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AN ACT CONCERNING REGULATION OF PRESCRIPTION DRUGS AND RELATED PROFESSIONS.

AMENDMENT

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OFA Fiscal Note

State Impact:

Agency Affected	Fund-Effect	FY 25 \$	FY 26 \$
Resources of the General Fund	GF - Potential	See Below	See Below
	Revenue Gain		

Note: GF=General Fund

Municipal Impact: None

Explanation

The amendment strikes the underlying bill and its associated fiscal impact resulting in the following impact.

The amendment adds to the reasons for which the state Pharmacy Commission may take disciplinary action (which includes issuing a civil penalty of up to \$1,000) resulting in a potential revenue gain to the state to the extent violations occur and civil penalties are issued.

The amendment creates an application and renewal fee for pharmacy technicians and clerks of \$25 resulting in a potential revenue gain to the state to the extent these are applied for.

The amendment also establishes a task force to study the impact of unannounced retail pharmacy closures resulting in no fiscal impact because the task force has the expertise to meet the requirements of the bill.

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