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Senate Bill No. 197
(By Senator Snyder)

[Introduced January 14, 2015; referred to the Committee on Government Organization; and then
to the Committee on the Judiciary.]

A BILL to amend and reenact article 9, chapter 64 of the Code of West Virginia, 1931, as amended,
relating to authorizing the Board of Medicine to promulgate a legislative rule relating to
licensure, disciplinary and complaint procedures; continuing education; and physician
assistants.

Be it enacted by the Legislature of West Virginia:

That article 9, chapter 64 of the Code of West Virginia, 1931, as amended, be amended and
reenacted to read as follows:

**ARTICLE 9. AUTHORIZATION FOR MISCELLANEOUS AGENCIES AND BOARDS TO
PROMULGATE LEGISLATIVE RULES.**

§64-9-1. Board of Medicine.

The legislative rule filed in the State Register on July 22, 2014, authorized under the
authority of section three, article three-e, chapter thirty, of this code, modified by the Board of
Medicine to meet the objections of the Legislative Rule-Making Review Committee and refiled in

1 the State Register on November 20, 2014, relating to the Board of Medicine (licensure, disciplinary
2 and complaint procedures; continuing education; and physician assistants, [11 CSR 1B](#)), is
3 authorized.

NOTE: The purpose of this bill is to authorize the Board of Medicine to promulgate a legislative rule relating to licensure, disciplinary and complaint procedures; continuing education; and physician assistants.

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