

State of Arizona
Senate
Fifty-sixth Legislature
First Regular Session
2023

SENATE BILL 1014

AN ACT

AMENDING TITLE 32, CHAPTER 13, ARTICLE 3, ARIZONA REVISED STATUTES, BY ADDING SECTION 32-1459; AMENDING TITLE 32, CHAPTER 16, ARTICLE 3, ARIZONA REVISED STATUTES, BY ADDING SECTION 32-1754; AMENDING TITLE 32, CHAPTER 17, ARTICLE 3, ARIZONA REVISED STATUTES, BY ADDING SECTION 32-1862; RELATING TO OPHTHALMIC LENS PRESCRIPTIONS.

(TEXT OF BILL BEGINS ON NEXT PAGE)

1 Be it enacted by the Legislature of the State of Arizona:

2 Section 1. Title 32, chapter 13, article 3, Arizona Revised
3 Statutes, is amended by adding section 32-1459, to read:

4 32-1459. Ophthalmic lenses; prescriptions

5 A PRESCRIPTION FOR OPHTHALMIC LENSES, OTHER THAN CONTACT LENSES, IS
6 VALID FOR TWO YEARS UNLESS OTHERWISE SPECIFIED BY THE PRESCRIBING
7 PHYSICIAN DUE TO THE AGE OF THE PATIENT OR THE MEDICAL OR OCULAR CONDITION
8 OF THE PATIENT.

9 Sec. 2. Title 32, chapter 16, article 3, Arizona Revised Statutes,
10 is amended by adding section 32-1754, to read:

11 32-1754. Ophthalmic lenses; prescriptions

12 A PRESCRIPTION FOR OPHTHALMIC LENSES, OTHER THAN CONTACT LENSES, IS
13 VALID FOR TWO YEARS UNLESS OTHERWISE SPECIFIED BY THE PRESCRIBING
14 OPTOMETRIST DUE TO THE AGE OF THE PATIENT OR THE MEDICAL OR OCULAR
15 CONDITION OF THE PATIENT.

16 Sec. 3. Title 32, chapter 17, article 3, Arizona Revised Statutes,
17 is amended by adding section 32-1862, to read:

18 32-1862. Ophthalmic lenses; prescriptions

19 A PRESCRIPTION FOR OPHTHALMIC LENSES, OTHER THAN CONTACT LENSES, IS
20 VALID FOR TWO YEARS UNLESS OTHERWISE SPECIFIED BY THE PRESCRIBING
21 PHYSICIAN DUE TO THE AGE OF THE PATIENT OR THE MEDICAL OR OCULAR CONDITION
22 OF THE PATIENT.