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Bill Analysis

SB 569 authorizes a Certified Nurse Practitioner, Clinical Nurse Specialist, or Certified Nurse-Midwife who have completed 3 years of practice with prescriptive authority supervised by a physician to apply to the Oklahoma Board of Nursing for authority to prescribe and order independent of supervision. Such application must include proof the applicant has completed the required 3 years of practice and holds a valid license. Authority to prescribe shall remain in effect until the expiration of the license. The measure requires employers of Advanced Practice Registered Nurses (APRNs) to carry malpractice insurance in a minimum amount of \$1 million. The measure also requires the Oklahoma Board of Nursing to promulgate rules concerning advertising of health care services by APRNs and directs the physician licensure boards to post online a list of supervising physicians. Finally, the measure directs the Oklahoma Board of Nursing's Formulary Advisory Council to develop guidelines for best practices on supervision.

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