NOTICE OF INTENT TO ADOPT, and AMEND ADMINISTRATIVE RULES RELATING TO THE PRACTICE OF PHARMACY AND WHOLESALERS

TAKE NOTICE that the North Dakota State Board of Pharmacy will hold a public hearing to address proposed new rules and amendments to, N.D. Admin. Code Chapters: 61-02-01 Pharmacy Permits to add a Class L; 61-02-01 to add a Continuous Quality Improvement and Policy and Procedure Requirement; Article 61-11 to list the fees required by Senate Bill 2342, adopted in the 2013 legislative session; Chapter; 61-04-02 Physician Exemption to expand the exemption; Chapter 61-04-08 Limited Prescriptive Practices to clarify the signature requirements and form; Chapter 61-08-01 Requirements for Out-Of-State Pharmacies; Chapter 61-12-01 Prescription Drug Monitoring Program to designate the submission standard and require accessing the program in certain circumstances by pharmacies at:

The Ramada Plaza Suites 1635 42nd St SW, Fargo, ND, 58103 Saturday, April 5, 2014 from 4:00-5:00 P.M in the Crystal Ballroom.

- Revise N.D. Admin. Code Chapter 61-02-01 Pharmacy Permits to add a Class L permit for automated dispensing devices in Nursing Homes.
- 2. Create two new sections to N.D. Admin. Code Chapter 61-02-01 to add a Continuous Quality Improvement and Policy and Procedure Requirement for retail pharmacies.
- 3. Revise N.D. Admin. Code Article 61-11 to list the fees required by Senate Bill 2342, adopted in the 2013 legislative session.
- 4. Revise N.D. Admin. Code Chapter 61-04-02 Physician Exemption to expand the exemption.
- Revise N.D. Admin. Code Chapter 61-04-08 Limited Prescriptive Practices to clarify the signature requirements and form.
- 6. Revise N.D. Admin. Code Chapter 61-08-01-08 to require inspection or accreditation of out-of-state pharmacies.

7. Revise N.D. Admin. Code Chapter 61-12 Prescription Drug Monitoring Program to designate the submission standard for data submitted by dispensers and require accessing the program in certain circumstances by pharmacies.

These rules are expected to have a cumulative cost on licensees in excess of \$50,000 and this is addressed in our regulatory analysis. There is no taking of real property involved in these regulatory actions.

The proposed rules may be reviewed at the office of the ND State Board of Pharmacy – 1906 E Broadway – Bismarck ND 58501. A copy of the proposed rules and/or a regulatory analysis may be requested by writing P O Box 1354 Bismarck ND 58502-1354, calling 701-328-9535, or by e mail at ndboph@btinet.net. The proposed rules and regulatory analysis are also on the board's web site at www.nodakpharmacy.com. Written or oral comments on the proposed rules sent to the above address, e mail or telephone number and received by April 16th, 2014 will be fully considered.

If you plan to attend the public hearing and will need special facilities or assistance relating to a disability, please contact the ND State Board of Pharmacy at the above telephone number or address at least two weeks (14 days) prior to the public hearing.

Dated this 28th day of February, 2014.

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