

**Adopted  
AMENDMENT NO 2 PROPOSED TO**

**Senate Bill No. 2802**

**BY: Representatives Roberson, Steverson**

**Amend by striking all after the enacting clause and inserting  
in lieu thereof the following:**

14        SECTION 1. (1) (a) It is lawful for a pharmacy registered  
15 under Section 73-21-105 to sell or distribute to a person, without  
16 a prescription, products containing not more than three and six  
17 tenths (3.6) grams per day and not more than seven and two tenths  
18 (7.2) grams per thirty-day period of pseudoephedrine or ephedrine,  
19 and it is lawful for a person to purchase products containing  
20 those ingredients from a registered pharmacy without a  
21 prescription, in accordance with the requirements of this section.  
22           (b) All products authorized under this subsection (1)  
23 must be stored by a pharmacy by placing the products behind a



24 counter in an area within the pharmacy where the public is not  
25 permitted.

26 (c) Any products authorized under this subsection (1)  
27 sold by a pharmacy must be sold by an individual licensed as a  
28 pharmacist or by an employee of the pharmacy under the direct  
29 supervision and control of a licensed pharmacist.

30 (d) No pharmacy may sell or distribute, and no person  
31 may purchase, more products than allowed under this section unless  
32 by valid prescription. It is not a defense in a prosecution under  
33 this section that no money was exchanged during a transaction that  
34 would otherwise be unlawful under this section.

35 (2) A pharmacy selling products in a manner authorized under  
36 subsection (1) of this section must:

37 (a) Use the National Precursor Log Exchange (NPLEx)  
38 system administered by the National Association of Drug Diversion  
39 Investigators, provided that the system is available to pharmacies  
40 or retailers in the state without a charge for accessing the NPLEx  
41 system, before completing the over-the-counter sale of each  
42 product authorized under subsection (1) of this section. Before  
43 completing a sale of an over-the-counter material, compound,  
44 mixture, or preparation containing any detectable quantity of  
45 pseudoephedrine or ephedrine, its salts or optical isomers, or  
46 salts of optical isomers a pharmacy or retailer shall  
47 electronically submit the information required under subsection  
48 (b) of this subsection (2) to the NPLEx system. The pharmacy or



49 retailer shall not complete the sale if the NPLEx system generates  
50 a stop sale alert. The system shall contain an override function  
51 that may be used by an agent of a retail establishment who is  
52 dispensing the drug product, and who has a reasonable fear of  
53 imminent bodily harm if the transaction is not completed. The  
54 system shall create a record of each use of the override  
55 mechanism.

56 (b) Maintain an electronic log of required information  
57 for each transaction, and require the purchaser of the package to  
58 be at least eighteen (18) years of age and provide a valid,  
59 unsuspended driver's license or nondriver identification card  
60 issued by this state or another state, a United States Uniformed  
61 Services Privilege and Identification Card, or a United States or  
62 foreign passport, and to sign a written or electronic log  
63 attesting to the validity of the information provided for each  
64 transaction. The record of each transaction must include the  
65 information from the identification card as well as the type of  
66 and government entity issuing the identification card used, the  
67 name, date of birth, and current address of the purchaser, the  
68 date and time of the sale, the name of the compound, mixture, or  
69 preparation being sold, and the total amount, in grams or  
70 milligrams, of pseudoephedrine or ephedrine being sold.

71 (c) Maintain a written log or an alternative electronic  
72 record keeping mechanism if a pharmacy or retailer experiences  
73 mechanical or electronic failure of the required electronic



74 tracking system until such time as the pharmacy or retailer is  
75 able to comply with the electronic sales tracking requirement. No  
76 person shall purchase, receive or otherwise acquire more than  
77 three and six-tenths (3.6) grams per day or seven and two-tenths  
78 (7.2) grams of pseudoephedrine or ephedrine within any thirty-day  
79 period.

80 (3) The National Association of Drug Diversion  
81 Investigators shall provide real-time access to the NPLEx  
82 information through the NPLEx online portal to law enforcement in  
83 the state.

84 (4) This section does not apply to pseudoephedrine and  
85 ephedrine products dispensed pursuant to a legitimate  
86 prescription.

87 (5) A violation of this section is a misdemeanor and is  
88 punishable as follows:

89 (a) For a first offense, by a fine not to exceed One  
90 Thousand Dollars (\$1,000.00).

