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A bill to be entitled

An act relating to pharmaceutical compounding; creating s. 465.1895, F.S.; providing definitions; providing pharmaceutical compounding for provision and administration of compounded drug to patient by practitioner in practitioner's office or in health care facility or other treatment setting; providing for pharmacist to dispense and deliver reasonable quantity of compounded drug, including certain controlled substances, to practitioner for office use; providing for distribution of compounded and prepackaged pharmaceutical preparations by a special parenteral or enteral extended scope pharmacy to a permitted institutional pharmacy or licensed dispensing practitioner; providing an effective date.

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

Section 1. Section 465.1895, Florida Statutes, is created to read:

- 465.1895 Pharmaceutical compounding. --
- (1)DEFINITIONS. -- As used in this section:
- "Office use" means the provision and administration of a compounded drug to a patient by a practitioner in the practitioner's office or by the practitioner in a health care facility or treatment setting, including a hospital, ambulatory surgical center, or pharmacy, in accordance with this chapter.
- "Reasonable quantity" means, with reference to drug (b) compounding, an amount of a drug that:

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1. Does not exceed the amount a practitioner anticipates may be used in the practitioner's office before the expiration date of the compounded drug;

- 2. Is reasonable considering the intended use of the compounded drug and the nature of the practitioner's practice; and
- 3. Is not greater than the amount the pharmacy is capable of compounding in compliance with the pharmaceutical standards for identity, strength, quality, and purity of the compounded drug that are consistent with the United States Pharmacopoeia guidelines and accreditation practices.
- (2) PHARMACY COMPOUNDING FOR OFFICE USE. -- A pharmacist may dispense and deliver a reasonable quantity of a compounded drug to a practitioner for office use by a practitioner, including:
- (a) Non-patient-specific controlled substances within Schedules III, IV, and V.
- (b) Non-patient-specific controlled substances within Schedule II.

The controlled substances in paragraphs (a) and (b) may be ordered by the practitioner using authorized forms.

(3) DISTRIBUTION OF COMPOUNDED AND PREPACKAGED PREPARATIONS

TO CERTAIN PHARMACIES. -- A special parenteral or enteral extended scope permitted pharmacy may distribute compounded and prepackaged pharmaceutical preparations to a permitted institutional pharmacy or to a licensed dispensing practitioner.

Section 2. This act shall take effect July 1, 2008.