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Senate Bill No. 173
(By Senator Snyder)

[Introduced January 14, 2015; referred to the Committee on Health and Human Resources; and
then to the Committee on the Judiciary.]

A BILL to amend and reenact article 5, chapter 64 of the Code of West Virginia, 1931, as amended,
relating to authorizing the Department of Health and Human Resources to promulgate a
legislative rule relating to medication administration and performance of health maintenance
tasks by approved medication assistive personnel.

Be it enacted by the Legislature of West Virginia:

That article 5, chapter 64 of the Code of West Virginia, 1931, as amended, be amended and
reenacted to read as follows:

**ARTICLE 5. AUTHORIZATION FOR DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN
RESOURCES TO PROMULGATE LEGISLATIVE RULES.**

§64-5-1. Department of Health and Human Resources.

The legislative rule filed in the State Register on July 31, 2014, authorized under the
authority of section eleven, article five-o, chapter sixteen of this code, modified by the Department
of Health and Human Resources to meet the objections of the Legislative Rule-Making Review

- 1 Committee and refiled in the State Register on November 5, 2014, relating to the Department of
- 2 Health and Human Resources (medication administration and performance of health maintenance
- 3 tasks by approved medication assistive personnel, [64 CSR 60](#)), is authorized.

NOTE: The purpose of this bill is to authorize the Department of Health and Human Resources to promulgate a legislative rule relating to medication administration and performance of health maintenance tasks by approved medication assistive personnel.

This section is new; therefore, strike-throughs and underscoring have been omitted.