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A BILL

To enact section 4301.71 of the Revised Code to
prohibit the sale of powdered or crystalline
alcohol for human consumption. 1
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BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF OHIO:

Section 1. That section 4301.71 of the Revised Code be
enacted to read as follows: 4
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Sec. 4301.71. (A) No person shall sell or offer for sale
powdered or crystalline alcohol for human consumption. 6
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(B) Division (A) of this section does not apply to any of
the following: 8
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(1) Any substance regulated by the food and drug
administration in the United States department of health and
human services that is not either of the following: 10
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(a) Beer or intoxicating liquor; or 13

(b) A compound that could be converted into beer or
intoxicating liquor. 14
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(2) A medication that requires a prescription; 16

<u>(3) An over-the-counter medication.</u>	17
<u>(C) As used in this section:</u>	18
<u>(1) "Powdered or crystalline alcohol" means a product that</u>	19
<u>is manufactured into a powdered or crystalline form and that</u>	20
<u>contains any amount of alcohol.</u>	21
<u>(2) "Prescription" has the same meaning as in section</u>	22
<u>4729.01 of the Revised Code.</u>	23
<u>(3) "Over-the-counter medication" means medication that</u>	24
<u>may be legally sold and purchased without a prescription.</u>	25