

requiring certain entities to be authorized distributors of record for a certain purpose; establishing certain penalties for a certain violation of certain provisions of this Act; requiring the Board to adopt certain regulations on or before a certain date; requiring the Board to provide a certain report to the Governor and certain legislative committees on or before a certain date each year; repealing certain provisions of law relating to permits for the distribution of prescription drugs or devices; requiring the Secretary of Health and Mental Hygiene, in conjunction with the Board, to convene a certain workgroup to recommend to the Board a certain date for implementing electronic track and trace pedigree technology; requiring the Board to establish a certain date for implementation of electronic track and trace pedigree technology; requiring the Board to submit certain reports to certain legislative committees on or before certain dates; defining certain terms; making conforming changes; and generally relating to permit and pedigree requirements for wholesale drug distributors.

BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,

Article – Health Occupations

Section 12-601

Annotated Code of Maryland

(2005 Replacement Volume and 2006 Supplement)

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Article – Health Occupations

Section 12-602

Annotated Code of Maryland

(2005 Replacement Volume and 2006 Supplement)

BY adding to

Article – Health Occupations

Section 12-6C-01 through 12-6C-13 to be under the new subtitle “Subtitle 6C.

Wholesale Distributor Permitting and Prescription Drug Integrity Act”

Annotated Code of Maryland

(2005 Replacement Volume and 2006 Supplement)

SECTION 1. BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF MARYLAND, That the Laws of Maryland read as follows:

Article – Health Occupations

12-601.

(a) Subject to the hearing provisions of § 12-315 of this title, for a violation of this subtitle, SUBTITLE 6C OF THIS TITLE, or any regulation adopted under [§ 12-602 of this subtitle] SUBTITLE 6C OF THIS TITLE, the Board may: