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2 SENATE BILL 27 By: Wilson

3 AS INTRODUCED

4 An Act relating to pharmacy copayments for
5 prescription drugs; limiting certain copayments;
6 directing the Board of Pharmacy to make certain
7 determination; providing for certain fine; providing
8 for codification; and providing an effective date.

9 BE IT ENACTED BY THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF OKLAHOMA:

10 SECTION 1. NEW LAW A new section of law to be
11 codified in the Oklahoma Statutes as Section 374 of Title 59,
12 unless there is created a duplication in numbering, reads as
13 follows:

14 A. Pharmacies shall not charge a copayment for prescription
15 drugs that is greater than the cash value of the prescription
16 drug.

17 B. The Board of Pharmacy shall determine the cash value of
18 prescription drugs on an annual basis based on the median retail
19 price of the prescription drug in the state.

20 C. Pharmacies that violate the provisions of subsection A
21 of this section may be fined by the Board in an amount not to
22 exceed Five Hundred Dollars (\$500.00) for each violation.

23 SECTION 2. This act shall become effective November 1,
24 2011.

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