

STATE OF NEW YORK

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2019-2020 Regular Sessions

IN SENATE

April 9, 2019

Introduced by Sen. COMRIE -- read twice and ordered printed, and when printed to be committed to the Committee on Higher Education

AN ACT to amend the education law, in relation to requiring pharmacies to notify patients of certain drug recalls

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

1 Section 1. The education law is amended by adding a new section 6811-c
2 to read as follows:

3 § 6811-c. Patient notification of recalled drugs. 1. For purposes of
4 this section the term "class I recall" shall mean a situation in which
5 the food and drug administration deems there is reasonable probability
6 that the use of or exposure to a violative product will cause serious
7 adverse health consequences or death.

8 2. Where there has been a class I recall of a prescription drug, phar-
9 macies shall notify all patients that have been prescribed and who are
10 currently taking such recalled drug dispensed from such pharmacy by
11 phone or by mail within seven days of such recall.

12 § 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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