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**VIRGINIA BOARD OF PHARMACY
MINUTES OF PUBLIC HEARING REGARDING THE ADDITION OF CHEMICALS
INTO SCHEDULE I PURSUANT TO VIRGINIA CODE §54.1-3443 (E)**

Tuesday, September 24, 2024

Department of Health Professions
Perimeter Center
9960 Mayland Drive
Henrico, Virginia 23233

CALL TO ORDER: A public hearing was called to order at 9:28 AM.

PRESIDING: **Ling Yuan**, PharmD, Vice Chairman

MEMBERS PRESENT: **Shannon Dowdy**, PharmD
Michelle Hoffer, JD
Kelly Hasty Kale, RPh
Larry Kocot, JD
Wendy Nash, PharmD
Derek Webb, PharmD

MEMBERS ABSENT: **Cheri Garvin**, RPh
Kristopher Ratliff, DPh
Patricia Richards-Spruill, RPh

STAFF PRESENT: **Caroline Juran**, RPh, Executive Director, Virginia Board of Pharmacy
Arne Owens, Director, DHP
Erin Barrett, JD, Director of Legislative and Regulatory Affairs, DHP
James Rutkowski, JD, Senior Assistant Attorney General
Sorayah Haden, Executive Assistant, Virginia Board of Pharmacy
Beth O'Halloran, Deputy Executive Director, Virginia Board of Pharmacy
Ryan Logan, Deputy Executive Director, Virginia Board of Pharmacy
Ellen Shinaberry, PharmD, Deputy Executive Director, Virginia Board of Pharmacy
Tim Reilly, RPh, Pharmacy Compliance and Pilot Program Manager

QUORUM: With 7 members present, a quorum was established.

Dr. Yuan indicated the public hearing is being held to receive public comment regarding the adoption of exempt regulatory action for the placement of the following chemicals into Schedule I to conform to recent federal scheduling action and pursuant to Virginia Code §54.1-3443(E):

1. meta-fluorofentanyl (other name: N-(3-fluorophenyl)-N-(1-phenethylpiperidin-4-yl)propionamide);
2. meta-fluoroisobutyryl fentanyl (other name: N-(3-fluorophenyl)-N-(1-phenethylpiperidin-4-yl)isobutyramide);
3. para-methoxyfuranyl fentanyl (other name: N-(4-methoxyphenyl)-N-(1-phenethylpiperidin-4-yl)furan-2-carboxamide);
4. 3-furanyl fentanyl (other name: N-(1-phenethylpiperidin-4-yl)-N-phenylfuran-3-carboxamide);
5. 2',5'-dimethoxyfentanyl (other name: N-(1-(2,5-dimethoxyphenethyl)piperidin-4-yl)-N-phenylpropionamide);
6. isovaleryl fentanyl (other name: 3-methyl-N-(1-phenethylpiperidin-4-yl)-N-phenylbutanamide);
7. ortho-fluorofuranyl fentanyl (other name: N-(2-fluorophenyl)-N-(1-phenethylpiperidin-4-yl)furan-2-carboxamide);
8. para-methylcyclopropyl fentanyl (other name: N-(4-methylphenyl)-N-(1-phenethylpiperidin-4-yl)cyclopropanecarboxamide);
9. Methyl 2-[[1-(4-fluorobutyl)indole-3-carbonyl]amino]-3,3-dimethyl-butanoate (other names: 4F-MDMB-BUTICA; 4F-MDMB-BICA);

PUBLIC COMMENT: No public comment was provided.

MEETING ADJOURNED: 9:31 AM

Caroline Juran, RPh
Executive Director

DATE: