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**STATE OF RHODE ISLAND**

**IN GENERAL ASSEMBLY**

**JANUARY SESSION, A.D. 2014**

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RELATING TO BUSINESS AND PROFESSIONS -- PHARMACIES--COMPOUNDED  
PRESCRIPTION LABELING

Introduced By: Senators Felag, Walaska, and Lombardi

Date Introduced: March 06, 2014

Referred To: Senate Health & Human Services

It is enacted by the General Assembly as follows:

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2 SECTION 1. Chapter 5-19.1 of the General Laws entitled "Pharmacies" is hereby  
3 amended by adding thereto the following section:

4 **5-19.1-32. Compounded drugs used in office. --** (a) Prescription drugs that are not  
5 commercially available may be compounded for physician's office use, but shall not be resold.  
6 All compounding shall be done in compliance with the United States Pharmacopeia and as  
7 defined by the board.

8 (b) Upon request, a pharmacy shall provide a compounded drug to a practitioner for  
9 administration in a physician's office. The compounded drug shall be for practitioner  
10 administration only and shall not be redispensed, pursuant to § 5-19.1-21. The practitioner shall  
11 not be required to provide the name of an individual patient in order for the pharmacy to dispense  
12 the compounded drug, and the pharmacy shall include the statement "Not for resale. For office  
13 use only" on the label of any such compounded drug. The pharmacy shall maintain records to  
14 indicate what compounded drug products the pharmacy provided to the practitioner.

15 SECTION 2. This act shall take effect upon passage.

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EXPLANATION  
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- 1           This act would permit a pharmacy to provide a compounded drug to a practitioner for
- 2   administration in a physician's office.
- 3           This act would take effect upon passage.

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