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BY: Health and Government Operations Committee

AMENDMENTS TO HOUSE BILL 693

(First Reading File Bill)

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, at the top of the page, insert "EMERGENCY BILL"; in the sponsor line, strike "Delegate Kipke" and substitute "Delegates Kipke, Alston, Bagnall, Bhandari, Cullison, Guzzone, Hill, S. Johnson, Kaiser, Kerr, R. Lewis, Lopez, Martinez, Pena-Melnyk, Rosenberg, Taveras, White, and Woods"; in line 2, strike "and" and substitute a comma; in the same line, after "Acts" insert ", and Sunset Extension"; in line 5, strike "pharmacy acts" and substitute "the entry of certain data into databases or patient charts"; strike beginning with "repealing" in line 6 down through "vaccines;" in line 7; and in line 9, after "pharmacist;" insert "prohibiting a registered pharmacy technician from administering a vaccination except under certain circumstances;".

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 2, in lines 12, 13, 14, 16, and 18, in each instance, strike the brackets; in line 12, strike "The" and substitute "EXCEPT AS PROVIDED IN § 12–6B–06 OF THIS TITLE, THE"; in the same line, strike "an influenza" and substitute "A"; in lines 14, 16, and 18, strike "(II)", "(III)", and "(IV)", respectively; in lines 20 and 22, strike "(V)" and "(VI)", respectively, and substitute "(VI)" and "(VII)", respectively.

On page 5, in line 10, strike "provided that" and substitute "ONLY IF"; in line 18, strike "PHARMACY ACTS, INCLUDING" and substitute "THE"; in line 19, strike "ENTERING" and substitute "ENTRY OF"; in the same line, strike the comma; in lines 21 and 22, strike "PROVIDED THAT THE DELEGATED PHARMACY ACTS" and substitute "IF"; strike line 23 in its entirety and substitute:

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"(1) THE REGISTERED PHARMACY TECHNICIAN OR REGISTERED PHARMACY INTERN HAS IMMEDIATE ELECTRONIC ACCESS TO A PHARMACIST WHO CAN PROVIDE ASSISTANCE AS NEEDED; AND

(2) THE DATA ENTRY:";

in line 24, strike "(2) ARE" and substitute "(I) IS"; strike in their entirety lines 26 and 27; and in line 28, strike "(4) ARE" and substitute "(II) IS".

On page 6, in line 1, strike "(5) ARE" and substitute "(III) IS"; in line 4, strike "(6)" and substitute "(IV)"; in the same line, strike "DELEGATED ACT" and substitute "DATA ENTRY"; in line 22, after "(C)" insert "(1) A REGISTERED PHARMACY TECHNICIAN MAY ADMINISTER AN INFLUENZA VACCINATION IN ACCORDANCE WITH § 12–508 OF THIS TITLE TO AN INDIVIDUAL AT LEAST 18 YEARS OLD.

(2) EXCEPT AS PROVIDED IN PARAGRAPH (1) OF THIS SUBSECTION, A REGISTERED PHARMACY TECHNICIAN MAY NOT ADMINISTER A VACCINATION IN ACCORDANCE WITH § 12-508 OF THIS TITLE.

(D)";

and strike in their entirety lines 28 and 29 and substitute:

"SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act is an emergency measure, is necessary for the immediate preservation of the public health or safety, has been passed by a yea and nay vote supported by three—fifths of all the members elected to each of the two Houses of the General Assembly, and shall take effect from the date it is enacted."