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Explanation of Changes CS for SS for Senate Bill 108 (FIN) version: 30-LS0740\T

Page 3, lines 26-27: adds the ability for the department to recognize a national certification to satisfy “some or all of the qualifications for state certification.”

Page 4, lines 13-15: rewords section 5, which provides a penalty for practicing without a license, to remove the title “Certified Medical Assistant” and “C.M.A.” to avoid possible trademark infringement.

Page 6, lines 11-14: inserts a new section 13 clarifying that “certification” of the listed professions is considered “licensure,” ensuring that these individuals have access to the Prescription Drug Monitoring Program (PDMP).

Technical and conforming changes are on:

- Page 4, lines 1-2; Page 4, line 10; Page 6, line 5: reworded to remove the phrase “certified medical assistant”
- Page 6, lines 28 & 29: changed section numbers