



## **S.F. No. 3121 – Modifying pharmacy intern provisions**

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### *Bill Overview*

**S.F. No. 2127** modifies Chapter 151 related to pharmacy practice. The amendments to this chapter in this bill focus on pharmacy interns.

### *Section Summaries*

**Section 1** modifies the definition of “pharmacist intern” to “pharmacist intern or intern.” This section expands the definition of these terms to include, among other things, certain participants in a pharmacy residency or fellowship program and certain foreign pharmacy graduates.

**Section 2** amends the application fee for licensure and registration for a pharmacy intern by reducing the fee from \$75 to \$25.

**Section 3** adds an annual licensure and registration renewal fee of \$25 for a pharmacy intern beginning January 1, 2026.

**Section 4** adds that a pharmacy intern whose registration has lapsed may reinstate registration with the Board of Pharmacy after paying certain reinstatement fees.

**Section 5** adds requirements related to pharmacy intern registration. This section provides several new requirements that a pharmacy intern must meet in order to renew their intern registration. This section also requires a pharmacy intern to complete at least 1,600 intern credit hours in order to apply for licensure as a pharmacist.

**Section 6** repeals Minnesota Rules related to the definition of “pharmacist-intern; intern” and certain pharmacist intern training requirements.



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