

ARKANSAS SENATE
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Amendment Form

Subtitle of Senate Bill No. 542

TO MODIFY THE RESPONSIBILITIES OF A PHARMACY BENEFITS MANAGER AND PATIENT RIGHTS
REGARDING PAYMENT FOR PHARMACISTS SERVICES.

Amendment No. 4 to Senate Bill No. 542

Amend Senate Bill No. 542 as engrossed, S3/5/15 (version: 03/05/2015 11:09:58 AM):

Page 2, delete lines 18 through 36

AND

Page 3, delete lines 1 and 2

AND

Page 3, line 4, delete "4-88-1004." and substitute "4-88-1003."

AND

Page 3, line 7, delete "a pharmacy benefits manager must obtain"

AND

Page 3, line 8, delete "express written consent" and substitute "express consent"

AND

Page 3, line 9, delete "network." and substitute "network shall be obtained."

AND

Page 3, line 14, delete "4-88-1005." and substitute "4-88-1004."

AND

Page 3, delete line 15, and substitute the following:

"An individual shall not be required to make a"



AND

Page 3, line 16, delete "than the pharmacy" and substitute "than the"

AND

Page 3, delete line 17, and substitute the following:
"pharmacist or pharmacy providing the"

AND

Page 3, delete lines 20 through 22, and substitute the following:

"4-88-1005. Enforcement.

The Insurance Commissioner shall:

(1) Enforce this subchapter using powers granted to the commissioner in the Arkansas Insurance Code; and

(2) Be entitled to seek an injunction against a pharmacy benefits manager in a court of competent jurisdiction."

The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended and read the second time and _____

By: Senator Rapert

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