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AN ACT to amend the public health law, in relation to providing pharmacies access to New York's prescription drug monitoring program resources

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK, REPRESENTED IN SENATE AND ASSEMBLY, DO ENACT AS FOLLOWS:

1 Section 1. Subdivision 1 of section 3371 of the public health law is  
2 amended by adding a new subdivision (f) to read as follows:

3 (F) TO A PHARMACY TO INFORM THE PHARMACY THAT A PERSON WHO PRESENTS OR  
4 HAS PRESENTED A PRESCRIPTION FOR ONE OR MORE CONTROLLED SUBSTANCES AT  
5 THE PHARMACY MAY HAVE ALSO OBTAINED ONE OR MORE CONTROLLED SUBSTANCES AT  
6 ANOTHER PHARMACY WHERE THE CIRCUMSTANCES INDICATE A POSSIBILITY OF DRUG  
7 ABUSE OR DIVERSION, POTENTIAL HARM TO THE PERSON, OR SIMILAR GROUNDS  
8 UNDER REGULATIONS OF THE COMMISSIONER.

9 S 2. This act shall take effect immediately.

EXPLANATION--Matter in ITALICS (underscored) is new; matter in brackets  
[ ] is old law to be omitted.

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