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Introducer's Statement of Intent

LB887

Chairperson: Senator Sara Howard

Committee: Health and Human Services

Date of Hearing: January 30, 2020

The following constitutes the reasons for this bill and the purposes which are sought to be accomplished thereby:

LB 887 would allow pharmacists, in limited circumstances, to adapt a prescription for a patient at the request of the patient. Those circumstances include when a dosage form change is needed, one-time emergency fills of medication, dispensing multiple months prescriptions as allowed by the original prescription, and substituting drugs with the same active ingredient due to insurance coverage denial or formulary issues.

Principal Introducer: _____

Senator John Arch