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July 31, 2020

Philip J. Trapskin  
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RE: Variance Request per Wis. Stat. §450.02(3m)

Dear Mr. Trapskin,

On April 1, 2020, the Wisconsin Pharmacy Examining Board granted a variance of Wis. Stat. § 450.071 **to temporarily allow holders of wholesale distribution licenses to distribute prescription drugs from facilities that are not licensed in Wisconsin, but are licensed in other states, should the licensee's Wisconsin licensed facilities shut down.** The stated purpose of the request was to compensate for supply chain disruptions during the COVID-19 emergency. The Board later extended this variance to August 1, 2020.

The Board considered whether to extend this variance on July 23, 2020, and determined that the requirements of Wis. Stat. § 450.02(3m)(b) have been met. This variance is hereby **extended 90 days**, unless modified, rescinded, or extended by further action of the Pharmacy Examining Board pursuant to Wis. Stat. § 450.02(3m)(b).

Please feel free to contact me if you have any questions.

Sincerely,

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