

118TH CONGRESS  
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# H. R. 5592

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## IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

SEPTEMBER 20, 2023

Mr. ROBERT GARCIA of California (for himself and Mr. BLUMENAUER) introduced the following bill; which was referred to the Committee on Energy and Commerce, and in addition to the Committee on the Judiciary, for a period to be subsequently determined by the Speaker, in each case for consideration of such provisions as fall within the jurisdiction of the committee concerned

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## A BILL

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1 *Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representa-*  
2 *tives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,*

3 **SECTION 1. SHORT TITLE.**

4 This Act may be cited as the “Validating Independ-  
5 ence for State Initiatives on Organic Natural Substances  
6 Act of 2023” or the “VISIONS Act of 2023”.

1 **SEC. 2. PROHIBITION ON THE USE OF FEDERAL FUNDS**  
2 **WITH RESPECT TO PSILOCYBIN.**

3 (a) PROHIBITION.—No Federal funds may be used  
4 to prevent any State or unit of local government from im-  
5 plementing such State’s or unit of local government’s own  
6 laws that authorize the use, distribution, sale, possession,  
7 research, or cultivation of psilocybin.

8 (b) DEFINITIONS.—In this section:

9 (1) STATE.—The term “State” means each of  
10 the several States, the District of Columbia, and any  
11 commonwealth, territory, or possession of the United  
12 States.

13 (2) UNIT OF LOCAL GOVERNMENT.—The term  
14 “unit of local government” means a county, munici-  
15 pality, town, township, village, or other unit of gen-  
16 eral government below the State level.

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