



General Assembly

January Session, 2023

**Raised Bill No. 920**

LCO No. 2997



Referred to Committee on COMMITTEE ON CHILDREN

Introduced by:  
(KID)

***AN ACT PROHIBITING THE SALE OF KRATOM PRODUCTS TO INDIVIDUALS UNDER TWENTY-ONE YEARS OF AGE.***

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in General Assembly convened:

1 Section 1. (NEW) (*Effective October 1, 2023*) (a) As used in this section,  
2 (1) "kratom product" means a food product or dietary ingredient  
3 containing any part of the leaf of the plant *mitragyna speciosa*, whether  
4 growing or not, or any compound, manufacture, salt, derivative,  
5 mixture or preparation of such plant, including, but not limited to,  
6 *mitragynine* and *7-hydroxymitragynine*, and (2) "proof of age" means a  
7 motor vehicle operator's license, valid passport or identity card issued  
8 in accordance with the provisions of section 1-1h of the general statutes.

9 (b) Each retailer of kratom products, or agent, employee or  
10 representative of such retailer, shall require an individual who is  
11 attempting to purchase a kratom product to exhibit proof of age.

12 (c) Any person who sells, gives or delivers a kratom product to any  
13 individual under twenty-one years of age, unless such individual is  
14 delivering or accepting delivery of such kratom product in such  
15 individual's capacity as an employee, shall be fined (1) not more than

16 three hundred dollars for the first offense, (2) not more than seven  
17 hundred fifty dollars for a second offense on or before twenty-four  
18 months after the date of the first offense, and (3) not more than one  
19 thousand dollars for each subsequent offense on or before twenty-four  
20 months after the date of the first offense.

This act shall take effect as follows and shall amend the following sections:		
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Section 1	<i>October 1, 2023</i>	New section
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***Statement of Purpose:***

To prohibit the sale of kratom products to individuals under twenty-one years of age.

*[Proposed deletions are enclosed in brackets. Proposed additions are indicated by underline, except that when the entire text of a bill or resolution or a section of a bill or resolution is new, it is not underlined.]*