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**S. B. No. 20**

**Senator Maharath  
Cosponsor: Senator Antonio**

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**A BILL**

To enact section 3719.051 of the Revised Code 1  
regarding the disposal of controlled substances. 2

**BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF OHIO:**

**Section 1.** That section 3719.051 of the Revised Code be 3  
enacted to read as follows: 4

**Sec. 3719.051.** (A) In addition to the requirements set 5  
forth in section 3719.05 of the Revised Code, a pharmacist who 6  
dispenses a drug containing a controlled substance in schedule 7  
II, III, IV, or V shall distribute to the patient or patient's 8  
representative a chemical composition for use in disposing any 9  
unused portion of the drug. The chemical composition shall not 10  
be toxic and shall deactivate or sequester the controlled 11  
substance. 12

(B) The state board of pharmacy may adopt rules as 13  
necessary to implement this section. The rules shall be adopted 14  
in accordance with Chapter 119. of the Revised Code. 15