

## STATEMENT OF PURPOSE

### RS19937

As a condition for licensure in Idaho as a veterinarian or a veterinary technician, an applicant must have successfully passed a national examination. Current law requires the Idaho Board of Veterinary Medicine to specifically authorize candidates to take these examinations before the tests can be administered by independent third-party examination vendors. This is an unnecessary bureaucratic step and the legislation removes this requirement, thereby permitting the candidates to make application for testing directly to the examination administrators. This change also requires re-lettering of paragraphs within Section 54-2105, Idaho Code.

### FISCAL NOTE

It is estimated that there may be a negative financial impact on the Board of Veterinary Medicine's Dedicated Fund Account of approximately five hundred dollars (\$500).

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