91 (b) For a second or subsequent offense, by a fine not  
92 to exceed Ten Thousand Dollars (\$10,000.00).

93 (6) A pharmacist who is the general owner or operator of an  
94 establishment where pseudoephedrine and ephedrine products are  
95 available for sale shall not be penalized under this section for  
96 the conduct of an employee if the retailer documents that an  
97 employee training program approved by the Mississippi Board of  
98 Pharmacy was conducted by the pharmacist. The Mississippi Board



99 of Pharmacy shall develop or approve all training programs for  
100 pharmacy employees.

101 (7) A person who resides in a state that requires a  
102 prescription for the purchase of pseudoephedrine or ephedrine, or  
103 who presents identification from a state that requires a  
104 prescription for the purchase of pseudoephedrine or ephedrine, may  
105 purchase those products only upon presentation of a valid  
106 prescription for the pseudoephedrine or ephedrine.

107 **SECTION 2.** Section 41-29-117, Mississippi Code of 1972, is  
108 amended as follows:

109 41-29-117. (A) The controlled substances listed in this  
110 section are included in Schedule III.

111 **SCHEDULE III**

112 (a) **Stimulants.** Any material, compound, mixture, or  
113 preparation which contains any quantity of the following  
114 substances or their salts, isomers, or salts of isomers, of the  
115 following substances:

- 116 (1) Benzphetamine;
- 117 (2) Chlorphentermine;
- 118 (3) Clortermine;
- 119 (4) Phendimetrazine.

120 (b) **Depressants.** Unless listed in another schedule,  
121 any material, compound, mixture, or preparation which contains any  
122 quantity of the following substances:



123 (1) Any substance which contains any quantity of a  
124 derivative of barbituric acid, or any salt of a derivative of  
125 barbituric acid, except those substances which are specifically  
126 listed in other schedules;

127 (2) Unless specifically excepted or unless listed  
128 in another schedule, any compound, mixture or preparation  
129 containing any of the following substances or any salt of the  
130 substances specifically included in this subsection (2) and one or  
131 more other active medicinal ingredients which are not listed in  
132 any other schedule:

- 133 (i) Amobarbital;
- 134 (ii) Secobarbital;
- 135 (iii) Pentobarbital;

136 (3) Any suppository dosage form containing any of  
137 the following substances or any salt of any of the substances  
138 specifically included in this subsection (3) approved by the Food  
139 and Drug Administration for marketing only as a suppository:

- 140 (i) Amobarbital;
- 141 (ii) Secobarbital;
- 142 (iii) Pentobarbital;

143 (4) Chlorhexadol;

144 (5) Embutramide;

145 (6) Any drug product containing

146 gamma-hydroxybutyric acid, including its salts, isomers and salts



147 of isomers, for which an application is approved under Section 505  
148 of the Federal Food, Drug and Cosmetic Act;

149 (7) Ketamine; its salts, isomers, and salts of  
150 isomers; other names include

151 (+)-2-(2-chlorophenyl)-2-(methylamino)cyclohexanone;

152 (8) Lysergic acid;

153 (9) Lysergic acid amide;

154 (10) Methyprylon;

155 (11) Perampanel; its salts, isomers, and salts of  
156 isomers;

157 (12) Sulfondiethylmethane;

158 (13) Sulfonethylmethane;

159 (14) Sulfonmethane;

160 (15) Tiletamine and zolazepam or any salt thereof;

161 other names for the tiletamine and zolazepam combination product  
162 include: telazol; other names for tiletamine include:

163 2-(ethylamino)-2-(2-thienyl)-cyclohexanone; other names for

164 zolazepam include: 4-(2-fluorophenyl)-6,8-dihydro 1,3,

165 8-trimethylpyrazolo-[3,4-e](1,4)-diazepin-7(1H)-one, flupyrzapon.

166 (c) Nalorphine.

167 (d) Any material, compound, mixture or preparation

168 which contains any quantity of pseudoephedrine or ephedrine,

169 except that any product that contains any quantity of

170 pseudoephedrine or ephedrine is not a Schedule III controlled

171 substance if it is sold subject to the quantity restrictions



172 authorized in, and in accordance with all other provisions of,  
173 Section 1 of this act.

