The original instrument was prepared by Greg Waddell. The following digest, which does not constitute a part of the legislative instrument, was prepared by Ann S. Brown.

DIGEST

Mills (SB 60)

<u>Present law</u> allows a pharmacist to administer the influenza vaccination to any person seven years of age or older.

<u>Proposed law</u> retains <u>present law</u> but expands the types of vaccinations which can be administered by a pharmacist to persons 18 years of age or older to include the following:

- (1) Pneumococcal
- (2) Zoster
- (3) Tetanus and Diphtheria Toxoids Adsorbed for Adult Use (Td)
- (4) Tetanus Toxoid, Reduced Diphtheria Toxoid and Acellular Pertussis Vaccine Adsorbed (Tdap)

Effective upon final adoption of certain rules and regulations promulgated in accordance with the APA by the La. Board of Pharmacy pursuant to the <u>proposed law</u>.

(Amends R.S. 37:1218)

Summary of Amendments Adopted by Senate

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

- 1. Adds provision which requires the administration of immunizations by a pharmacist to be in conformance with guidance published in the Louisiana State Immunization Manual.
- Changes the age at which the pharmacist may administer a vaccine for Pneumococcal, Zoster, Tetanus and Diphtheria Toxoids Adsorbed for Adult Use (Td), and Tetanus Toxoid, Reduced Diphtheria Toxoid and Acellular Pertussis Vaccine Adsorbed (Tdap) to a person without prescription or medical order <u>from</u> 7 to 18 years of age.
- 3. Technical amendments

Senate Floor Amendments to engrossed bill.

- 1. Provides for an effective date upon final adoption of rules and regulations promulgated by the La. Board of Pharmacy.
- 2. Corrects the name of the La. State Immunization Policies and Procedures Manual.
- 3. Corrects the name of the National Vaccine Injury Compensation Program.