

2025 Regular Session

SENATE BILL NO. 78

BY SENATOR MYERS

Prefiled pursuant to Article III, Section 2(A)(4)(b)(i) of the Constitution of Louisiana.

CONTROL DANGER SUBSTANCE. Provides relative to drug paraphernalia. (gov sig)

1 AN ACT

2 To amend and reenact R.S. 40:1021(B), relative to drug paraphernalia; to provide for  
3 exemptions from the definition of drug paraphernalia; to provide for an effective  
4 date; and to provide for related matters.

5 Be it enacted by the Legislature of Louisiana:

6 Section 1. R.S. 40:1021(B) is hereby amended and reenacted to read as follows:

7 §1021. Definitions

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9 B. Notwithstanding any provision of law to the contrary, the term "drug  
10 paraphernalia" shall not include rapid fentanyl test strips (FTS) or any testing  
11 equipment or devices solely used, intended for use, or designed to determine whether  
12 a substance contains ~~fentanyl or its analogues~~ **any controlled substance, chemical,**  
13 **or compound that can cause physical harm or death.**

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15 Section 2. This Act shall become effective upon signature by the governor or, if not  
16 signed by the governor, upon expiration of the time for bills to become law without signature  
17 by the governor, as provided by Article III, Section 18 of the Constitution of Louisiana. If

