

## CHAPTER 353

(House Bill 1030)

AN ACT concerning

### ~~State Board of Pharmacy Wholesale Drug Distribution Permit Requirements~~

#### Wholesale Distributor Permitting and Prescription Drug Integrity Act

~~FOR the purpose of altering the requirements for obtaining a wholesale distributor's permit to include a certain inspection and the posting of a certain bond; requiring a certain pedigree for prescription drugs or devices distributed in the State; requiring the State Board of Pharmacy to adopt regulations regarding certain pedigree and inspection requirements; defining a certain term; and generally relating to permit requirements for wholesale drug distribution.~~

FOR the purpose of requiring a wholesale distributor to hold a permit issued by the State Board of Pharmacy before the wholesale distributor engages in the wholesale distribution of prescription drugs or devices in the State; requiring certain entities to hold a wholesale distributor permit; providing that certain requirements for obtaining a permit do not apply to a manufacturer who distributes certain prescription drugs; requiring a permit to be displayed in a certain manner; providing that a permit is not transferable; prohibiting a person from purchasing or obtaining a prescription drug or device unless it is purchased or obtained from certain persons; authorizing the Board to grant a certain deemed status to certain wholesale distributors and to issue a permit to certain wholesale distributors by reciprocity; establishing certain requirements and procedures for applying for a permit; prohibiting the Board from issuing a permit unless the Board or its designee takes certain actions; establishing requirements for certain criminal history records checks and a certain surety bond; requiring the Board to provide a certain notification to an applicant within a certain period of time; providing for the expiration and renewal of a permit; authorizing the Board to deny, suspend, or revoke a permit under certain circumstances; requiring the Board to adopt regulations that require certain inspections; authorizing the Board to adopt regulations establishing certain requirements; prohibiting the disclosure of certain information provided by a wholesale distributor, except to certain entities for certain purposes; establishing certain procedures for returns or exchanges of prescription drugs; authorizing a wholesale distributor to supply or deliver prescription drugs only to certain persons; providing for certain exceptions; prohibiting a wholesale distributor from accepting payment or allowing the use of certain credit for a certain purpose; prohibiting a wholesale distributor from operating out of a residence; requiring a pedigree for certain prescription drug distributions;