

*Note: In accordance with changes made by Public Act 16-32, the Fiscal Note no longer contains information regarding the impact of the proposed regulation on small businesses. Each agency must separately complete the revised Regulatory Flexibility Analysis (formerly Small Business Impact Statement) as published by the Office of Policy & Management.*

## **FISCAL NOTE**

**Date:** August 15, 2025

**Agency Submitting Proposed Regulation:** Department of Consumer Protection

**Proposed Regulation Title:** Controlled Substance Drug Schedule Updates

**Statutory Authority:** Conn. Gen. Stat. Section 21a-243

**Other Agencies Affected:** n/a

**Effective Date Used In Estimate:** August 15, 2025

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### **ESTIMATE OF COST OR REVENUE IMPACT OF PROPOSED REGULATION**

**Agency:** Department of Consumer Protection

**Fund Affected:** n/a

	<b>First Year</b>	<b>Second Year</b>	<b>Full Operation</b>
<b>Number of Positions</b>	-0-	-0-	-0-
<b>Personal Services</b>	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
<b>Other Expenses</b>	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
<b>Equipment</b>	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
<b>Grants</b>	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
<b>Total State Cost or (Savings)</b>	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
<b>Estimated Revenue Gain or (Loss)</b>	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
<b>Total Net State Cost or (Savings)</b>	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00

**Explanation of State Impact of Regulation:** No fiscal impact to the Department. The purpose of this proposed regulation is to designate new substances to the controlled substance list as required by Public Act 25-101, Section 4. This new law requires the Commissioner of Consumer Protection to designate the substances added to subsection (i) of that section as controlled substances and classify each such substance in the appropriate schedule. Since such substances currently have no medical use, pursuant to the Federal Drug Administration (FDA), and may not be prescribed or dispensed by a medical professional, the Department of Consumer Protection proposes this regulation to place the substances in schedule 1. However, if any of the substances are rescheduled by the FDA, this regulation contains an existing provision in subsection (g) to adopt the schedule determined by the FDA.

**Explanation of Municipal Impact of Regulation:** There is no impact on any municipalities.