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CHAMBER ACTION

Senate

House

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1 Representative Eisnaugle offered the following:

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3 **Amendment (with title amendment)**

4 Remove everything after the enacting clause and insert:

5 Section 1. Section 381.06014, Florida Statutes, is amended
6 to read:

7 381.06014 Blood establishments.-

8 (1) As used in this section, the term:

9 (a) "Blood establishment" means any person, entity, or
10 organization, operating within the state, which examines an
11 individual for the purpose of blood donation or which collects,
12 processes, stores, tests, or distributes blood or blood
13 components collected from the human body for the purpose of
14 transfusion, for any other medical purpose, or for the
15 production of any biological product. A person, entity, or

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16 organization that uses a mobile unit to conduct such activities
17 within the state is also a blood establishment.

18 (b) "Volunteer donor" means a person who does not receive
19 remuneration, other than an incentive, for a blood donation
20 intended for transfusion, and the product container of the
21 donation from the person qualifies for labeling with the
22 statement "volunteer donor" under 21 C.F.R. s. 606.121.

23 (2) Any blood establishment operating in the state may not
24 conduct any activity defined in paragraph (1) (a) subsection (1)
25 unless that blood establishment is operated in a manner
26 consistent with the provisions of ~~Title 21 C.F.R. parts 211 and~~
27 ~~600-640, Code of Federal Regulations.~~

28 (3) Any blood establishment determined to be operating in
29 the state in a manner not consistent with the provisions of
30 ~~Title 21 C.F.R. parts 211 and 600-640, Code of Federal~~
31 ~~Regulations,~~ and in a manner that constitutes a danger to the
32 health or well-being of donors or recipients as evidenced by the
33 federal Food and Drug Administration's inspection reports and
34 the revocation of the blood establishment's license or
35 registration is shall be in violation of this chapter and must
36 ~~shall~~ immediately cease all operations in the state.

37 (4) The operation of a blood establishment in a manner not
38 consistent with the provisions of ~~Title 21 C.F.R. parts 211 and~~
39 ~~600-640, Code of Federal Regulations,~~ and in a manner that
40 constitutes a danger to the health or well-being of blood donors
41 or recipients as evidenced by the federal Food and Drug
42 Administration's inspection process is declared a nuisance and
43 inimical to the public health, welfare, and safety. The Agency

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44 for Health Care Administration or any state attorney may bring
45 an action for an injunction to restrain such operations or
46 enjoin the future operation of the blood establishment.

47 (5) A local government may not restrict the access to or
48 use of any public facility or infrastructure for the collection
49 of blood or blood components from volunteer donors based on
50 whether the blood establishment is operating as a for-profit
51 organization or not-for-profit organization.

52 (6) In determining the service fee of blood or blood
53 components received from volunteer donors and sold to hospitals
54 or other health care providers, a blood establishment may not
55 base the service fee of the blood or blood component solely on
56 whether the purchasing entity is a for-profit organization or
57 not-for-profit organization.

58 (7) A blood establishment that collects blood or blood
59 components from volunteer donors must disclose on the Internet
60 the information required under this subsection to educate and
61 inform donors and the public about the blood establishment's
62 activities. A hospital that collects blood or blood components
63 to be used only by that hospital's licensed facilities or by a
64 health care provider that is a part of the hospital's business
65 entity is exempt from the disclosure requirements in this
66 subsection. The information required to be disclosed under this
67 subsection may be cumulative for all blood establishments within
68 a business entity. A blood establishment must disclose on its
69 website all of the following information:

70 (a) A description of the steps involved in collecting,
71 processing, and distributing volunteer donations.

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72 (b) By March 1 of each year, the number of units of blood
73 components which were:

74 1. Produced by the blood establishment during the
75 preceding calendar year;

76 2. Obtained from other sources during the preceding
77 calendar year;

78 3. Distributed during the preceding calendar year to
79 health care providers located outside this state. However, if
80 the blood establishment collects donations in a county outside
81 this state, distributions to health care providers in that
82 county shall be excluded. Such information shall be reported in
83 the aggregate for health care providers located within the
84 United States and its territories or outside the United States
85 and its territories; and

86 4. Distributed during the preceding calendar year to
87 entities that are not health care providers. Such information
88 shall be reported in the aggregate for purchasers located within
89 the United States and its territories or outside the United
90 States and its territories.

91 (c) The blood establishment's conflict-of-interest policy,
92 policy concerning related-party transactions, whistleblower
93 policy, and policy for determining executive compensation. If a
94 change occurs to any of these documents, the revised document
95 must be available on the blood establishment's website by the
96 following March 1.

