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VIRGINIA BOARD OF PHARMACY

PUBLIC HEARINGS FOR SCHEDULING CERTAIN SUBSTANCES

March 21, 2017
Second Floor
Board Room 4

Perimeter Center
9960 Mayland Drive
Henrico, Virginia 23233-1463

CALL TO ORDER: The public hearings were called to order at 9:08a.m.

PRESIDING: Ryan Logan, Vice Chairman

MEMBERS PRESENT: Melvin L. Boone, Sr.
Freeda Cathcart
Rafael Saenz
Cynthia Warriner
Sheila K. W. Elliott
Jody Allen
Ellen Shinaberry

STAFF PRESENT: Caroline D. Juran, Executive Director
J. Samuel Johnson, Jr., Deputy Executive Director
Cathy Reiniers-Day, Deputy Executive Director
James Rutkowski, Assistant Attorney General
Beth O'Halloran, Individual Licensing Manager

PUBLIC HEARING FOR SCHEDULING OF CERTAIN CHEMICALS

Mr. Logan called for comment to consider placement of the following chemical substances into Schedule I:

Classified as research chemicals:

- 6-ethyl-6-nor-lysergic acid diethylamide (other name: ETH-LAD)
- 6-allyl-6-nor-lysergic acid diethylamide (other name: AL-LAD)

Classified as powerful synthetic opioids:

- N-[1-[2-hydroxy-2-(2-thienyl)ethyl]-4-piperidinyl]-N-phenylpropanamide (other name: beta-hydroxythiofentanyl)
- N-(2-fluorophenyl)-N-[1-(2-phenylethyl)-4-piperidinyl]-propanamide (other names: 2-fluorofentanyl, ortho-fluorofentanyl)
- N-phenyl-N-[1-(2-phenylethyl)-4-piperidinyl]-2-propanamide (other name: Acryl fentanyl)

Classified as cannabimimetic agents:

- 1-pentyl-N-(phenylmethyl)-1H-indole-3-carboxamide (other name: SDB-006)
- Quinolin-8-yl 1-(4-fluorobenzyl)-1H-indole-3-carboxylate (other name: FUB-PB-22)

Classified as benzodiazepine:

- Flubromazepam

If approved by the Board of Pharmacy, the placement of these substances in Schedule I in the Drug Control Act shall go into effect 30 days following publication of the proposed regulation and remain in effect for a period of 18 months. The chemicals will then be de-scheduled unless a general law is passed by the General Assembly placing the chemicals into Schedule I.

PUBLIC COMMENT:

Scott May, Chemical Program Manager at the Department of Forensic Science (DFS) provided information regarding the 8 chemicals it has identified for the Board's consideration to place into Schedule I. Two of the chemicals are research chemicals, three are powerful synthetic opioids, two are cannabimimetic agents, and one is a benzodiazepine with no accepted medical use in the United States. The chemicals have been identified in the DFS labs across the Commonwealth.

ADJOURN:

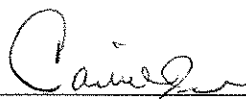
The public hearing adjourned at 9:11 am.



Ryan Logan, Vice-Chairman

6-27-17

Date



Caroline D. Juran, Executive Director

6/27/17

Date