
Chapter 415. AN ACT RELATIVE TO MEDICAL PEER REVIEW COMMITTEES.

Be it enacted, etc., as follows:

SECTION 1. Section 1 of chapter 111 of the General Laws, as appearing in the 1992 Official Edition, is hereby amended by inserting after the word "otherwise", in line 52, the following words:- ; provided, however, that for purposes of sections two hundred and three and two hundred and four, a nonprofit corporation, the sole voting member of which is a professional society having as members persons who are licensed to practice medicine, shall be considered a medical peer review committee; provided, further, that its primary purpose is the evaluation and assistance of health care providers impaired or allegedly impaired by reason of alcohol, drugs, physical disability, mental instability or otherwise.

SECTION 2. Section 85N of chapter 231 of the General Laws, as so appearing, is hereby amended by inserting after the word "warranted", in line 9, the following words:- ; nor shall an individual be liable in a suit for damages as a result of acts, omissions or proceedings undertaken or performed within the scope of his duties to a nonprofit corporation, the sole voting member of which is a professional society having as members persons who are licensed to practice medicine; provided, however, that such individual acts in good faith and in the reasonable belief that based on all of the facts the action or inaction on his part was warranted.

Approved January 11, 1994.

Chapter 416. AN ACT FURTHER REGULATING THE TRANSFER OF CERTAIN ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES.

Be it enacted, etc., as follows:

Section 22 of chapter 138 of the General Laws, as appearing in the 1992 Official Edition, is hereby amended by striking out the second paragraph and inserting in place thereof the following paragraph:-

Licenses for the sale of alcoholic beverages or alcohol, as the case may be, may transport and deliver anywhere in the commonwealth alcoholic beverages or alcohol lawfully bought or sold by them, in vehicles owned or leased by them or their employees, if each vehicle used for such transportation and delivery is covered by a permit issued by the commission; provided, however, that vehicles owned or leased by holders of permits under section nineteen A may be used only for the transportation of samples or of no more than twenty-four gallons of alcoholic beverages or alcohol; provided, further, that the salesperson possesses the proper invoice and that a record of these deliveries is kept available by the wholesaler for commission inspection. The permit fee for each vehicle shall be thirty dollars.

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