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H 3988 General Bill, By Davis, M.M. Smith, B.J. Cox, Pedalino, Forrest, Wheeler, Kirby and Guffey *Similar (S 0505)*

Summary: Pharmacists and pharmacy technicians

A BILL TO AMEND THE SOUTH CAROLINA CODE OF LAWS BY AMENDING SECTION 40-43-30, RELATING TO DEFINITIONS IN THE PHARMACY PRACTICE ACT, SO AS TO PROVIDE ADDITIONAL ACTS THAT CONSTITUTE THE PRACTICE OF PHARMACY, TO PERMIT THE DELEGATION OF CERTAIN ACTS TO TRAINED PHARMACY TECHNICIANS AND PHARMACY INTERNS, AND TO DEFINE AN ADDITIONAL TERM; BY AMENDING SECTION 40-43-84, RELATING TO PHARMACY INTERNS AND EXTERNS, SO AS TO REMOVE CERTAIN DIRECT SUPERVISION REQUIREMENTS; BY AMENDING SECTION 40-43-190, RELATING TO PROTOCOL FOR PHARMACISTS TO ADMINISTER VACCINES WITHOUT PRACTITIONER ORDERS, SO AS TO INCLUDE THE DISPENSATION OF CERTAIN DRUGS AND DEVICES, TO LOWER THE VACCINATION RECIPIENT AGE TO TWELVE YEARS OF AGE, TO AUTHORIZE DIRECTLY SUPERVISED PHARMACY INTERNS TO ADMINISTER CERTAIN VACCINATIONS, AND TO PROVIDE WRITTEN PROTOCOL REQUIREMENTS, AMONG OTHER THINGS; BY AMENDING SECTION 40-43-200, RELATING TO THE JOINT PHARMACIST-ADMINISTERED VACCINES COMMITTEE, SO AS TO RENAME THE COMMITTEE AS THE "JOINT PHARMACIST ACCESS COMMITTEE" AND MAKE OTHER CONFORMING CHANGES; AND TO PROVIDE THE PHARMACIST ACCESS COMMITTEE" AND MAKE OTHER CONFORMING CHANGES; AND TO PROVIDE THE PHARMACIST ACCESS COMMITTEE TO SUBMIT ITS INITIAL RECOMMENDATIONS TO THE BOARD OF PHARMACY NO LATER THAN FOUR MONTHS AFTER THE PASSAGE OF THIS ACT, AND PERIODICALLY THEREAFTER AS DETERMINED BY THE COMMITTEE.

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02/16/2	23 House	Introduced and read first time (House Journal-page 16)
02/16/2	23 House	Referred to Committee on Medical, Military, Public and Municipal Affairs (House Journal-page
03/15/2	23 House	Member(s) request name added as sponsor: Forrest
02/13/2	24 House	Member(s) request name removed as sponsor: Herbkersman
02/28/2	24 House	Committee report: Favorable with amendment Medical, Military, Public and Municipal Affairs
		(House Journal-page 14)
02/29/2	24 House	Member(s) request name added as sponsor: Wheeler
03/01/2	24	Scrivener's error corrected
03/06/2	24 House	Debate adjourned (House Journal-page 59)
03/07/2	24 House	Requests for debate-Rep(s). Harris (House Journal-page 30)
03/07/2	24 House	Debate adjourned (House Journal-page 30)
03/07/2	4 House	Member(s) request name added as sponsor: Kirby
03/15/2	24	Scrivener's error corrected
03/19/2	24 House	Member(s) request name added as sponsor: Guffey
03/19/2	24 House	Amended (House Journal-page 14)
03/20/2	24 House	Amended (House Journal-page 59)
03/20/2	24 House	Read second time (House Journal-page 59)
03/20/2	4 House	Roll call Yeas-104 Nays-2 (House Journal-page 62)
03/21/2	24 House	Read third time and sent to Senate (House Journal-page 28)
03/21/2	24	Scrivener's error corrected
03/26/2	24 Senate	Introduced and read first time (Senate Journal-page 5)
03/26/2	24 Senate	Referred to Committee on Medical Affairs (Senate Journal-page 5)
04/23/2	24 Senate	Committee report: Favorable with amendment Medical Affairs (Senate Journal-page 8)
04/30/2	24 Senate	Committee Amendment Adopted (Senate Journal-page 14)
05/01/2	24	Scrivener's error corrected
05/07/2	24 Senate	Read second time (Senate Journal-page 74)
05/07/2	24 Senate	Amended (Senate Journal-page 74)
05/08/2	24 Senate	Read third time and returned to House with amendments (Senate Journal-page 72)
05/08/2	24 Senate	Roll call Ayes-45 Nays-0 (Senate Journal-page 72)
05/09/2	24 House	Non-concurrence in Senate amendment (House Journal-page 77)
05/09/2	24 House	Roll call Yeas-0 Nays-104 (House Journal-page 78)
05/09/2	24 Senate	Senate insists upon amendment and conference committee appointed Martin, Hutto, Cromer (Senate Journal-page 45)
05/09/2	4 House	Conference committee appointed Davis, MM Smith, W Jones (House Journal-page 151)