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BULLETIN No. 13-03

To: Nonresident Pharmacies
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Re: Act 282 of 2013 Louisiana Legislature

Effective on August 1, 2013, this legislation amended the Louisiana Pharmacy Practice Act, specifically §1232 relative to nonresident pharmacies. The text of the revised section is now available on the Board's website: www.pharmacy.la.gov → *Laws & Rules* → Title 37 – Professions & Occupations → Chapter 14 → Part D – Permit Requirements → §1232. Nonresident pharmacy.

Here is a summary of the changes:

- Updated terminology; changed "out-of-state" to "nonresident."
- Requires notice to the board within ten business days of any change to the pharmacist-in-charge or the owner's managing officer.
- In addition to the inspection report produced by the resident board of pharmacy, the nonresident pharmacy shall also send to the Board inspection reports produced by another state board of pharmacy or any agent thereof, as well as the federal DEA or federal FDA.
- In addition to or in lieu of an inspection by the resident board of pharmacy, the nonresident pharmacy shall submit to an inspection by the Louisiana Board of Pharmacy or an agent thereof.
- When the Louisiana Board of Pharmacy or an agent thereof conducts an inspection of a nonresident pharmacy, the Board shall recover its expenses for such inspection from the nonresident pharmacy, in addition to the permit fee charged by the Board.