

**ACT No. 154**

2025 Regular Session

HOUSE BILL NO. 176

BY REPRESENTATIVE FIRMENT

1 AN ACT

2 To enact R.S. 40:989.5, relative to hallucinogenic chemicals; to prohibit the production,  
3 manufacturing, distribution, or possession of products containing certain  
4 hallucinogenic chemicals; and to provide for related matters.

5 Be it enacted by the Legislature of Louisiana:

6 Section 1. R.S. 40:989.5 is hereby enacted to read as follows:

7 §989.5. Unlawful production, manufacturing, distribution, or possession of  
8 prohibited chemicals

9 A.(1) It shall be unlawful for any person to knowingly or intentionally  
10 produce, manufacture, distribute, or possess with intent to produce, manufacture, or  
11 distribute a material, compound, mixture, preparation, or product intended for human  
12 consumption which contains beta-phenyl-GABA, muscimol, ibotenic acid, or any  
13 analogue thereof.

14 (2) Any person who violates the provisions of this Subsection shall be  
15 sentenced to imprisonment, with or without hard labor, for not less than two years  
16 nor more than ten years, or fined not more than twenty thousand dollars, or both.

17 B.(1) It shall be unlawful for any person to knowingly or intentionally  
18 possess a material, compound, mixture, preparation, or product intended for human  
19 consumption which contains beta-phenyl-GABA, muscimol, ibotenic acid, or any  
20 analogue thereof.

1                   (2) Any person who violates the provisions of this Subsection shall be  
2                   sentenced to imprisonment, with or without hard labor, for not more than five years  
3                   or fined not more than five thousand dollars, or both.

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SPEAKER OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

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PRESIDENT OF THE SENATE

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GOVERNOR OF THE STATE OF LOUISIANA

APPROVED: \_\_\_\_\_