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BY: Education, Health, and Environmental Affairs Committee

AMENDMENTS TO SENATE BILL 549

(First Reading File Bill)

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, in line 12, after "circumstances;" insert "authorizing a physician assistant, under certain circumstances, to personally prepare and dispense a drug that the physician assistant is authorized to prescribe under a delegation agreement;".

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 3, in line 20, after "record." insert a closing bracket; after line 20, insert:

- "(C) A PHYSICIAN ASSISTANT PERSONALLY MAY PREPARE AND DISPENSE A DRUG THAT THE PHYSICIAN ASSISTANT IS AUTHORIZED TO PRESCRIBE UNDER A DELEGATION AGREEMENT IF:
- (1) EXCEPT AS OTHERWISE PROVIDED UNDER § 12–102(G) OF THIS ARTICLE, THE SUPERVISING PHYSICIAN POSSESSES A DISPENSING PERMIT; AND
 - (2) THE PHYSICIAN ASSISTANT DISPENSES DRUGS ONLY WITHIN:
- (I) THE SUPERVISING PHYSICIAN'S SCOPE OF PRACTICE;
 AND
 - (II) THE SCOPE OF THE DELEGATION AGREEMENT.";

in lines 21 and 22, strike "sample or starter dosage"; in line 22, strike "subsection (c)" and substitute "SUBSECTIONS (B) AND (C)"; in line 24, strike the bracket; and in line 25, strike "(C)" and substitute "(E)".