## No. 1986-180

## AN ACT

## HB 2734

Amending the act of March 2, 1956 (1955 P.L.1211, No.376), entitled "An act providing for and regulating the licensing and practice of practical nursing; imposing duties on the State Board of Nurse Examiners; and imposing penalties," further providing for eligibility for nursing examinations.

The General Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania hereby enacts as follows:

Section 1. The act of March 2, 1956 (1955 P.L.1211, No.376), known as the Practical Nurse Law, is amended by adding a section to read:

Section 5.1. Restrictions on Examinations.—In establishing the education requirements for admittance to the nursing licensure examination under this act, the board shall not deny access to examination for licensure as a practical nurse to a graduate of a one-year State-approved practical nursing program.

Section 2. This act shall take effect immediately.

APPROVED—The 15th day of December, A. D. 1986.

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