## Stricken language would be deleted from and underlined language would be added to present law. Act 622 of the Regular Session

1	State of Arkansas	As Engrossed: S3/20/25	
2	95th General Assembly	A Bill	
3	Regular Session, 2025		SENATE BILL 9
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5	By: Senators B. Davis, C. Pen.	zo, C. Tucker	
6	By: Representative Pilkington		
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8		For An Act To Be Entitled	
9	AN ACT TO CREATE THE MAKE ARKANSAS HEALTHY AGAIN ACT;		
10	TO PROHIBIT A PERSON OR ENTITY FROM MANUFACTURING,		
11	SELLING, DELIVERING, DISTRIBUTING, HOLDING, OR		
12	OFFERING FOR SALE A FOOD PRODUCT FOR HUMAN		
13	CONSUMPTION THAT CONTAINS CERTAIN SUBSTANCES; AND FOR		
14	OTHER PURP	OSES.	
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17	Subtitle		
18	TO CR	REATE THE MAKE ARKANSAS HEALTHY	
19	AGAIN	N ACT; AND TO PROHIBIT	
20	MANUFACTURING, SELLING, DELIVERING,		
21	DISTR	RIBUTING, HOLDING, OR OFFERING FOR	
22	SALE	A FOOD PRODUCT THAT CONTAINS	
23	CERTA	AIN SUBSTANCES.	
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25	BE IT ENACTED BY THE G	ENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF AF	RKANSAS:
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27	SECTION 1. Arkan	nsas Code Title 20, Chapter 57, Su	ıbchapter 4, is
28	amended to add an addi	tional section to read as follows:	<b>:</b>
29	20-57-403. Make	Arkansas Healthy Again Act — Prob	nibited substances in
30	food products.		
31	(a) This section	n shall be known and may be cited	as the "Make Arkansas
32	Healthy Again Act".		
33	(b) A person or	entity shall not manufacture, sel	ll, deliver,
34	distribute, hold, or offer for sale in commerce a food product for human		
35	consumption that conta	ins any of the following substance	<u> </u>
36	(1) Potassium bromate, also known as CAS no. 7758-01-2; or		

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1	(2) Propylparaben, also known as CAS no. 94-13-3.		
2	(c) Upon an action brought by the Attorney General, a city attorney, a		
3	county attorney, or a prosecuting attorney, a person or entity that violates		
4	subsection (b) of this section is liable for a civil penalty not to exceed		
5	five thousand dollars (\$5,000) for a first violation, and not to exceed ten		
6	thousand dollars (\$10,000) for each subsequent violation.		
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8	SECTION 2. EFFECTIVE DATE.		
9	This act shall be effective on and after January 1, 2028.		
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11	/s/B. Davis		
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14	APPROVED: 4/16/25		
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