174 (e) **Narcotic drugs.** Any material, compound, mixture,  
175 or preparation containing limited quantities of any of the  
176 following narcotic drugs, or any salts thereof:

177 (1) Not more than one and eight-tenths (1.8) grams  
178 of codeine, or any of its salts, per one hundred (100) milliliters  
179 or not more than ninety (90) milligrams per dosage unit, with an  
180 equal or greater quantity of an isoquinoline alkaloid of opium;

181 (2) Not more than one and eight-tenths (1.8) grams  
182 of codeine, or any of its salts, per one hundred (100) milliliters  
183 or not more than ninety (90) milligrams per dosage unit, with one  
184 or more active, nonnarcotic ingredients in recognized therapeutic  
185 amounts;

186 (3) Not more than one and eight-tenths (1.8) grams  
187 of dihydrocodeine, or any of its salts, per one hundred (100)  
188 milliliters or not more than ninety (90) milligrams per dosage  
189 unit, with one or more active, nonnarcotic ingredients in  
190 recognized therapeutic amounts;

191 (4) Not more than three hundred (300) milligrams of  
192 ethylmorphine, or any of its salts, per one hundred (100)  
193 milliliters or not more than fifteen (15) milligrams per dosage  
194 unit, with one or more active, nonnarcotic ingredients in  
195 recognized therapeutic amounts;





196 (5) Not more than five hundred (500) milligrams of  
197 opium per one hundred (100) milliliters or per one hundred (100)  
198 grams, or not more than twenty-five (25) milligrams per dosage  
199 unit, with one or more active, nonnarcotic ingredients in  
200 recognized therapeutic amounts;

201 (6) Not more than fifty (50) milligrams of  
202 morphine, or any of its salts, per one hundred (100) milliliters  
203 or per one hundred (100) grams with one or more active,  
204 nonnarcotic ingredients in recognized therapeutic amounts.

205 (f) **Anabolic steroids.** Unless specifically exempted or  
206 listed in another schedule, any material, compound, mixture or  
207 preparation containing any quantity of any of the following  
208 anabolic steroids (any drug or hormonal substance chemically and  
209 pharmacologically related to testosterone other than estrogens,  
210 progestins, corticosteroids and dehydroepiandrosterone):

211 (1) 3beta,17-dihydroxy-5a-androstane;

212 (2) 3alpha,17beta-dihydroxy-5a-androstane;

213 (3) 5alpha-androstan-3,17-dione;

214 (4) 1-androstenediol  
215 (3beta,17beta-dihydroxy-5alpha-androst-1-ene);

216 (5) 1-androstenediol  
217 (3alpha,17beta-dihydroxy-5alpha-androst-1-ene);

218 (6) 4-androstenediol  
219 (3beta,17beta-dihydroxy-androst-4-ene);



220 (7) 5-androstenediol  
221 (3beta,17beta-dihydroxy-androst-5-ene);  
222 (8) 1-androstenedione ([5alpha]-androst-1-en-3,  
223 17-dione);  
224 (9) 4-androstenedione (androst-4-en-3,17-dione);  
225 (10) 5-androstenedione (androst-5-en-3,17-dione);  
226 (11) Bolasterone  
227 (7alpha,17alpha-dimethyl-17beta-hydroxyandrost-4-en-3-one);  
228 (12) Boldenone  
229 (17beta-hydroxyandrost-1,4,-diene-3-one);  
230 (13) Boldione (androsta-1,4-diene-3,17-dione);  
231 (14) Calusterone  
232 (7beta,17alpha-dimethyl-17beta-hydroxyandrost-4-en-3-one);  
233 (15) Clostebol  
234 (4-chloro-17beta-hydroxyandrost-4-en-3-one);  
235 (16) Dehydrochloromethyltestosterone  
236 (4-chloro-17beta-hydroxy-17alpha-methylandrost-1,4-dien-3-one);  
237 (17) Desoxymethyltestosterone  
238 (17alpha-methyl-5alpha-androst-2-en-17beta-ol, also known as  
239 madol);  
240 (18) Delta1-dihydrotestosterone (also known as  
241 1-testosterone) (17beta-hydroxy-5alpha-androst-1-en-3-one);  
242 (19) 4-dihydrotestosterone  
243 (17beta-hydroxy-androstan-3-one);



