

2025 Regular Session

HOUSE BILL NO. 264

BY REPRESENTATIVES ECHOLS, BILLINGS, FARNUM, SCHAMERHORN, AND WYBLE

Prefiled pursuant to Article III, Section 2(A)(4)(b)(i) of the Constitution of Louisiana.

INSURANCE/HEALTH: Provides for transparency and compensation practices relative to pharmacy benefit managers

1 AN ACT

2 To amend and reenact R.S. 22:1657.1(A) and (B)(introductory paragraph) and (4) and R.S.
3 44:4.1(B)(11) and to enact R.S. 22:1657.1(D) and 1860.3(F), relative to pharmacy
4 benefit managers; to modify the definition of rebates; to provide for reimbursement
5 of pharmacists and pharmacies; to authorize the commissioner of insurance's
6 examination of records and compensation programs; to provide for public records
7 exceptions; and to provide for related matters.

8 Be it enacted by the Legislature of Louisiana:

9 Section 1. R.S. 22:1657.1(A) and (B)(introductory paragraph) and (4) are hereby
10 amended and reenacted and R.S. 22:1657.1(D) and 1860.3(F) are hereby enacted to read as
11 follows:

12 §1657.1. Pharmacy benefit manager rebate transparency report; examination by
13 commissioner

14 A. Each pharmacy benefit manager licensed by the commissioner of
15 ~~insurance~~ shall submit an annual transparency report as a condition of maintaining
16 licensure.

17 B. As used in this Section, the following definitions ~~shall~~ apply:

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The Committee Amendments Proposed by House Committee on House and Governmental Affairs to the engrossed bill:

1. Revise language establishing the confidentiality of information submitted by PBMs.