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LeBas HB No. 674

Abstract: Defines pharmacy-generated drug; requires a person filling, compounding, and dispensing prescriptions or making pharmacy-generated drugs to be a pharmacist or pharmacy intern, pharmacy technician, or pharmacy technician candidate acting under the supervision of a pharmacist.

Proposed law defines "pharmacy-generated drug" as a drug made by a pharmacy.

<u>Present law</u> requires a pharmacist to be on duty in each pharmacy at all times.

Proposed law retains present law.

<u>Present law</u> requires the filling, compounding, and dispensing of prescriptions to be limited to pharmacists and pharmacy technicians acting under the supervision of a pharmacist.

<u>Proposed law</u> requires the filling, compounding, and dispensing of prescriptions, and the making of pharmacy-generated drugs, to be accomplished in compliance with standards established by the La. Board of Pharmacy by administrative rule. <u>Proposed law</u> further requires the performance of these activities to be limited to pharmacists and pharmacy interns, pharmacy technicians, and pharmacy technician candidates acting under the supervision of a pharmacist.

(Amends R.S. 37:1224(A); Adds R.S. 37:1164(57))