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1                                   A bill to be entitled  
 2           An act relating to prescriptions for medicinal drugs;  
 3           creating s. 456.0392, F.S.; requiring certain  
 4           practitioners to include specified information on  
 5           prescriptions; providing that certain prescriptions shall  
 6           be presumed valid; providing an effective date.

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 8 Be It Enacted by the Legislature of the State of Florida:

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 10           Section 1. Section 456.0392, Florida Statutes, is created  
 11 to read:

12           456.0392 Prescription labeling.--

13           (1) A prescription written by a practitioner who is  
 14 authorized under the laws of this state to write prescriptions  
 15 for drugs that are not listed as controlled substances in  
 16 chapter 893 but who is not eligible for a federal Drug  
 17 Enforcement Administration number shall include that  
 18 practitioner's name and professional license number. The  
 19 pharmacist or dispensing practitioner must include the  
 20 practitioner's name on the container of the drug that is  
 21 dispensed. A pharmacist shall be permitted, upon verification by  
 22 the prescriber, to document any information required by this  
 23 section.

24           (2) A prescription for a drug that is not listed as a  
 25 controlled substance in chapter 893 which is written by an  
 26 advanced registered nurse practitioner certified under s.  
 27 464.012 is presumed, subject to rebuttal, to be valid and within  
 28 the parameters of the prescriptive authority delegated by a  
 29 practitioner licensed under chapter 458, chapter 459, or chapter  
 30 466.

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31        (3) A prescription for a drug that is not listed as a  
32        controlled substance in chapter 893 which is written by a  
33        physician assistant licensed under chapter 458 or chapter 459 is  
34        presumed, subject to rebuttal, to be valid and within the  
35        parameters of the prescriptive authority delegated by the  
36        physician assistant's supervising physician.

37                Section 2. This act shall take effect July 1, 2004.