

2025 Regular Session

HOUSE BILL NO. 36

BY REPRESENTATIVES SCHLEGEL, BUTLER, DEVILLIER, DICKERSON,  
EDMONSTON, HORTON, MIKE JOHNSON, OWEN, THOMAS, AND VILLIO

1 AN ACT

2 To amend and reenact R.S. 9:2800.62(2) and R.S. 9:2800.63(B)(1) and to enact R.S.  
3 9:2800.63(E), relative to consumable hemp products; to expand the definition of  
4 illegal controlled substance; to provide for damages in certain circumstances; and to  
5 provide for related matters.

6 Be it enacted by the Legislature of Louisiana:

7 Section 1. R.S. 9:2800.62(2) and 2800.63(B)(1) are hereby amended and reenacted  
8 and R.S. 9:2800.63(E) is hereby enacted to read as follows:

9 §2800.62. Definitions

10 As used in this Chapter, unless the context requires otherwise:

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12 (2) "Illegal controlled substance" means either of the following:

13 (a) ~~cocaine~~ Cocaine, phencyclidine, heroin, or methamphetamine and any  
14 other illegal controlled dangerous substance the possession or distribution of which  
15 is a violation of the Uniform Controlled Dangerous Substances Law, R.S. 40:961 et  
16 seq.

17 (b) A consumable hemp product as defined in R.S. 3:1481, the possession or  
18 distribution of which is a violation of R.S. 3:1482 or 1483.

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20 §2800.63. Action for damages by persons other than the individual user

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