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**DEPT. OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES** 



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The Honorable Ben Hansen Health and Human Services Committee Nebraska Legislature P.O. Box 94604 Lincoln, NE 68509

Dear Chairman Hansen:

This letter is to address the question of how Registered Nurse (RN) licenses are regulated in other states.

Other states regulate RNs in an equivalent manner to Nebraska. The main differences would be unique state-based requirements such as continuing education or practice requirements that tend to differ between states. Nurse licensure guidance may be found at the following link: <a href="https://www.ncsbn.org/nursing-regulation/licensure/nurse-licensure-quidance.page">https://www.ncsbn.org/nursing-regulation/licensure/nurse-licensure-quidance.page</a>

Sincerely,

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