

ARKANSAS SENATE
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Amendment Form

Subtitle of Senate Bill No. 20

"AN ACT TO ESTABLISH A PRESCRIPTION DRUG MONITORING PROGRAM."

Amendment No. 6 to Senate Bill No. 20.

Amend Senate Bill No. 20 as engrossed, S3/1/07 (version: 03-01-2007 11:46):

Page 2, delete line 2 and substitute the following:

"(2) "Board" means the Arkansas State Board of Pharmacy;
(3)(A) "Dispenser" means a person who delivers Schedule II"

AND

Page 2, line 17, delete "(3)" and substitute "(4)"

AND

Page 2, line 19, delete "(4)" and substitute "(5)"

AND

Page 2, line 25, delete "(5)" and substitute "(6)"

AND

Page 2, line 28, delete "(6)" and substitute "'(7)"

AND

Page 2, delete lines 35 and 36

AND

Page 3, delete lines 1 through 3 and substitute the following:

"Services using the criteria established by the Arkansas State Board of Pharmacy under this subchapter shall establish and maintain an electronic program for monitoring the prescribing and dispensing of all Schedule II narcotics and Schedule III narcotics."

AND



Page 3, delete lines 18 through 36

AND

Page 4, delete lines 1 through 11 and substitute the following:

"(2) The board shall specify criteria for the types of data to be collected under this subchapter, the criteria for collecting data under this subchapter, and the criteria for evaluating data under this subchapter."

AND

Page 4, line 27, delete "monitory" and substitute "monitoring"

AND

Page 5, delete lines 4 through 10 and substitute the following:

"(2) If on the basis of data collected and evaluated under this subchapter, the Director of the Division of Health of the Department of Health and Human Services has probable cause to believe that a violation of law or a breach of professional conduct has occurred, the director shall:

(A) If the suspected violation involves a physician, notify the Arkansas State Medical Board;

(B) If the suspected violation involves a pharmacist or a pharmacy, notify the Arkansas State Board of Pharmacy; or

(C) If the suspected violation involves an advanced practice nurse holding a certificate of prescriptive authority, notify the Arkansas State Board of Nursing."

AND

Page 5, line 24, delete "the local," and substitute "a local,"

AND

Page 6, delete line 11 and substitute the following:

"the program under this subchapter.

(f) Nothing in this section applies to a pharmacist or a pharmacy that does not use the program under this subchapter."

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

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