The original instrument and the following digest, which constitutes no part of the legislative instrument, were prepared by Brandi Cannon.

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<u>Present law</u> provides that a pharmacy benefit manager (PBM) may obtain and maintain a permit from the La. Board of Pharmacy if the PBM administers, develops, maintains, performs, or provides one or more enumerated pharmacy services in Louisiana or that affects one or more beneficiaries of a pharmacy benefit management plan administered by the PBM.

Proposed law changes the authorization to obtain a permit to a requirement to obtain the permit.

Effective August 1, 2022.

SB 99 Engrossed

(Amends R.S. 37:1256(B) and R.S. 40:2868(A) (intro para))

Summary of Amendments Adopted by Senate

Committee Amendments Proposed by Senate Committee on Health and Welfare to the original bill

- 1. Amends parallel provision in Title 37.
- 2. Makes technical changes.