97 (d) Except for a hospital that collects blood or blood
98 components from volunteer donors:

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99 1. The most recent 3 years of the Return of Organization
100 Exempt from Income Tax, Internal Revenue Service Form 990, if
101 the business entity for the blood establishment is eligible to
102 file such return. The Form 990 must be available on the blood
103 establishment's website within 60 calendar days after it is
104 filed with the Internal Revenue Service; or

105 2. If the business entity for the blood establishment is
106 not eligible to file the Form 990 return, a balance sheet,
107 income statement, and statement of changes in cash flow, along
108 with the expression of an opinion thereon by an independent
109 certified public accountant who audited or reviewed such
110 financial statements. Such documents must be available on the
111 blood establishment's website within 120 days after the end of
112 the blood establishment's fiscal year and must remain on the
113 blood establishment's website for at least 36 months.

114 (8) A blood establishment is liable for a civil penalty
115 for failing to make the disclosures required under subsection
116 (7). The Department of Legal Affairs may assess the civil
117 penalty against the blood establishment for each day that it
118 fails to make such required disclosures, but the penalty may not
119 exceed \$10,000 per year. If multiple blood establishments
120 operated by a single business entity fail to meet such
121 disclosure requirements, the civil penalty may be assessed
122 against only one of the business entity's blood establishments.
123 The Department of Legal Affairs may terminate an action if the
124 blood establishment agrees to pay a stipulated civil penalty. A
125 civil penalty so collected accrues to the state and shall be
126 deposited as received into the General Revenue Fund unallocated.

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127 The Department of Legal Affairs may terminate the action and
128 waive the civil penalty upon a showing of good cause by the
129 blood establishment as to why the required disclosures were not
130 made.

131 Section 2. Subsection (23) of section 499.003, Florida
132 Statutes, is amended to read:

133 499.003 Definitions of terms used in this part.—As used in
134 this part, the term:

135 (23) "Health care entity" means a closed pharmacy or any
136 person, organization, or business entity that provides
137 diagnostic, medical, surgical, or dental treatment or care, or
138 chronic or rehabilitative care, but does not include any
139 wholesale distributor or retail pharmacy licensed under state
140 law to deal in prescription drugs. However, a blood
141 establishment is a health care entity that may engage in the
142 wholesale distribution of prescription drugs under s.
143 499.01(2)(g)1.c.

144 Section 3. Subsection (21) of section 499.005, Florida
145 Statutes, is amended to read:

146 499.005 Prohibited acts.—It is unlawful for a person to
147 perform or cause the performance of any of the following acts in
148 this state:

149 (21) The wholesale distribution of any prescription drug
150 that was:

151 (a) Purchased by a public or private hospital or other
152 health care entity; or

153 (b) Donated or supplied at a reduced price to a charitable
154 organization,

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156 unless the wholesale distribution of the prescription drug is
157 authorized in s. 499.01(2)(g)1.c.

158 Section 4. Paragraphs (a) and (g) of subsection (2) of
159 section 499.01, Florida Statutes, are amended to read:

160 499.01 Permits.—

161 (2) The following permits are established:

162 (a) Prescription drug manufacturer permit.—A prescription
163 drug manufacturer permit is required for any person that is a
164 manufacturer of a prescription drug and that manufactures or
165 distributes such prescription drugs in this state.

166 1. A person that operates an establishment permitted as a
167 prescription drug manufacturer may engage in wholesale
168 distribution of prescription drugs manufactured at that
169 establishment and must comply with all of the provisions of this
170 part, except s. 499.01212, and the rules adopted under this
171 part, except s. 499.01212, which ~~that~~ apply to a wholesale
172 distributor.

173 2. A prescription drug manufacturer must comply with all
174 appropriate state and federal good manufacturing practices.

175 3. A blood establishment, as defined in s. 381.06014,
176 operating in a manner consistent with the provisions of 21
177 C.F.R. parts 211 and 600-640, and manufacturing only the
178 prescription drugs described in s. 499.003(54)(d) is not
179 required to be permitted as a prescription drug manufacturer
180 under this paragraph or to register products under s. 499.015.

181 (g) Restricted prescription drug distributor permit.—

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182 1. A restricted prescription drug distributor permit is
183 required for:

184 a. Any person located in this state who ~~that~~ engages in
185 the distribution of a prescription drug, which distribution is
186 not considered "wholesale distribution" under s. 499.003(54) (a).

187 ~~b.1.~~ Any A person located in this state who engages in the
188 receipt or distribution of a prescription drug in this state for
189 the purpose of processing its return or its destruction ~~must~~
190 ~~obtain a permit as a restricted prescription drug distributor~~ if
191 such person is not the person initiating the return, the
192 prescription drug wholesale supplier of the person initiating
193 the return, or the manufacturer of the drug.

