

**WITHDRAWN**

1 Senators Staton of the 18th and Thomas of the 54th offered the following amendment:

2 Amend the Senate Health and Human Services Committee substitute to HB 608 by inserting  
 3 after "Medical Examiners;" on line 5 on page 1 "to amend Code Section 43-34-47 of the  
 4 Official Code of Georgia Annotated, relating to temporary postgraduate training permits, so  
 5 as to provide for a temporary training permit for certain individuals who engaged in certain  
 6 subspecialty training;" .

7 By inserting after line 10 on page 2 the following:

8 **"SECTION 2.**

9 Code Section 43-34-47 of the Official Code of Georgia Annotated, relating to temporary  
 10 postgraduate training permits, is amended by striking subparagraph (b)(1)(A) and inserting  
 11 in lieu thereof a new subparagraph (b)(1)(A) to read as follows:

12 '(A) Evidence satisfactory to the board that the applicant has been accepted or  
 13 appointed to participate at a training institution in this state in one of the following:

14 (i) An internship or residency program accredited by either the Accreditation  
 15 Council for Graduate Medical Education or the American Osteopathic Association;

16 **or**

17 (ii) A clinical fellowship program at an institution with a residency program  
 18 accredited either by the Accreditation Council for Graduate Medical Education or  
 19 the American Osteopathic Association that is in a clinical field the same as or  
 20 related to the clinical field of the fellowship program; or

21 (iii) Additional subspecialty training outside an accredited residency or fellowship,  
 22 provided that such training is sponsored under the auspices of an institution's  
 23 graduate medical education committee by an institution that has one or more  
 24 approved residency or fellowship programs;"

25 By redesignating Sections 2, 3, 4, and 5 as Sections 3, 4, 5, and 6, respectively.

26 By striking "Sections 2 and 3" on line 5 on page 3, on line 8 on page 3, on line 11 on page  
 27 3, and on line 15 on page 3 and inserting in lieu thereof "Sections 3 and 4".