1 STATE OF OKLAHOMA

1st Session of the 60th Legislature (2025)

3 COMMITTEE SUBSTITUTE

FOR

HOUSE BILL NO. 1585 By: Lay

7 <u>COMMITTEE SUBSTITUTE</u>

An Act relating to pharmacy technicians; providing for pharmacy technician training guidelines; providing for initial training skills; providing for on-the-job training; providing for codification; and providing an effective date.

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BE IT ENACTED BY THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF OKLAHOMA:

SECTION 1. NEW LAW A new section of law to be codified in the Oklahoma Statutes as Section 353.18B of Title 59, unless there is created a duplication in numbering, reads as follows:

Pharmacy technician applicants who are seventeen (17) years of age or older and enrolled in a youth apprenticeship program for pharmacy technicians or a pharmacy technician training program through the Oklahoma Department of Career and Technology Education shall complete Phase II pharmacy technician training in a pharmacy without the requirement to be a pharmacy employee. All pharmacy technician training programs shall be approved by the Oklahoma State Board of Pharmacy initially and on an annual basis. This permit

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will only be used for educational purposes for those enrolled in an
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    Oklahoma State Board of Pharmacy approved program.
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        SECTION 2. This act shall become effective November 1, 2025.
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