

AMENDMENTS TO HOUSE BILL NO. 2561

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1 Amend Bill, page 2, line 1, by inserting after "of"

2 topical and oral

3 Amend Bill, page 2, lines 2 and 3, by striking out "Food and
4 Drug" in line 2 and all of line 3 and inserting

5 board as provided in section 4.3

6 Amend Bill, page 2, line 19, by striking out ", prevention"

7 Amend Bill, page 2, line 28, by inserting after "drugs"

8 , either by topical or oral routes of administration,

9 Amend Bill, page 2, lines 29 and 30, by striking out

10 "diseases and conditions affecting"

11 Amend Bill, page 2, line 30, by striking out "and adnexa"

12 Amend Bill, page 2, line 30, by inserting after "adnexa,"

13 the eyelids, the lacrimal system and the
14 conjunctiva,

15 Amend Bill, page 3, line 1, by striking out the period after

16 "combinations" and inserting

17 , so long as the treatment of diseases or conditions
18 of the visual system, other than glaucoma, dry eyes or
19 allergies, as authorized under this paragraph shall not
20 continue beyond six weeks from the initiation of
21 treatment unless the prescribing optometrist documents
22 consultation with a licensed physician. As used in this
23 paragraph, the initiation of treatment may, but need not,
24 include the prescription or administration of
25 pharmaceutical agents for therapeutic purposes.

26 Amend Bill, page 3, line 4, by inserting after "bodies"

27 from the ocular surface or adnexa

Amend Bill, page 3, lines 5 and 6, by striking out all of
line 5 and "(v)" in line 6 and inserting

(iv)

Amend Bill, page 3, line 7, by striking out "(vi)" and
inserting

(v)

Amend Bill, page 3, line 8, by striking out the period after
"imaging" and inserting

, which shall only include optical coherence
tomography.

Amend Bill, page 3, line 9, by striking out all of said line
and inserting

(vi) The administration and prescription of all
legend and nonlegend drugs approved by the board under
section 4.3 for the treatment of glaucoma.
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Amend Bill, page 3, line 11, by striking out the bracket
before "as"

Amend Bill, page 3, line 12, by striking out the bracket
after "4.3"

Amend Bill, page 3, lines 16 and 17, by striking out "dry
eyes or allergies,"

Amend Bill, page 3, line 24, by striking out the bracket
before "(3)"

Amend Bill, page 4, line 7, by inserting after "diagnostic,"
exploratory,

Amend Bill, page 4, line 8, by inserting after "cosmetic,"
reconstructive,

Amend Bill, page 4, line 8, by inserting after "refractive"
, light-based

Amend Bill, page 4, line 8, by inserting after "surgery"

1 ; or the use of lasers for therapeutic purposes

2 Amend Bill, page 4, lines 13 and 14, by striking out "and any
3 drugs approved by the board in section 4.3 for the treatment of
4 ocular disease"

5 Amend Bill, page 4, line 15, by inserting after "The"

6 prevention and

7 Amend Bill, page 5, line 14, by inserting after "drugs"

8 for only topical or oral routes of administration, with
9 the exception of drugs classified as chemotherapy drugs,

10 Amend Bill, page 5, line 24, by inserting after

11 "Commonwealth"

12 if the procedures and tests are within the scope of practice
13 of the optometrist