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Section

- 1 **[151.37] Subd. 6. Exclusion for course of employment.** Allows possession of a prescription drug for the purpose of its disposal by:
 - a law enforcement officer;
 - a licensed hazardous waste transporter or storage, treatment, or disposal facility;
 - a facility licensed to generate small quantities of hazardous waste;
 - a county that collects and disposes of legend drugs; or
 - a sanitary district.
- 2 **[151.37] Subd. 7. Exclusion for prescriptions.** Allows a person for whom a prescription drug has been prescribed to transfer it for disposal to a county collection program or to a person authorized by such a collection program to transport, store, or dispose of it.
- 3 **[151.44] Definitions.** Amends the definition of “wholesale drug distribution” to include the distribution of nonprescription drugs and “reverse distribution,” the receipt of drugs for the purpose of returning them to their producers or distributors.