

**56. Pharmacist to have overall responsibility for pharmacy Business**

- (1) If the person in whose name a pharmacy is registered under section 39 is a pharmacist then that pharmacist has overall responsibility for the pharmacy business carried on at the pharmacy.
- (2) If the person in whose name a pharmacy is registered under section 39 is not a pharmacist then that person is to appoint a pharmacist to have overall responsibility for the pharmacy business carried on at the pharmacy.

Penalty: a fine of \$5 000.

- (3) Within 7 days after appointing a pharmacist to have overall responsibility for a pharmacy under subsection (2), the person who appointed the pharmacist is to give written notice to the Board specifying —
  - a) the name and address of the pharmacist appointed to have overall responsibility for the pharmacy business carried on at the pharmacy; and
  - b) the date from which the appointment of the pharmacist commenced or is to commence; and
  - c) evidence that the pharmacist has agreed to the appointment.

Penalty: a fine of \$2 500.

- (4) A person must not —
  - a) carry on a pharmacy business at a pharmacy; or
  - b) practise pharmacy at a pharmacy,

unless a pharmacist appointed under this section has overall responsibility for the pharmacy business carried on at the pharmacy.

Penalty:

- (a) for an individual, a fine of \$5 000;
- (b) for a body corporate, a fine of \$10 000.