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SUMMARY

Creates crime of controlled substances homicide. Punishes by maximum of 10 years' imprisonment, \$250,000 fine, or both.

Takes effect on 91st day following adjournment sine die.

A BILL FOR AN ACT

Relating to controlled substances homicide; and prescribing an effective date.

Be It Enacted by the People of the State of Oregon:

SECTION 1. Section 2 of this 2023 Act is added to and made a part of ORS 475.752 to 475.980.

SECTION 2. (1) A person commits the crime of controlled substances homicide if:

(a) The person unlawfully delivers a controlled substance in violation of ORS 475.752, 475.810, 475.812, 475.820, 475.822, 475.830, 475.832, 475.850, 475.852, 475.870, 475.872, 475.880, 475.882, 475.890, 475.892, 475.904 or 475.906;

(b) The controlled substance is subsequently used by the individual to whom the controlled substance was delivered;

(c) The use of the controlled substance results in the death of the individual; and

(d) The person knew, or should have known, that the use of the controlled substance would likely cause the death of the individual.

(2) Controlled substances homicide is a Class B felony.

SECTION 3. This 2023 Act takes effect on the 91st day after the date on which the 2023 regular session of the Eighty-second Legislative

1 **Assembly adjourns sine die.**

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