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LEGISLATIVE ACTION

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The Committee on Rules (Young) recommended the following:

**Senate Amendment**

Delete lines 65 - 83  
and insert:  
board that he or she has met the requirements of subsection (1),  
who successfully passes the licensure examination within 3 years  
before the date of application or after the submission of an  
application, and who otherwise meets the requirements of this  
chapter is entitled to be licensed as a practitioner and to be  
certified to administer and prescribe ocular pharmaceutical  
agents in the diagnosis and treatment of ocular conditions.



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12           Section 2. Subsection (3) of section 463.0057, Florida  
13 Statutes, is amended to read:

14           463.0057 Optometric faculty certificate.—

15           (3) The holder of a faculty certificate may engage in the  
16 practice of optometry as permitted by this section but may not  
17 administer or prescribe topical ocular pharmaceutical agents  
18 unless the certificateholder has satisfied the requirements of  
19 s. 463.006(1)(e) and (f) ~~s. 463.006(1)(b)4. and 5.~~ If a  
20 certificateholder wishes to administer or prescribe oral ocular  
21 pharmaceutical agents, the certificateholder must also satisfy  
22 the requirements of s. 463.0055(1)(b).

23           Section 3. This act shall take effect upon becoming a law.