

2018 Regular Session

HOUSE BILL NO. 45

BY REPRESENTATIVE CONNICK

LICENSING: Requires third-party logistics providers to obtain controlled dangerous substance licenses

1 AN ACT

2 To amend and reenact R.S. 40:972(B)(7) through (14) and 973(A)(1) and to enact R.S.
3 40:961(41) and 972(B)(15), relative to entities required to obtain a controlled
4 dangerous substance license issued by the Louisiana Board of Pharmacy; to establish
5 within the Uniform Controlled Dangerous Substances Law a definition of "third-
6 party logistics provider"; to require such providers to obtain controlled dangerous
7 substance licenses; to provide relative to fees collected by the Louisiana Board of
8 Pharmacy for registration and licensing; to establish the fee for a controlled
9 dangerous substance license for third-party logistics providers; and to provide for
10 related matters.

11 Be it enacted by the Legislature of Louisiana:

12 Section 1. R.S. 40:972(B)(7) through (14) and 973(A)(1) are hereby amended and
13 reenacted and R.S. 40:961(41) and 972(B)(15) are hereby enacted to read as follows:

14 §961. Definitions

15 As used in this Part, the following terms shall have the meaning ascribed to
16 them in this Section unless the context clearly indicates otherwise:

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18 (41) "Third-party logistics provider" means a person who provides or
19 coordinates warehousing, facilitation of delivery, or other logistic services for a
20 legend drug or legend device in interstate and intrastate commerce on behalf of a

1 manufacturer, distributor, or dispenser of a legend drug or legend device but does not
2 take ownership of the legend drug or legend device nor have responsibility to direct
3 the sale or disposition of the legend drug or legend device.

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5 §972. Rules and regulations and fees

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7 B. The fees collected by the Board of Pharmacy for registration and licensing
8 shall not exceed the following schedule:

9 Minimum

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11 (7) Third-party logistics provider \$ 50.00

12 ~~(8)~~ Practitioner \$ 20.00

13 ~~(8)~~ (9) Intern/Resident \$ 20.00

14 ~~(9)~~ (10) Drug Detection/Canine \$ 30.00

15 ~~(10)~~ (11) Researcher \$ 30.00

16 ~~(11)~~ (12) Sales representative (or medical service representative
17 or detail person) \$ 20.00

18 ~~(12)~~ (13) Other (schools, laboratories, crime laboratories, coroners,
19 ambulance services, analytical laboratories, etc.) \$ 20.00

20 ~~(13)~~ (14) Duplicate/Replacement fee \$ 5.00

21 ~~(14)~~ (15) Delinquent fee
22 (30 days after expiration/assessed per year) \$ 10.00

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24 §973. Licensing requirements

25 A.(1) Every person who conducts research with, manufactures, distributes,
26 procures, possesses, prescribes, or dispenses any controlled dangerous substance
27 within this state, including third-party logistics providers, or who proposes to engage
28 in the research, manufacture, distribution, procurement, possession, prescribing, or
29 dispensing of any controlled dangerous substance within this state, including third-

