

2026 Regular Session

HOUSE BILL NO. 469

BY REPRESENTATIVE JORDAN

PHARMACISTS: Provides relative to the pharmacy education support fee collected by the Louisiana Board of Pharmacy

1 AN ACT

2 To amend and reenact R.S. 37:1207(A)(2)(a)(i) and (b) and 1230(A)(2)(a)(i) and (b),
3 relative to the pharmacy education support fee; to provide relative to licenses and
4 permits issued by the Louisiana Board of Pharmacy; to provide for the allocation of
5 the fee; to remove requirements to receive the fee; and to provide for related matters.

6 Be it enacted by the Legislature of Louisiana:

7 Section 1. R.S. 37:1207(A)(2)(a)(i) and (b) and 1230(A)(2)(a)(i) and (b) are hereby
8 amended and reenacted to read as follows:

9 §1207. Renewal of license, registration, and certification; expiration; reinstatement

10 A.

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12 (2)(a)(i) The board shall assess on each pharmacist license renewal as
13 required by this Section an additional fee of one hundred dollars per year to be
14 designated as the "pharmacy education support fee". This fee shall be dedicated and
15 allocated as specified in this Paragraph to an accredited school of pharmacy of a
16 ~~public~~ university in this state. The board shall include on each license renewal form
17 issued to a pharmacist an optional election whereby the person may elect not to remit
18 the one hundred dollar pharmacy education support fee. The board shall also include

Present law requires the board to allocate all pharmacy education support fees collected by April first each year.

Proposed law retains present law.

(Amends R.S. 37:1207(A)(2)(a)(i) and (b) and 1230(A)(2)(a)(i) and (b))