
A BILL FOR AN ACT

RELATING TO PRESCRIPTION DRUGS.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF HAWAII:

1 SECTION 1. Section 431R-5, Hawaii Revised Statutes, is
2 amended by amending subsection (a) to read as follows:

3 "(a) The insurance commissioner [~~may~~] shall assess a fine
4 of up to \$10,000 for each violation by a pharmacy benefit
5 manager or prescription drug benefit plan provider who is in
6 violation of section 431R-2 or 431R-3. In addition, the
7 insurance commissioner may order the pharmacy benefit manager to
8 take specific affirmative corrective action or make
9 restitution."

10 SECTION 2. This Act does not affect rights and duties that
11 matured, penalties that were incurred, and proceedings that were
12 begun before its effective date.

13 SECTION 3. Statutory material to be repealed is bracketed
14 and stricken. New statutory material is underscored.

15 SECTION 4. This Act shall take effect upon its approval.

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Report Title:

Pharmacy Benefit Managers; Violations; Penalties

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