

2025 Regular Session

HOUSE BILL NO. 36

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

LIABILITY/CIVIL: Provides relative to consumable hemp

1 AN ACT

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

5 Be it enacted by the Legislature of Louisiana:

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

8 §2800.62. Definitions

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

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11 (2) "Illegal controlled substance" means cocaine, phencyclidine, heroin, ~~or~~
12 methamphetamine, a consumable hemp product as defined in R.S. 3:1481 in
13 violation of R.S. 3:1482 et seq., and any other illegal controlled dangerous substance
14 the possession or distribution of which is a violation of the Uniform Controlled
15 Dangerous Substances Law, R.S. 40:961 et seq.

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17 §2800.63. Action for damages by persons other than the individual user

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19 B. A person entitled to bring an action pursuant to Subsection A of this
20 Section may seek damages from one or more of the following:

