
HOUSE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS

2022 Regular Session

Amendments proposed by House Committee on Health and Welfare to Original House Bill
No. 768 by Representative Marino

1 AMENDMENT NO. 1**2** On page 1, line 3, after "licenses" delete the remainder of the line and delete lines 4 and 5
3 in their entirety and insert in lieu thereof the following:**4** "for such pharmacies; to establish eligibility criteria for new marijuana pharmacy
5 licenses issued by the Louisiana Board of Pharmacy; and to provide for related
6 matters."**7** AMENDMENT NO. 2**8** On page 1, delete lines 19 and 20 in their entirety and on page 2, delete lines 1 through 9 in
9 their entirety and insert in lieu thereof the following:**10** "(2) After August 1, 2022, the Louisiana Board of Pharmacy shall not issue
11 a marijuana pharmacy license to any applicant who does not meet at least one of the
12 following criteria:**13** (a) The applicant is a resident of this state and resided in this state for the
14 entirety of the five-year period immediately preceding the date of his application.**15** (b) The applicant had, for the entirety of the five-year period immediately
16 preceding the date of his application, an ownership interest of at least fifty-one
17 percent of the total ownership of the property on which the marijuana pharmacy will
18 be located."**19** AMENDMENT NO. 3**20** On page 2, at the beginning of line 10, change "(c)" to "(3)"**21** AMENDMENT NO. 4**22** On page 2, between lines 11 and 12, insert the following:**23** "(4) In issuing marijuana pharmacy licenses after August 1, 2022, the
24 Louisiana Board of Pharmacy shall ensure that at least thirty percent of the total
25 number of such licenses issued are held by women- or minority-owned businesses."**26** AMENDMENT NO. 5**27** On page 2, line 13, change "is directed to" to "shall"**28** AMENDMENT NO. 6**29** On page 2, line 14, after "applications" delete the remainder of the line and insert in lieu
30 thereof the following:**31** "for marijuana pharmacy licenses authorized by Section 1 of this Act on October 1,
32 2022."