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MEMORANDUM

TO: Rules Review Subcommittee of the Senate Health & Welfare Committee and the House Health & Welfare Committee
FROM: Principal Legislative Research Analyst - Brooke Brouman
DATE: October 01, 2013
SUBJECT: State Board of Medicine - Physician Assistants

IDAPA 22.01.03 - Rules for the Licensure of Physician Assistants (Docket No. 22-0103-1301) -- **Temporary and Proposed**

The State Board of Medicine submits notice of temporary and proposed rulemaking, which includes the following rule changes:

- (1) Provides that a physician assistant who has prescriptive authority may dispense prescriptive drugs or devices directly to patients under the direction of the supervising physician and in accordance with IDAPA 27.01.01, Rules of the Idaho State Board of Pharmacy; and
- (2) Eliminates provisions relating to the delivery of medication by physician assistants.

The Board states that the Governor has found that temporary adoption of the rule is appropriate in order to comply with Sections 54-1705 and 54-1719, Idaho Code, and IDAPA 27.01.01.

The Board's temporary and proposed rule is authorized pursuant to the provisions of Section 54-1806, Idaho Code.

cc: State Board of Medicine
Nancy M. Kerr, Executive Director