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CERTIFICATION OF EMERGENCY RULES  
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Pursuant to Code of Alabama 1975, §§41-22-5(b) and 41-22-6(c)(2)a. and b.

I certify that the attached emergency rule is a correct copy as promulgated and adopted on the 20<sup>TH</sup> Day of December, 2016.

AGENCY NAME: Alabama Medical Licensure Commission

RULE NO. AND TITLE: 545-X-2-.08 ER - Expedited License

EFFECTIVE DATE OF RULE: January 3, 2017

EXPIRATION DATE (If less than 120 days): n/a

NATURE OF EMERGENCY: Adoption of an additional rule to allow for the issuance of expedited licenses as a member of the Interstate Medical Licensure Compact (Ala. Code § 34-24-530). (The Compact Commission adopted preliminary administrative rules in December 2016 with the expectation that the licensure process will go active on a date to be determined in January 2017.)

STATUTORY AUTHORITY: Ala. Code § 34-24-530

SUBJECT OF RULE TO BE ADOPTED ON PERMANENT BASIS

YES       NO

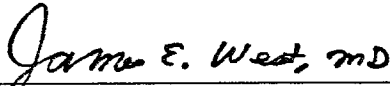
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**545-X-2-.08 ER - Expedited License**

(a.) Upon receipt of a letter of qualification as to a physician from a member state, and upon receipt of all allowed fees, the Medical Licensure Commission shall issue to such physician an expedited license.

(b.) An expedited license shall be valid for a period consistent with the licensure period in Alabama and in the same manner as required for other physicians holding a full and unrestricted license within this state.

(c.) An expedited license obtained through the Interstate Medical Licensure Compact shall be terminated if a physician fails to maintain a license in the state of principal licensure for a nondisciplinary reason, without redesignation of a new state of principal licensure.

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**Statutory Authority:** Ala. Code §34-24-530

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