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Overview

This bill exempts licensed manufacturers, licensed wholesale drug distributors, and logistics providers that distribute home dialysis supplies and devices from the requirements of pharmacy licensure, under certain conditions.

Section

- 1 Pharmacy licensure requirements.** Amends § 151.19, subd. 1. Specifies that pharmacy licensing requirements do not apply to manufacturers, wholesale drug distributors, and logistics providers who distribute home dialysis supplies and devices, if:
 - the manufacturer leases or owns the licensed manufacturing or wholesaling facility from which the dialysate or devices will be delivered;
 - the dialysis supplies meet certain specifications;
 - the supplies are only delivered pursuant to physician's order by a Minnesota licensed pharmacy;
 - the entity keeps records for at least 3 years, available to the board upon request; and
 - the entity delivers the supplies directly to a patient with end-stage renal disease or the patient's designee, for dialysis, or to a health care provider or institution, for the same purpose.
- 2 Prohibited drug purchases or receipt.** Amends § 151.46. Provides exception to prohibition on licensed wholesale drug distributors that are not pharmacies directly dispensing or distributing drugs, for home dialysis supplies under section 1.