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November 8, 2023

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RE: Petition for Waiver

On November 7, 2023, the Board **granted** your request to waive rule 657 IAC 4.6(3), requiring the automatic expiration of an intern registration. The waiver authorizes the board to extend the expiration date of your registration for one additional year.

The Board determined that application of the rule would impose an undue hardship by depriving you of the learning opportunities that are available when practicing in the pharmacy setting under the supervision of a licensed pharmacist. The Board determined that granting the waiver would not prejudice the legal rights of another person. The Board determined that the provisions of the rule being waived are not specifically mandated by statute or another provision of law. The Board determined that substantially equal protection of the health, safety, and welfare of the public can be assured in that any practice of pharmacy will be undertaken under the supervision of a licensed pharmacist.

The waiver is approved and will expire November 6, 2024.

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