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S*0413 (Rat #0052, Act #0029 of 2015) General Bill, By Cleary, Leatherman, Bryant, Johnson, Campbell, Peeler, Fair and Shealy

Summary: Pharmacists

AN ACT TO AMEND SECTION 40-43-190, CODE OF LAWS OF SOUTH CAROLINA, 1976, RELATING TO PROTOCOL FOR PHARMACISTS TO ADMINISTER INFLUENZA VACCINES AND CERTAIN MEDICATIONS, SO AS TO PROVIDE A PROCEDURE FOR CREATING PROTOCOL THROUGH WHICH PHARMACISTS MAY ADMINISTER CERTAIN ADDITIONAL VACCINES WITHOUT A WRITTEN ORDER OR PRESCRIPTION FROM A PRACTITIONER, TO PROVIDE CIRCUMSTANCES IN WHICH A PHARMACY INTERN MAY ADMINISTER VACCINES, TO REVISE RECORDKEEPING REQUIREMENTS TO EXTEND THE PERIOD FOR MAINTAINING RECORDS AND SPECIFY THE MANNER OF DETERMINING THE DATE FROM WHICH THIS PERIOD IS MEASURED, AND TO PROVIDE FOR THE ELECTRONIC STORAGE OF CERTAIN DOCUMENTS, RECORDS, AND COPIES; AND TO AMEND SECTION 40-43-200, RELATING TO THE JOINT PHARMACIST ADMINISTERED INFLUENZA VACCINES COMMITTEE, SO AS TO PROVIDE THIS COMMITTEE SHALL ASSIST AND ADVISE THE BOARD OF MEDICAL EXAMINERS IN DETERMINING WHETHER A SPECIFIC VACCINE IS APPROPRIATE FOR ADMINISTRATION BY A PHARMACIST WITHOUT A WRITTEN ORDER OR PRESCRIPTION, AND TO MAKE CONFORMING CHANGES, AMONG OTHER THINGS. - ratified title

02/04/15	Senate	Introduced and read first time (Senate Journal-page 32)
02/04/15	Senate	Referred to Committee on Medical Affairs (Senate Journal-page 32)
03/10/15	Senate	Committee report: Favorable Medical Affairs (Senate Journal-page 20)
03/11/15		Scrivener's error corrected
03/12/15	Senate	Read second time (Senate Journal-page 12)
03/12/15	Senate	Roll call Ayes-42 Nays-0 (Senate Journal-page 12)
03/17/15	Senate	Read third time and sent to House (Senate Journal-page 19)
03/17/15	House	Introduced and read first time (House Journal-page 44)
03/17/15	House	Referred to Committee on Medical, Military, Public and Municipal Affairs (House Journal-page 44)
05/20/15	House	Committee report: Favorable Medical, Military, Public and Municipal Affairs (House Journal-page
		25)
05/26/15	House	Read second time (House Journal-page 19)
05/26/15	House	Roll call Yeas-96 Nays-0 (House Journal-page 19)
05/27/15	House	Read third time and enrolled (House Journal-page 6)
05/28/15		Ratified R 52
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