

1 STATE OF OKLAHOMA

2 2nd Session of the 52nd Legislature (2010)

3 SENATE RESOLUTION 79

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6 AS INTRODUCED

7 An Act relating to prescription drugs; encouraging
8 physicians and pharmacists to label prescription
9 drugs with certain information; and directing
10 distribution.

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12 WHEREAS, according to the Kaiser Family Foundation, the average
13 American takes over 12 prescriptions per day;

14 WHEREAS, forgetting to take a medication or taking more than the
15 prescribed dose can result in adverse health effects;

16 WHEREAS, prescription labels that provide information on the
17 condition for which the medication was prescribed can reduce
18 medication errors.

19 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE OF THE 2ND SESSION
20 OF THE 52ND OKLAHOMA LEGISLATURE:

21 THAT the Oklahoma State Senate encourages physicians and
22 pharmacists to label prescription drugs with information on the
23 condition for which the medication was prescribed.
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THAT the Secretary of State distribute a copy of this resolution to the Board of Pharmacy, the State Board of Medical Licensure and Supervision, and the State Board of Osteopathic Examiners.

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