

SECOND REGULAR SESSION

# SENATE BILL NO. 797

98TH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

INTRODUCED BY SENATOR PEARCE.

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ADRIANE D. CROUSE, Secretary.

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## AN ACT

To amend chapters 311 and 577, RSMo, by adding thereto two new sections relating to powdered alcohol, with a penalty provision and an emergency clause.

*Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Missouri, as follows:*

Section A. Chapters 311 and 577, RSMo, are amended by adding thereto  
2 two new sections, to be known as sections 311.057 and 577.180, to read as follows:

**311.057. 1. No person, firm, partnership, or corporation licensed  
2 under this chapter, public venue, or any person acting as an employee  
3 or agent thereof shall sell, offer to sell, or serve free of charge any form  
4 of powdered alcohol.**

**5 2. For the purposes of this section, "powdered alcohol" shall mean  
6 alcohol that is prepared in a powdered, crystalline, or capsule form  
7 either for direct use or for reconstitution in a nonalcoholic liquid.**

**577.180. 1. A person commits the offense of illegal possession of  
2 powdered alcohol if he or she purchases, possesses, offers for sale or  
3 use, uses, or sells powdered alcohol or ships any package or container  
4 that contains powdered alcohol into this state.**

**5 2. The offense of illegal possession of powdered alcohol is a class  
6 C misdemeanor.**

**7 3. For the purposes of this section, "powdered alcohol" shall mean  
8 alcohol that is prepared in a powdered, crystalline, or capsule form  
9 either for direct use or for reconstitution in a nonalcoholic liquid.**

Section B. Because of the need to protect against the public health  
2 dangers of powdered alcohol, section A of this act is deemed necessary for the  
3 immediate preservation of the public health, welfare, peace and safety, and is  
4 hereby declared to be an emergency act within the meaning of the constitution,

5 and section A of this act shall be in full force and effect upon its passage and  
6 approval.

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