

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 definitions and for schedules of controlled substances.

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

14 Section 1. Section 2(b) 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 definition to
17 read:

18 Section 2. Definitions.--* * *

19 (b) As used in this act:

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21 "Kratom" means a product of the leaves of Mitragyna speciosa;
22 the seeds thereof; the resin extracted from any part of such

1 plant; and every compound, manufacture, salt, derivative,
2 mixture or preparation of such plant, its seeds or resin.

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4 Section 2. Section 4(1) of the act is amended by adding a
5 subparagraph to read:

6 Section 4. Schedules of Controlled Substances.--The
7 following schedules include the controlled substances listed or
8 to be listed by whatever official name, common or usual name,
9 chemical name, or trade name designated.

10 (1) Schedule I--In determining that a substance comes within
11 this schedule, the secretary shall find: a high potential for
12 abuse, no currently accepted medical use in the United States,
13 and a lack of accepted safety for use under medical supervision.
14 The following controlled substances are included in this
15 schedule:

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17 (ix) Kratom.

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19 Section 3. This act shall take effect in 60 days.