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LEGISLATIVE ACTION

Senate Comm: RCS 01/30/2024

The Committee on Health Policy (Rodriguez) recommended the following:

Senate Amendment (with title amendment)

Delete everything after the enacting clause and insert:

Section 1. Subsection (1) of section 465.0275, Florida Statutes, is amended to read:

465.0275 Emergency prescription refill.-

8 (1) In the event a pharmacist receives a request for a
9 prescription refill and the pharmacist is unable to readily
10 obtain refill authorization from the prescriber, the pharmacist

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11	may dispense:
12	(a) A one-time emergency refill of up to a 72-hour supply
13	of the prescribed medication; or
14	(b) <u>An</u> A one-time emergency refill of one vial of insulin
15	and insulin-related supplies or equipment to treat diabetes
16	mellitus, not to exceed three nonconsecutive times per calendar
17	year.
18	Section 2. Subsection (3) of section 893.04, Florida
19	Statutes, is amended to read:
20	893.04 Pharmacist and practitioner
21	(3) Notwithstanding subsection (1), a pharmacist may
22	dispense a one-time emergency refill of up to a 72-hour supply
23	of the prescribed medication for any medicinal drug other than a
24	medicinal drug listed in Schedule II, or <u>an emergency refill</u> up
25	to one vial of insulin and insulin-related supplies or equipment
26	to treat diabetes mellitus, not to exceed three nonconsecutive
27	times per calendar year, in compliance with s. 465.0275.
28	Section 3. This act shall take effect July 1, 2024.
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30	========== T I T L E A M E N D M E N T ==============
31	And the title is amended as follows:
32	Delete everything before the enacting clause
33	and insert:
34	A bill to be entitled
35	An act relating to emergency refills of insulin and
36	insulin-related supplies or equipment; amending s.
37	465.0275, F.S.; authorizing pharmacists to dispense an
38	emergency refill of insulin and insulin-related
39	supplies or equipment a specified number of times per

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40 year; amending s. 893.04, F.S.; conforming a provision 41 to changes made by the act; providing an effective 42 date.