

State of South Dakota

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SENATE BILL NO. 89

Introduced by: Senators McIntyre and Kleven and Representatives Smidt, Duniphan, Pitts,
and Pummel

1 FOR AN ACT ENTITLED, An Act to provide for the regulation of registered pharmacy
2 technicians.

3 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF SOUTH DAKOTA:

4 Section 1. That chapter 36-11 be amended by adding thereto a NEW SECTION to read as
5 follows:

6 No person may practice as a pharmacy technician unless the person is registered by the
7 board. A violation of this section is a Class 2 misdemeanor.

8 Section 2. That § 36-11-2 be amended by adding thereto a NEW SUBDIVISION to read as
9 follows:

10 "Registered pharmacy technician," a person registered by the board who is employed by a
11 pharmacy to assist licensed pharmacists in the practice of pharmacy by performing specific tasks
12 delegated by and under the immediate personal supervision and control of a licensed pharmacist,
13 as permitted by rules promulgated by the board pursuant to chapter 1-26.

14 Section 3. That chapter 3-11 be amended by adding thereto a NEW SECTION to read as
15 follows:

1 The board may promulgate rules pursuant to chapter 1-26 to regulate pharmacy technicians.
2 The rules shall provide for the registration of a pharmacy technician, the suspension or
3 revocation of the registration of a pharmacy technician, an annual registration fee not to exceed
4 fifty dollars, and the tasks that may not be delegated by a licensed pharmacist to a registered
5 technician.