

Court Stay Granted in Federal DIR Litigation

The National Community Pharmacists Association (NCPA) has announced in a recent release that the U.S. District Court of the District of Columbia has granted a stay in *NCPA v. Becerra*, which is a case that is challenging whether DIR fees imposed on pharmacies are legal. The plaintiffs have requested a stay (delay) in the case because CMS has recently released a proposed rule on DIR. The plaintiffs are assessing whether the proposed rule addresses concerns from pharmacy.

This week NPSC distributed to our network information on CMS' proposed rule and how you can get involved. This release came from our newly created Advocacy Center that will be keeping you more informed on major legal, legislative and regulatory issues that are developing. Ron Lanton will be sending out talking points soon for you to utilize in your comments to CMS. In the meantime, please visit our new [Advocacy Center](#).