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1 A bill to be entitled
 2 An act relating to pharmacy technicians; amending s.
 3 465.014, F.S.; revising the number of pharmacy
 4 technicians that a pharmacist may supervise; providing
 5 an effective date.

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 7 Be It Enacted by the Legislature of the State of Florida:

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 9 Section 1. Subsection (1) of section 465.014, Florida
 10 Statutes, is amended to read:

11 465.014 Pharmacy technician.—

12 (1) A person other than a licensed pharmacist or pharmacy
 13 intern may not engage in the practice of the profession of
 14 pharmacy, except that a licensed pharmacist may delegate to
 15 pharmacy technicians who are registered pursuant to this section
 16 those duties, tasks, and functions that do not fall within the
 17 purview of s. 465.003(13). All such delegated acts shall be
 18 performed under the direct supervision of a licensed pharmacist
 19 who shall be responsible for all such acts performed by persons
 20 under his or her supervision. A pharmacy registered technician,
 21 under the supervision of a pharmacist, may initiate or receive
 22 communications with a practitioner or his or her agent, on
 23 behalf of a patient, regarding refill authorization requests. A
 24 licensed pharmacist may not supervise more than six ~~one~~
 25 registered pharmacy technicians ~~technician~~ unless otherwise
 26 permitted by the guidelines adopted by the board. ~~The board~~
 27 ~~shall establish guidelines to be followed by licensees or~~
 28 ~~permittees in determining the circumstances under which a~~

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29 | ~~licensed pharmacist may supervise more than one but not more~~
30 | ~~than three pharmacy technicians.~~

31 | Section 2. This act shall take effect July 1, 2013.