194 c. A blood establishment located in this state which
195 collects blood and blood components only from volunteer donors
196 as defined in s. 381.06014 or pursuant to an authorized
197 practitioner's order for medical treatment or therapy and
198 engages in the wholesale distribution of a prescription drug not
199 described in s. 499.003(54) (d) to a health care entity. A mobile
200 blood unit operated by a blood establishment permitted under
201 this sub-subparagraph is not required to be separately
202 permitted. The health care entity receiving a prescription drug
203 distributed under this sub-subparagraph must be licensed as a
204 closed pharmacy or provide health care services at that
205 establishment. The blood establishment must operate in
206 accordance with s. 381.06014 and may distribute only:

207 (I) Prescription drugs indicated for a bleeding or
208 clotting disorder or anemia;

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209 (II) Blood-collection containers approved under s. 505 of
210 the federal act;

211 (III) Drugs that are blood derivatives, or a recombinant
212 or synthetic form of a blood derivative;

213 (IV) Prescription drugs that are identified in rules
214 adopted by the department and that are essential to services
215 performed or provided by blood establishments and authorized for
216 distribution by blood establishments under federal law; or

217 (V) To the extent authorized by federal law, drugs
218 necessary to collect blood or blood components from volunteer
219 blood donors; for blood establishment personnel to perform
220 therapeutic procedures under the direction and supervision of a
221 licensed physician; and to diagnose, treat, manage, and prevent
222 any reaction of a volunteer blood donor or a patient undergoing
223 a therapeutic procedure performed under the direction and
224 supervision of a licensed physician,

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226 as long as all of the health care services provided by the blood
227 establishment are related to its activities as a registered
228 blood establishment or the health care services consist of
229 collecting, processing, storing, or administering human
230 hematopoietic stem cells or progenitor cells or performing
231 diagnostic testing of specimens if such specimens are tested
232 together with specimens undergoing routine donor testing. The
233 blood establishment may purchase and possess the drugs described
234 in this sub-subparagraph without a health care clinic
235 establishment permit.

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236 2. Storage, handling, and recordkeeping of these
237 distributions by a person required to be permitted as a
238 restricted prescription drug distributor must be in accordance
239 ~~comply~~ with the requirements for wholesale distributors under s.
240 499.0121, but not those set forth in s. 499.01212 if the
241 distribution occurs pursuant to sub-subparagraph 1.a. or sub-
242 subparagraph 1.b.

243 3. A person who applies for a permit as a restricted
244 prescription drug distributor, or for the renewal of such a
245 permit, must provide to the department the information required
246 under s. 499.012.

247 4. The department may adopt rules regarding the
248 distribution of prescription drugs by hospitals, health care
249 entities, charitable organizations, ~~or~~ other persons not
250 involved in wholesale distribution, and blood establishments,
251 which rules are necessary for the protection of the public
252 health, safety, and welfare.

253 Section 5. This act shall take effect July 1, 2012.

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257 **T I T L E A M E N D M E N T**

258 Remove the entire title and insert:

259 A bill to be entitled

260 An act relating to blood establishments; amending s.

261 381.06014, F.S.; redefining the term "blood

262 establishment" and defining the term "volunteer

263 donor"; prohibiting local governments from restricting

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264 access to public facilities or infrastructure for
265 certain activities based on whether a blood
266 establishment is operating as a for-profit
267 organization or not-for-profit organization;
268 prohibiting a blood establishment from considering
269 whether certain customers are operating as for-profit
270 organizations or not-for-profit organizations when
271 determining service fees for selling blood or blood
272 components; requiring that certain blood
273 establishments disclose specified information on the
274 Internet; authorizing the Department of Legal Affairs
275 to assess a civil penalty against a blood
276 establishment that fails to disclose specified
277 information on the Internet; providing that the civil
278 penalty accrues to the state and requiring that it be
279 deposited as received into the General Revenue Fund;
280 amending s. 499.003, F.S.; redefining the term "health
281 care entity" to clarify that a blood establishment is
282 a health care entity that may engage in certain
283 activities; amending s. 499.005, F.S.; clarifying
284 provisions that prohibit the unauthorized wholesale
285 distribution of a prescription drug that was purchased
286 by a hospital or other health care entity or donated
287 or supplied at a reduced price to a charitable
288 organization, to conform to changes made by the act;
289 amending s. 499.01, F.S.; exempting certain blood
290 establishments from the requirements to be permitted
291 as a prescription drug manufacturer and register

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292 products; requiring that certain blood establishments
293 obtain a restricted prescription drug distributor
294 permit under specified conditions; limiting the
295 prescription drugs that a blood establishment may
296 distribute under a restricted prescription drug
297 distributor permit; authorizing the Department of
298 Business and Professional Regulation to adopt rules
299 regarding the distribution of prescription drugs by
300 blood establishments; providing an effective date.