WEST VIRGINIA LEGISLATURE
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SENATE BILL NO. 168

(By Mr. Cudjoe and Mr. Harmon)

PASSED February 19, 1975

In Effect ninety days from Passage

FILED IN THE OFFICE OF
EDGAR F. HEISKELL, III
SECRETARY OF STATE
THIS DATE, 3/4/75
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Senate Bill No. 168
(By Mr. Gilligan and Mr. Harman)

[Passed February 19, 1975; in effect ninety days from passage.]

AN ACT to amend and reenact section five, article five, chapter thirty of the code of West Virginia, one thousand nine hundred thirty-one, as amended, relating to reducing from one year to nine months the period of time of practical experience which a person seeking to be registered as a pharmacist must serve under the instruction and supervision of a registered pharmacist before such person can be so registered; prescribing certain other qualifications for registration as a pharmacist; and relating to certain certificates of registration.

Be it enacted by the Legislature of West Virginia:

That section five, article five, chapter thirty of the code of West Virginia, one thousand nine hundred thirty-one, as amended, be amended and reenacted to read as follows:

ARTICLE 5. PHARMACISTS, ASSISTANT PHARMACISTS AND DRUGSTORES.

§30-5-5. Qualifications for registration as pharmacist; certificates of registration.

1 In order to be registered as a pharmacist within the meaning of this article, a person shall be a citizen of the United States, not less than eighteen years of age, shall present to the board of pharmacy satisfactory evidence that he is a graduate of a recognized school of pharmacy as defined by the board of pharmacy. In addition thereto, he shall have had at least nine months of practical experience in a pharmacy or drugstore under the instruction and supervision of a registered pharmacist and shall pass
satisfactorily an examination by or under the direction of the board of pharmacy. Each application for examination must be accompanied by a fee of fifty dollars, which shall be forwarded to the secretary according to law. Every applicant for registration as a pharmacist shall present to the board of pharmacy satisfactory evidence that he is a person of good moral character and not addicted to drunkenness or the use of controlled substances. The board shall issue certificates of registration to all persons who successfully pass the required examination and are otherwise qualified and to all those whose certificates or licenses the board shall accept in lieu of an examination as provided in section six of this article.
The Joint Committee on Enrolled Bills hereby certifies that the foregoing bill is correctly enrolled.

Chairman Senate Committee

Chairman House Committee

Originated in the Senate.

To take effect ninety days from passage.

Clerk of the Senate

Clerk of the House of Delegates

President of the Senate

Speaker House of Delegates

The within approved this the 1st day of March, 1975.

Governor
PRESENTED TO THE
GOVERNOR
Date 2/24/75
Time 1:47 p.m.