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ACT No. 110

HOUSE BILL NO. 355

BY REPRESENTATIVE LEBAS

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

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AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 40:1007(E)(1), relative to access to prescription monitoring information; to add certain delegates to the persons authorized to access prescription monitoring information; and to provide for related matters.

Be it enacted by the Legislature of Louisiana:

Section 1. R.S. 40:1007(E)(1) is hereby amended and reenacted to read as follows:

§1007. Access to prescription monitoring information

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E. The following persons, after successful completion of the educational courses identified in R.S. 40:1008, may access prescription monitoring information at no cost and in the same or similar manner, and for the same or similar purposes, as those persons are authorized to access similar protected health information under federal and state law and regulation:

(1) Persons authorized to prescribe or dispense controlled substances or drugs of concern, or their delegates as defined by rule, for the purpose of providing medical or pharmaceutical care for their patients, or for verifying their prescribing records.

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SPEAKER OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

PRESIDENT OF THE SENATE

GOVERNOR OF THE STATE OF LOUISIANA

APPROVED: _____