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**House Bill 4793 (As Introduced)**

**Topic:** Architect Licensure Examination  
**Sponsor:** Representative Byrum  
**Co-sponsors:** Representatives Byrum, Byrnes, Slezak, Walsh, Crawford, Horn, Wayne Schmidt, Calley, Denby, Meltzer, Knollenberg, Roy Schmidt, LeBlanc, Miller, Geiss, Bledsoe, Donigan, Bauer, Switalski, Lisa Brown, Polidori, Lahti, Pearce, Rick Jones, Schuitmaker, Meekhof, Moore, Daley, Stamas, Lipton, Segal, and Meadows  
**Committee:** House Regulatory Reform  
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**Date of Summary:** May 5, 2009

The bill amends two sections of the Occupational Code to allow an applicant to sit for the examination after completing his or her degree and providing at least five references. The current examination requirement that applicants provide documentation of not less than eight years of professional experience in architectural work satisfactory to the board, including not more than 6 years of education, would be moved to Section 2004, which applies to licensure. Passage of the examination would continue to be a condition of licensure.

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