HOUSE SUMMARY OF SENATE AMENDMENTS

HB 358 2025 Regular Session Miller

PHARMACISTS: Permits a pharmacy technician to work remotely in certain circumstances

Synopsis of Senate Amendments

- 1. Adds language that the remote access is authorized from a location other than a pharmacy.
- 2. Requires the La. Board of Pharmacy to promulgate rules to implement <u>proposed</u> law.
- 3. Makes a technical change.

Digest of Bill as Finally Passed by Senate

<u>Proposed law</u> provides that a pharmacy technician licensed in this state and employed by a pharmacy licensed in this state may access the pharmacy's software system or dispensing information system from a location other than a pharmacy in order to fulfill job tasks remotely.

<u>Proposed law</u> provides that a pharmacy shall establish controls to protect the privacy and security of confidential records and that no pharmacy software shall be duplicated, downloaded, or removed by a pharmacy technician.

 $\underline{\underline{Proposed \, law}} \, requires \, the \, La. \, Board \, of \, Pharmacy \, to \, promulgate \, rules \, to \, implement \, \underline{proposed} \, law.$

(Amends R.S. 37:1212)