

registrant on order to show cause why registration should not be denied, revoked, ~~or suspend~~, SUSPENDED, or renewal refused. The order to show cause shall contain a statement of the basis thereof and shall call upon the applicant or registrant to appear before the Department at a time and place stated in the order, but in no event less than thirty days after the date of receipt of the order. *In the case of a denial of renewal of registration the show cause order shall be served not later than 30 days before the expiration of the registration.* Proceedings to deny, revoke, or suspend shall be conducted pursuant to this section in accordance with the Administrative Procedure Act. Such proceedings shall be independent of, and not in lieu of, criminal prosecutions or other proceedings under this Act or any law of the State. *Proceedings to refuse renewal of registration shall not abate the existing registration which shall remain in effect pending the outcome of the administrative hearing.*

283.

Upon July 1, 1970, each registrant manufacturing, distributing or dispensing controlled dangerous substances in Schedules I, II, III, ~~or~~ IV, or V shall make a complete and accurate record of all stocks of such dangerous substances on hand. Thereafter, complete and accurate records of all such dangerous substances shall be maintained for two years. Each two year period after July 1, 1970, at the time of his regular fiscal inventory, each registrant manufacturing, distributing or dispensing controlled dangerous substances shall prepare an inventory of each dangerous substance in his possession. Records and inventories shall contain such information as shall be provided by rules and regulations promulgated by the Department. This ~~sub~~section shall not apply to practitioners who lawfully prescribe or administer, but not otherwise dispense, controlled dangerous substances listed in Schedules II, III, ~~or~~ IV or V, of this subheading. Compliance with the provisions of the Federal law respecting records and reports shall be deemed compliance with this section.

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(b) Except when dispensed directly by a practitioner, other than a pharmacist, to an ultimate user, no controlled dangerous substance included in Schedule III or IV which is a prescription drug as determined under Article 43, may be dispensed without a written or oral prescription. Such prescription may not be filled or refilled more than six months after the date thereof or be refilled more than five times after the date of the prescription, unless renewed by the practitioner.

(c) No controlled dangerous substance included in Schedule ~~IV~~ V may be distributed or dispensed other than for a medical purpose; and in addition to compliance with the provisions of this subheading and the Federal requirements, any such practitioner shall upon dispensing any such controlled dangerous substance securely affix to the container thereof, in addition to any other label already affixed thereto, a label bearing the dispenser's name and signature, his registry number, the date on which dispensed, and the purchaser's name.

286.

(b) Any person who violates any of the provisions of subsection (a) ~~1, 2, 3, or 4~~ with respect to: