

1 evidence collection not later than:

2 (1) September 1, 2008; or

3 (2) the second anniversary of the initial issuance of
4 a license under this chapter to the license holder.

5 (b) The continuing education required under Subsection (a)
6 must be part of a program approved under Section 301.303(c).

7 (c) The board shall adopt rules to identify the license
8 holders who are required to complete continuing education under
9 Subsection (a) and to establish the content of that continuing
10 education. The board may adopt other rules to implement this
11 section, including rules under Section 301.303(c) for the approval
12 of education programs and providers.

13 SECTION 3. Not later than June 1, 2006, the Texas State
14 Board of Medical Examiners shall adopt the rules required by
15 Section 156.057, Occupations Code, as added by this Act.

16 SECTION 4. Not later than January 1, 2006, the Board of
17 Nurse Examiners shall adopt the rules required by Section 301.306,
18 Occupations Code, as added by this Act.

19 SECTION 5. This Act takes effect September 1, 2005.

David Newkumst

President of the Senate

Jim Cradick

Speaker of the House

I hereby certify that S.B. No. 39 passed the Senate on April 26, 2005, by the following vote: Yeas 27, Nays 0; and that the Senate concurred in House amendment on May 29, 2005, by the following vote: Yeas 31, Nays 0.

Ratsy Spaw
Secretary of the Senate

I hereby certify that S.B. No. 39 passed the House, with amendment, on May 25, 2005, by a non-record vote.

Robert Haney
Chief Clerk of the House

Approved:

17 JUNE '05

Date

Rick Perry
Governor

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