244 (20) Drostanolone  
245 (17beta-hydroxy-2alpha-methyl-5alpha-androstan-3-one);  
246 (21) Ethylestrenol  
247 (17alpha-ethyl-17beta-hydroxyestr-4-ene);  
248 (22) Fluoxymesterone  
249 (9-fluoro-17alpha-methyl-11beta,  
250 17beta-dihydroxyandrost-4-en-3-one);  
251 (23) Formebolone  
252 (2-formyl-17alpha-methyl-11alpha,17beta-dihydroxyandrost-1,  
253 4-dien-3-one);  
254 (24) Furazabol  
255 (17alpha-methyl-17beta-hydroxyandrostano[2,3-c]-furazan);  
256 (25) 13beta-ethyl-17alpha-hydroxygon-4-en-3-one;  
257 (26) 4-hydroxytestosterone  
258 (4,17beta-dihydroxyandrost-4-en-3-one);  
259 (27) 4-hydroxy-19-nortestosterone  
260 (4,17beta-dihydroxy-estr-4-en-3-one);  
261 (28) Mestanolone  
262 (17alpha-methyl-17beta-hydroxy-5-androstan-3-one);  
263 (29) Mesterolone  
264 (1alpha-methyl-17beta-hydroxy-[5alpha]-androstan-3-one);  
265 (30) Methandienone  
266 (17alpha-methyl-17beta-hydroxyandrost-1,4-dien-3-one);  
267 (31) Methandriol (17alpha-methyl-3beta,  
268 17beta-dihydroxyandrost-5-ene);



269 (32) Methasterone (2[alpha],  
270 17[alpha]-dimethyl-5[alpha]-androstan-17[beta]-ol-3-one;  
271 (33) Methenolone  
272 (1-methyl-17beta-hydroxy-5alpha-androst-1-en-3-one);  
273 (34) 17alpha-methyl-3beta,  
274 17beta-dihydroxy-5a-androstane;  
275 (35) 17alpha-methyl-3alpha,  
276 17beta-dihydroxy-5a-androstane;  
277 (36) 17alpha-methyl-3beta,  
278 17beta-dihydroxyandrost-4-ene;  
279 (37) 17alpha-methyl-4-hydroxynandrolone  
280 (17alpha-methyl-4-hydroxy-17beta-hydroxyestr-4-en-3-one);  
281 (38) Methyldienolone  
282 (17alpha-methyl-17beta-hydroxyestra-4,9(10)-dien-3-one);  
283 (39) Methyltrienolone  
284 (17alpha-methyl-17beta-hydroxyestra-4,9-11-trien-3-one);  
285 (40) Methyltestosterone  
286 (17alpha-methyl-17beta-hydroxyandrost-4-en-3-one);  
287 (41) Mibolerone  
288 (7alpha,17alpha-dimethyl-17beta-hydroxyestr-4-en-3-one);  
289 (42) 17alpha-methyl-Delta1-dihydrotestosterone (17b  
290 beta-hydroxy-17alpha-methyl-5alpha-androst-1-en-3-one) (also known  
291 as 17-alpha-methyl-1-testosterone);  
292 (43) Nandrolone (17beta-hydroxyestr-4-en-3-one);



293 (44) 19-nor-4-androstenediol  
294 (3beta,17beta-dihydroxyestr-4-ene);  
295 (45) 19-nor-4-androstenediol  
296 (3a,17beta-dihydroxyestr-4-ene);  
297 (46) 19-nor-5-androstenediol  
298 (3beta,17beta-dihydroxyestr-5-ene);  
299 (47) 19-nor-5-androstenediol  
300 (3alpha,17beta-dihydroxyestr-5-ene);  
301 (48) 19-nor-4,9(10)-androstadienedione  
302 (estra-4,9(10)-diene-3,17-dione,  
303 19-norandrost-4,9(10)-diene-3,17-dione);  
304 (49) 19-nor-4-androstenedione  
305 (estr-4-en-3,17-dione);  
306 (50) 19-nor-5-androstenedione  
307 (estr-5-en-3,17-dione);  
308 (51) Norbolethone  
309 (13beta,17alpha-diethyl-17beta-hydroxygon-4-en-3-one);  
310 (52) Norclostebol  
311 (4-chloro-17beta-hydroxyestr-4-en-3-one);  
312 (53) Norethandrolone  
313 (17alpha-ethyl-17beta-hydroxyestr-4-en-3-one);  
314 (54) Normethandrolone  
315 (17alpha-methyl-17beta-hydroxyestr-4-en-3-one);  
316 (55) Oxandrolone  
317 (17alpha-methyl-17beta-hydroxy-2-oxa-[5alpha]-androstan-3-one);



