

1 SENATE BILL NO. 94

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5 A BILL FOR AN ACT ENTITLED: "AN ACT PROVIDING SIGNATURE AUTHORITY TO ADVANCED PRACTICE
6 REGISTERED NURSES."

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8 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF MONTANA:

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10 NEW SECTION. **Section 1. Signature authority of advanced practice registered nurse.** (1) When
11 a provision of law or administrative rule requires a signature, certification, stamp, verification, affidavit, or
12 endorsement by a physician, the requirement may be fulfilled by an advanced practice registered nurse practicing
13 within the scope of the advance practice registered nurse's certification.

14 (2) This section may not be construed to expand the scope of practice of an advance practice registered
15 nurse.

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17 NEW SECTION. **Section 2. Codification instruction.** [Section 1] is intended to be codified as an
18 integral part of Title 37, chapter 8, part 4, and the provisions of Title 37, chapter 8, part 4, apply to [section 1].

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