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HOUSE BILL **126**

AN ACT relative to prescriptions for certain controlled drugs.

SPONSORS: Rep. Popovici-Muller, Rock. 17; Rep. D. McGuire, Merr. 14; Rep. Nagel, Belk. 6; Rep. Wheeler, Hills. 33

COMMITTEE: Health, Human Services and Elderly Affairs

AMENDED ANALYSIS

This bill clarifies exceptions to the 34-day limit on prescriptions for controlled drugs and permits a pharmacist to fill a prescription for a 92-day supply of injectable androgen prescribed for the treatment of chronic low testosterone.

Explanation: Matter added to current law appears in ***bold italics***.
Matter removed from current law appears [~~in brackets and struckthrough.~~]
Matter which is either (a) all new or (b) repealed and reenacted appears in regular type.

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In the Year of Our Lord Two Thousand Twenty-Six

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Be it Enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in General Court convened:

1 80:1 Controlled Drug Act; Sale by Pharmacist; Prescription Restrictions and Exceptions. RSA 318-
2 B:9, IV is repealed and reenacted to read as follows:

3 IV. No prescription shall be filled for more than a 34-day supply upon any single filling for
4 controlled drugs of schedules II or III, except as specified below:

5 (a) Schedule II or III controlled drugs that are commercially packaged for dispensing directly
6 to the patient, such as metered sprays and inhalers, liquids packaged in bottles with calibrated droppers,
7 and topical preparations packaged with metered dispensing pumps, may be filled for greater than a 34-
8 day supply, but not more than 60 days, utilizing the smallest available product size, in order to maintain
9 the dosing integrity of the commercially packaged containers.

10 (b) A prescription for amphetamines and methylphenidate hydrochloride may be filled for up
11 to a 90-day supply if the prescription specifies it is being used for the treatment of attention deficit
12 disorder, attention deficit disorder with hyperactivity, or narcolepsy.

13 (c) Prescriptions for a topically applied androgen prescribed for the treatment of chronic low
14 testosterone may be filled for up to a 92-day supply.

15 (d) Prescriptions for an injectable androgen prescribed for the treatment of chronic low
16 testosterone may be filled for up to a 92-day supply.

80:2 Effective Date. This act shall take effect 60 days after its passage.

Approved: May 22, 2026
Effective Date: July 21, 2026