318 (56) Oxymesterone  
319 (17alpha-methyl-4,17beta-dihydroxyandrost-4-en-3-one);  
320 (57) Oxymetholone  
321 (17alpha-methyl-2-hydroxymethylene-17beta-hydroxy-[5alpha]-  
322 androstan-3-one);  
323 (58) Prostanazol  
324 (17[beta]-hydroxy-5[alpha]-androstan[3,2-c]pyrazole)  
325 (59) Stanozolol  
326 (17alpha-methyl-17beta-hydroxy-[5alpha]-androst-2-eno[3,2-c]-  
327 pyrazole);  
328 (60) Stenbolone  
329 (17beta-hydroxy-2-methyl-[5alpha]-androst-1-en-3-one);  
330 (61) Testolactone  
331 (13-hydroxy-3-oxo-13,17-secoandrosta-1,4-dien-17-oic acid  
332 lactone);  
333 (62) Testosterone  
334 (17beta-hydroxyandrost-4-en-3-one);  
335 (63) Tetrahydrogestrinone  
336 (13beta,17alpha-diethyl-17beta-hydroxygon-4,9,11-trien-3-one);  
337 (64) Trenbolone  
338 (17beta-hydroxyestr-4,9,11-trien-3-one);  
339 (65) Any salt, ester, or ether of a drug or  
340 substance described in this paragraph. Except such term does not  
341 include an anabolic steroid that is expressly intended for  
342 administration through implants to cattle or other nonhuman



343 species and that has been approved by the Secretary of Health and  
344 Human Services for such administration. If any person prescribes,  
345 dispenses, or distributes such steroid for human use, the person  
346 shall be considered to have prescribed, dispensed or distributed  
347 an anabolic steroid within the meaning of this paragraph.

348 (g) Any material, compound, mixture or preparation  
349 which contains any quantity of buprenorphine or its salts.

350 (h) Dronabinol (synthetic) in sesame oil and  
351 encapsulated in a soft gelatin capsule in a United States Food and  
352 Drug Administration approved drug product.

353 (B) Any material, compound, mixture or preparation which  
354 contains any quantity of a Schedule III controlled substance other  
355 than butalbital, and is listed as an exempt substance in 21 CFR,  
356 Section 1308.22, 1308.24, 1308.26, 1308.32 or 1308.34, shall be  
357 exempted from the provisions of the Uniform Controlled Substances  
358 Law.

359 **SECTION 3.** This act shall take effect and be in force from  
360 and after January 1, 2021.

**Further, amend by striking the title in its entirety and  
inserting in lieu thereof the following:**

1 AN ACT TO AMEND SECTION 41-29-117, MISSISSIPPI CODE OF 1972,  
2 TO AUTHORIZE PHARMACIES TO SELL AND PERSONS TO PURCHASE, WITHOUT A  
3 PRESCRIPTION, PRODUCTS THAT CONTAIN CERTAIN QUANTITIES OF  
4 PSEUDOEPHEDRINE OR EPHEDRINE; TO REQUIRE PHARMACIES SELLING  
5 PRODUCTS AUTHORIZED UNDER THIS ACT TO USE THE NPLEX SYSTEM BEFORE  
6 SELLING THOSE PRODUCTS; TO REQUIRE PHARMACIES TO MAINTAIN AN  
7 ELECTRONIC LOG OF REQUIRED INFORMATION FOR EACH TRANSACTION; TO  
8 REQUIRE THE PURCHASER OF THE PACKAGE TO BE AT LEAST EIGHTEEN YEARS



9 OF AGE, AS SHOWN BY VALID IDENTIFICATION, AND TO SIGN A RECORD OF  
10 EACH TRANSACTION; TO PROVIDE CRIMINAL PENALTIES FOR VIOLATIONS OF  
11 THIS ACT; TO AMEND SECTION 41-29-117, MISSISSIPPI CODE OF 1972, TO  
12 CONFORM TO THE PRECEDING PROVISIONS; AND FOR RELATED PURPOSES.

