## Fiscal Estimate - 2021 Session

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## Assumptions Used in Arriving at Fiscal Estimate

Current law classifies kratom as a Schedule I controlled substance and a person is guilty of a Class H felony for manufacturing, distributing, or delivering kratom and is guilty of a misdemeanor for its possession. This bill removes kratom from the schedule of controlled substances and legalizes the manufacture, distribution, delivery and possession of kratom, subject to certain limitations. The bill prohibits the sale of kratom to any person under the age of 21.

While the bill could lead to fewer manufacture, distribution, delivery, and possession convictions and a decrease in admissions to county jails and state institutions, current data on kratom-related convictions is not available to determine how many fewer individuals would be incarcerated or on community supervision if the bill were to become law. As such, the fiscal impact of the bill is indeterminate.

**Long-Range Fiscal Implications**