## ASSEMBLY AMENDMENT 1, TO 2001 ASSEMBLY BILL 725

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At the locations indicated, amend the bill as follows:

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**1.** Page 6, line 2: delete lines 2 to 7 and substitute:

"(bm) The board shall promulgate rules establishing the minimum amount of malpractice liability insurance that is required for a person to practice nurse–midwifery, which shall be the same as the amount established by the board under s. 441.16 (3) (e).".

**2.** Page 6, line 7: after that line insert:

**"Section 12g.** 655.001 (7t) of the statutes is amended to read:

655.001 **(7t)** "Health care practitioner" means a health care professional, as defined in s. 180.1901 (1m), who is an employee of a health care provider described in s. 655.002 (1) (d), (e), or (f) and who has the authority to provide health care services that are not <u>in collaboration with a physician under s. 441.15 (2) (b) or under the direction and supervision of a physician or nurse anesthetist.</u>

1	<b>SECTION 12r.</b> 655.005 (2) (a) of the statutes is amended to read:
2	655.005 (2) (a) An employee of a health care provider if the employee is a
3	physician or a nurse anesthetist or is a health care practitioner who is <del>not</del> providing
4	health care services that are not in collaboration with a physician under s. 441.15 (2)
5	(b) or under the direction and supervision of a physician or nurse anesthetist.".
6	(END)