

SENATE BILL NO. 7

INTRODUCED BY R. WEBB

BY REQUEST OF THE CHILDREN, FAMILIES, HEALTH, AND HUMAN SERVICES INTERIM COMMITTEE

A BILL FOR AN ACT ENTITLED: "AN ACT REVISING THE PRESCRIPTION DRUG REGISTRY FEE; INCREASING THE FEE; EXTENDING THE TERMINATION DATE; AMENDING SECTION 37-7-1511, MCA; AMENDING SECTION 20, CHAPTER 241, LAWS OF 2011; AND PROVIDING AN EFFECTIVE DATE."

BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF MONTANA:

**Section 1.** Section 37-7-1511, MCA, is amended to read:

**"37-7-1511. Prescription drug registry -- funding.** (1) Each person licensed under Title 37 who ~~prescribes, dispenses, or distributes~~ is authorized to prescribe, dispense, or distribute controlled substances shall pay to the board a nonrefundable fee that is set by rule ~~and that may not exceed \$15~~ commensurate with costs, not to exceed \$30.

(2) The board may apply for any available grants and may accept gifts, grants, or donations to assist in establishing and maintaining the registry.

(3) Funds collected pursuant to this part must be deposited into a state special revenue account to the credit of the department. The money must be used to defray the expenses of the board in establishing and maintaining the registry and in discharging its administrative and regulatory duties under this part. (Subsection (1) terminates ~~July 1, 2015~~ June 30, 2017 ~~--sec. 20, Ch. 241, L. 2011.~~)"

**Section 2.** Section 20, Chapter 241, Laws of 2011, is amended to read:

**"Section 20. Termination.** [Section 12(1)] terminates ~~July 1, 2015~~ June 30, 2017."

NEW SECTION. **Section 3. Effective date.** [This act] is effective July 1, 2015.

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