# STATE OF NEW YORK

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# IN SENATE

March 6, 2023

Introduced by Sen. SKOUFIS -- read twice and ordered printed, and when printed to be committed to the Committee on Health -- committee discharged, bill amended, ordered reprinted as amended and recommitted to said committee

AN ACT to amend the public health law, in relation to designating Xylazine as a schedule III depressant

**The People of the State of New York, represented in Senate and Assembly, do enact as follows:**

Section 1. Subdivision (c) of schedule III of section 3306 of the public health law is amended by adding a new paragraph 15 to read as follows:

**(15) Xylazine (N-(2,6-dimethylphenyl)-5,6-dihydro-4H-1,3 thiazin-2-amine), including its salts, isomers and salts of isomers whenever the existence of such salts, isomers and salts of isomers is possible within the specific chemical designation.**

§ 2. This act shall take effect on the ninetieth day after it shall have become a law.

EXPLANATION--Matter in *italics* (underscored) is new; matter in brackets [-] is old law to be omitted.

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