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In re:  
Veterinary Medical Board

Regulatory Action:

Title 16, California Code of Regulations

Adopt sections:

Amend sections: 2068.5

Repeal sections:

NOTICE OF APPROVAL OF REGULATORY  
ACTION

Government Code Section 11349.3

OAL Matter Number: 2023-1127-01

OAL Matter Type: Regular (S)

In this rulemaking action, the Board amends its regulation to require a "minimum" rather than a "total" of 20 semester units, 30 quarter units, or 300 hours of instruction, to meet the education requirement. The amendments also eliminate timeframes within which registered veterinary technician students in alternate route pathways must complete their education or their clinical experience before the date of their examination.

OAL approves this regulatory action pursuant to section 11349.3 of the Government Code. This regulatory action becomes effective on 4/1/2024.

Date: January 9, 2024



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