STATE OF NEW YORK

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2017-2018 Regular Sessions

IN ASSEMBLY

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Introduced by M. of A. ROSENTHAL -- read once and referred to the Committee on Higher Education

AN ACT to amend the education law, in relation to requiring written notification to patients where a pharmacist is substituting a generic version of a drug product by one manufacturer for a generic version of a drug product by another manufacturer

The People of the State of New York, represented in Senate and Assembly, do enact as follows:

Section 1. Section 6816-a of the education law is amended by adding a new subdivision 3 to read as follows:

3. A pharmacist shall provide written notification to a patient if he or she is substituting a generic version of a drug product by one manufacturer for a generic version of a drug product by another manufacturer.

§ 2. This act shall take effect on the sixtieth day after it shall have become a law.

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

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