



WISCONSIN LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL AMENDMENT MEMO

2017 Senate Bill 587

Senate Amendment 1

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2017 SENATE BILL 587

The bill creates certain restrictions in ch. 100, Stats., on the purchase or sale of a drug containing dextromethorphan, a common ingredient in over-the-counter cough medicine. The bill generally prohibits the purchase or sale at retail of a drug containing dextromethorphan, by or to a person who is under 18 years of age, without a prescription. In addition, the bill prohibits a person from selling at retail a drug containing dextromethorphan unless the person who is making the sale receives from the purchaser a form of identification from which the age of the purchaser can be determined, or unless, based upon outward appearance, the person making the sale reasonably presumes that the purchaser is age 25 or older.

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The amendment relocates the statutory provisions created under the bill from ch. 100, Stats., to ch. 134, Stats.

BILL HISTORY

The bill was introduced by Senator Stroebel and others on November 29, 2017. Senate Amendment 1 was offered by Senator Stroebel on December 19, 2017. On February 8, 2018, the Senate Committee on Health and Human Services recommended adoption of the amendment and passage of the bill, as amended, on votes of Ayes, 5; Noes, 0.

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