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AN ACT to amend the education law, in relation to conditions of registration for nonresident pharmacies

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

Section 1. Subdivision 5 of section 6808-b of the education law, as amended by chapter 567 of the laws of 2002, is amended to read as follows:

5. Additional requirements. Nonresident pharmacies registered pursuant to this section shall:

a. BE UNDER THE IMMEDIATE SUPERVISION AND MANAGEMENT OF A PHARMACIST WITH A VALID NEW YORK STATE LICENSE AT ALL HOURS WHEN OPEN;

B. Provide a toll-free telephone number that is available during normal business hours and at least forty hours per week, to enable communication between a patient in this state and a pharmacist at the pharmacy who has access to the patient's records; and

[b] C. Place such toll-free telephone number on a label affixed to each drug or device container.

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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