## **SENATE FLOOR AMENDMENTS**

2018 Regular Session

Amendments proposed by Senator Mills to Reengrossed House Bill No. 436 by Representative Johnson

## 1 AMENDMENT NO. 1

- 2 On page 1, line 4, after "1860.3" insert "1860.4"
- 3 AMENDMENT NO. 2
- 4 On page 1, line 7, after "pharmacies;" insert "to provide for prohibited trade practices;"
- 5 AMENDMENT NO. 3
- 6 On page 1, line 13, after "1860.3" insert "1860.4"
- 7 AMENDMENT NO. 4
- 8 On page 2, between lines 16 and 17, insert the following:

## 9 "§1860.4. Prohibited trade practices

- A. Notwithstanding any provision of law to the contrary, a health insurance insurer or pharmacy benefit manager shall not require any pharmacy or pharmacist to hold a license, accreditation, affiliation, or registration other than that required by federal or state law, rules, or regulations.
- B. Effective August 1, 2018, any contract provision requiring any pharmacy or pharmacist to hold a license, accreditation, affiliation, or registration other than that required by federal or state law, rules, or regulations shall be severable from the contract and considered null and void and not enforceable in Louisiana.
- C. In addition to the authority of the commissioner to enforce the provisions of this Section, the attorney general shall have the authority to enforce the provisions of this Section against any health insurance issuer or pharmacy benefit manager who fails to comply with the jurisdiction, regulatory, or licensing authority of the commissioner which may subject the health insurance issuer or pharmacy benefit manger to action under the Unfair Trade Practices and Consumer Protection Law pursuant to R.S. 51:1401."

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