

1 A bill to be entitled
 2 An act relating to fees for the recordkeeping system
 3 for ephedrine and related compounds; amending s.
 4 893.1495, F.S.; requiring manufacturers of ephedrine
 5 or related compounds to pay a fee to operate the
 6 electronic recordkeeping system; providing for
 7 establishment of a fee schedule; providing penalties;
 8 providing an effective date.

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 10 Be It Enacted by the Legislature of the State of Florida:

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 12 **Section 1. Paragraph (a) of subsection (10) and subsection**
 13 **(11) of section 893.1495, Florida Statutes, are amended, and**
 14 **paragraph (d) is added to subsection (5) of that section, to**
 15 **read:**

16 893.1495 Retail sale of ephedrine and related compounds.—

17 (5)

18 (d)1. Beginning on July 1, 2025, each manufacturer of
 19 ephedrine or related compounds sold in the state must, on a
 20 monthly basis, pay a fee to the administrator of the electronic
 21 recordkeeping system approved by the Department of Law
 22 Enforcement under paragraph (b). The fee shall be used to
 23 support the operation of the system.

24 2. The administrator shall set the fee level required for
 25 each manufacturer under subparagraph 1.

26 3. At the request of the Department of Law Enforcement,
27 each manufacturer shall provide written documentation
28 demonstrating that it has paid the fees required under
29 subparagraph 1.

30 (10) This section does not apply to:

31 (a) Licensed manufacturers manufacturing and lawfully
32 distributing products in the channels of commerce, except
33 manufacturers subject to the fee requirements in paragraph
34 (5) (d).

35 (11) Any individual who violates subsection (2),
36 subsection (3), ~~or~~ subsection (4), or paragraph (5) (d) commits:

37 (a) For a first offense, a misdemeanor of the second
38 degree, punishable as provided in s. 775.083.

39 (b) For a second offense, a misdemeanor of the first
40 degree, punishable as provided in s. 775.082 or s. 775.083.

41 (c) For a third or subsequent offense, a felony of the
42 third degree, punishable as provided in s. 775.082, s. 775.083,
43 or s. 775.084.

44 **Section 2.** This act shall take effect July 1, 2025.