

**NATUROPATHIC FORMULARY PEER  
COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS**

2005 GENERAL SESSION

STATE OF UTAH

**Sponsor: James A. Ferrin**

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**LONG TITLE**

**General Description:**

This bill modifies the composition of the naturopathic formulary advisory peer committee.

**Highlighted Provisions:**

This bill:

- ▶ changes the composition of the naturopathic formulary advisory peer committee by increasing from one to three the number of naturopathic physicians on the committee who are not members of the licensing board; and

- ▶ eliminates the two board positions currently filled by licensed physicians and surgeons.

**Monies Appropriated in this Bill:**

None

**Other Special Clauses:**

None

**Utah Code Sections Affected:**

AMENDS:

**58-71-202**, as enacted by Chapter 282, Laws of Utah 1996

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*Be it enacted by the Legislature of the state of Utah:*

Section 1. Section **58-71-202** is amended to read:



28 **58-71-202. Naturopathic formulary peer committee.**

29 (1) The division shall establish a naturopathic formulary advisory peer committee  
30 under Subsection 58-1-203~~[(6)](1)(f)~~ to make recommendations to the board for the  
31 naturopathic formulary which shall:

32 (a) consist of noncontrolled legend medications deemed appropriate for the scope of  
33 practice of naturopathic physicians; and

34 (b) include all homeopathic remedies.

35 (2) The committee shall consist of five members:

36 (a) one naturopathic physician who is a member of the board;

37 (b) ~~[one]~~ three naturopathic ~~[physician]~~ physicians who ~~[is]~~ are not ~~[a member]~~  
38 members of the board; and

39 ~~[(c) two licensed physicians and surgeons; and]~~

40 ~~[(d)]~~ (c) one licensed pharmacist who is also a pharmacognosist.

41 (3) The committee members shall:

42 (a) be appointed by the director of the division;

43 (b) be appointed and serve in accordance with Section 58-1-201, except as those  
44 provisions are modified by this section; and

45 (c) serve without compensation, travel costs, or per diem for their services.

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**Legislative Review Note**  
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Based on a limited legal review, this legislation has not been determined to have a high probability of being held unconstitutional.

**Office of Legislative Research and General Counsel**

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**Fiscal Note**  
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**State Impact**

No fiscal impact.

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**Individual and Business Impact**

No fiscal impact.

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