
THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF PENNSYLVANIA

HOUSE BILL

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EVANS, HOHENSTEIN, KOSIEROWSKI, MADDEN, McCLINTON, MILLARD,
MURT, ROEBUCK AND THOMAS, JANUARY 17, 2020

REFERRED TO COMMITTEE ON HEALTH, JANUARY 17, 2020

AN ACT

1 Amending the act of April 14, 1972 (P.L.233, No.64), entitled
2 "An act relating to the manufacture, sale and possession of
3 controlled substances, other drugs, devices and cosmetics;
4 conferring powers on the courts and the secretary and
5 Department of Health, and a newly created Pennsylvania Drug,
6 Device and Cosmetic Board; establishing schedules of
7 controlled substances; providing penalties; requiring
8 registration of persons engaged in the drug trade and for the
9 revocation or suspension of certain licenses and
10 registrations; and repealing an act," further providing for
11 schedules of controlled substances.

12 The General Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania
13 hereby enacts as follows:

14 Section 1. Section 4(2)(iii) of the act of April 14, 1972
15 (P.L.233, No.64), known as The Controlled Substance, Drug,
16 Device and Cosmetic Act, is amended by adding a subclause to
17 read:

18 Section 4. Schedules of Controlled Substances.--The
19 following schedules include the controlled substances listed or
20 to be listed by whatever official name, common or usual name,
21 chemical name, or trade name designated.

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1 (2) Schedule II--In determining that a substance comes
2 within this schedule, the secretary shall find: a high potential
3 for abuse, currently accepted medical use in the United States,
4 or currently accepted medical use with severe restrictions, and
5 abuse may lead to severe psychic or physical dependence. The
6 following controlled substances are included in this schedule:

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8 (iii) Unless specifically excepted or unless listed in
9 another schedule, any material, compound, mixture or preparation
10 which contains any quantity of the following substances:

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12 6. Etizolam (Etilaam, Etizest, Etizex, Etizola, Sedekopan,
13 Pasaden, Depas).

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15 Section 2. This act shall take effect in 60 days.