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Introduced by
Senators Leach: Barto, Borrelli, Boyer, Gowan, Kerr

AN ACT

AMENDING TITLE 1, ARIZONA REVISED STATUTES, BY ADDING CHAPTER 8; RELATING TO PRACTICES BY MEMBERS OF PROFESSIONS.

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1 Be it enacted by the Legislature of the State of Arizona:

2 Section 1. Title 1, Arizona Revised Statutes, is amended by adding
3 chapter 8, to read:

4 CHAPTER 8
5 PRACTICES BY MEMBERS OF PROFESSIONS
6 ARTICLE 1. GENERAL PROVISIONS

7 1-801. Therapy ban prohibition

8 A STATE OFFICE, AGENCY, POLITICAL SUBDIVISION OF THE STATE OR
9 LOCAL GOVERNMENT OR ANY ORGANIZATION WITH AUTHORITY TO LICENSE OR
10 DISCIPLINE THE MEMBERS OF A PROFESSION MAY NOT PROHIBIT, IMPOSE ANY
11 PENALTY OR TAKE ANY ADVERSE ACTION AGAINST ANY INDIVIDUAL WHO GIVES,
12 RECEIVES OR CONSENTS TO COUNSEL, ADVICE, GUIDANCE OR ANY OTHER SPEECH OR
13 COMMUNICATION, WHETHER DESCRIBED AS THERAPY OR NOT, WHETHER PROVIDED FOR A
14 FEE OR NOT AND THAT IS CONSISTENT WITH CONSCIENCE OR RELIGIOUS BELIEF.