## Bill # 72 Timely Medical Certificates Act

## CHANGES RECOMMENDED TO THE LAW AMENDMENTS COMMITTEE

## PAGE 1, Clause 2 - delete and substitute the following:

2 Section 2 of Chapter 494 of the Revised Statutes, 1989, the *Vital Statistics Act*, as amended by Chapter 8 of the Acts of 1998, Chapter 29 of the Acts of 2000 and Chapter 31 of the Acts of 2001, is further amended by

(a) relettering clause (a) as clause (aa);

(b) adding immediately before clause (aa) the following clause:

(a) "advanced care paramedic" means a graduate of an advanced care paramedicine program approved by Emergency Health Services of Nova Scotia;

and

(c) adding immediately after clause (o) the following clause:

(oa) "nurse practitioner" means a nurse practitioner as defined in the *Registered Nurses Act*;

PAGE 1, subclause 3(1), proposed clause 17(3)(b), line 1 - add "or advanced care paramedic" immediately after "practitioner".

PAGE 1, paragraph 3(2)(a), line 1 - add ", an advanced care paramedic" immediately after "practitioner".

PAGE 2, Clause 4, proposed clause 51(1)(fb), line 2 - add ", an advanced care paramedic" immediately after "practitioner".