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Section

- 1 **Limitations on filling prescriptions for opioid drugs.** Adds § 151.216. (a) Prohibits a pharmacist or dispenser from filling a prescription drug order for an opioid drug more than 30 days after the date on which the prescription was issued. States that this section does not prevent the Board of Pharmacy from setting limits in rule on refilling a prescription drug order for an opioid drug or for filling an order for a non-opioid drug. Provides a definition of “dispenser.”

(b) Requires the Board of Pharmacy to conform Minnesota Rules, part 6800.3510, to the requirements of paragraph (a), and allows the board to use the expedited process. (This rule part provides that prescriptions cannot be filled or refilled more than 12 months after the date of issuance.)