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Explanation of Changes CS for SS for Senate Bill 108 (FIN)

“Medical Care/Licensing/Medical”
Changes from version “U” to version: 30-LS0740\I

Page 3, lines 26-27: added 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: reworded 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: inserted 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 found on:

Page 4, lines 1-2; and on Page 4, line 10;

Page 6, line 5: reworded to remove the phrase “certified medical assistant”

Page 6, subsequent sections renumbered to account for addition of Section 13