

STATE OF OKLAHOMA

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HOUSE BILL HB1236

By: Peters

AS INTRODUCED

An Act relating to public health and safety; directing the State Board of Health and the Board of Pharmacy to establish and implement a program for the distribution of certain prescription drugs to medically indigent persons; providing for codification; and providing an effective date.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF OKLAHOMA:

SECTION 1. NEW LAW A new section of law to be codified in the Oklahoma Statutes as Section 2-552 of Title 63, unless there is created a duplication in numbering, reads as follows:

A. The State Board of Health and the Board of Pharmacy shall jointly develop a program consistent with public health and safety through which unused prescription drugs, other than prescription drugs defined as controlled dangerous substances by Section 2-101 of Title 63 of the Oklahoma Statutes, may be transferred from nursing homes to repositories established for the purpose of distributing the medication to Oklahoma residents who are medically indigent.

B. The State Board of Health and the Board of Pharmacy shall promulgate rules and establish procedures necessary and appropriate to implement the provisions of subsection A of this section.

SECTION 2. This act shall become effective November 1, 2001.

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