

Senate Bill 607

By: Senator Smith of the 52nd

A BILL TO BE ENTITLED
AN ACT

1 To amend Article 2 of Chapter 34 of Title 43 of the Official Code of Georgia Annotated,
2 relating to physicians, so as to prohibit certain activities in certain business establishments;
3 to provide for related matters; to repeal conflicting laws; and for other purposes.

4 BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF GEORGIA:

5 **SECTION 1.**

6 Article 2 of Chapter 34 of Title 43 of the Official Code of Georgia Annotated, relating to
7 physicians, is amended by adding a new Code section to read as follows:

8 "43-34-26.3.

9 No advanced practice registered nurse or physician's assistant shall exercise authority
10 delegated pursuant to Code Section 43-34-26.1 while located within a general
11 merchandising establishment or business establishment, a portion of which is licensed as
12 a pharmacy pursuant to Article 6 of Chapter 4 of Title 26. This Code section shall not
13 apply to the office of a physician licensed pursuant to this chapter or a hospital licensed
14 pursuant to Title 31."

15 **SECTION 2.**

16 All laws and parts of laws in conflict with this Act are repealed.