged by persons engaged in a profession or business regulated by the board, including rules, interpretations, and enforcement actions that:

(A) regulate the scope of practice of persons engaged in a profession or business regulated by the board;

(B) restrict advertising by persons engaged in a profession or business regulated by the board;

(C) affect the price of goods or services

provided by persons engaged in a profession or business regulated by the board; or

(D) restrict participation in a profession or business regulated by the board ~~[the rules of the board, with an emphasis on the rules that relate to disciplinary and investigatory authority];~~

(5) ~~[the current budget for the board,~~

~~[(6)]~~ the results of the most recent formal audit of the board and executive council;

(6) ~~[(7)]~~ the requirements of:

(A) laws relating to open meetings, public information, administrative procedure, and disclosure of conflicts of interest; and

(B) other laws applicable to members of the board in performing their duties ~~[Chapters 551, 552, 2001, and 2002, Government Code,~~

~~[(8) the requirements of the conflict of interest laws and other laws relating to public officials]; and~~

(7) ~~[(9)]~~ any applicable ethics policies adopted by the board or the Texas Ethics Commission.