

No. 1980-86

AN ACT

HB 1684

Requiring the name of the issuer of a prescription to be printed thereon and providing a penalty.

The General Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania hereby enacts as follows:

Section 1. (a) The name of the physician writing a prescription for a drug shall be printed or stamped on the prescription form in addition to his signature.

(b) It shall be unlawful for any physician to write a prescription on a form which does not have his name printed or stamped thereon.

(c) It shall be unlawful for any pharmacist to fill any prescription written on a form which does not meet the requirements of this act.

Section 2. A violation of this act shall be a misdemeanor of the third degree.

Section 3. This act shall take effect in 60 days.

APPROVED—The 2nd of July, A. D. 1980.

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