

LEGISLATIVE ACTION

Senate House

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Senator Smith moved the following:

Senate Amendment (with title amendment)

Between lines 648 and 649 insert:

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Section 17. Subsection (1) of section 465.0251, Florida Statutes, is reenacted to read:

465.0251 Generic drugs; removal from formulary under specified circumstances.-

(1) The Board of Pharmacy and the Board of Medicine shall remove any generic named drug product from the formulary established by s. 465.025(6), if every commercially marketed equivalent of that drug product is "A" rated as therapeutically equivalent to a reference listed drug or is a reference listed



drug as referred to in "Approved Drug Products with Therapeutic Equivalence Evaluations" (Orange Book) published by the United States Food and Drug Administration.

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And the title is amended as follows:

Delete line 91

and insert:

employee; reenacting s. 465.0251(1), F.S., to require the Board of Pharmacy and the Board of Medicine to remove certain drugs from the negative formulary for generic and brand-name drugs based on current references published by the United States Food and Drug Administration; providing appropriations from the General