

March 15, 2001

S 484. INCREASE PHARMACY BOARD MEMBERSHIP. *TO INCREASE THE MEMBERSHIP OF THE NORTH CAROLINA BOARD OF PHARMACY FROM SIX TO NINE.* As title indicates.

Three new members must be licensed pharmacists (eight of the nine must be licensed pharmacists). Five pharmacists are to be chosen by the election process currently described in the statute. Three pharmacists are to be appointed: one by the General Assembly, on the recommendation of the Pres. Pro Tem.; one by the General Assembly, on the recommendation of the Speaker of the House; and one by the Governor. Requires that appointing authorities consider geographic, gender, and racial diversity of the state and appoint at least one member who is an employee of an organization operating in five or more community pharmacies in the state.

Provides that three new appointed pharmacist members will serve five-year terms commencing when this act is effective and expiring April 30, 2006.

Intro. by Ballance.

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April 4, 2001

S 484. INCREASE PHARMACY BOARD MEMBERSHIP. Intro. 3/15/01. Senate committee substitute makes the following changes to 1st edition. Provides that appointed members are to serve five-year terms. Provides that the Governor's pharmacist appointee is to be employee of organization operating five or more community pharmacies in NC.