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VIRGINIA BOARD OF PHARMACY PUBLIC HEARING FOR SCHEDULING CERTAIN SUBSTANCES

September 29, 2015

Second Floor

Board Room 2

Perimeter Center
9960 Mayland Drive
Henrico, Virginia 23233-1463

CALL TO ORDER: The public hearing was called to order at 9:05 a.m.

PRESIDING: Cynthia Warriner, Chairman

MEMBERS PRESENT: Jody Allen

Melvin L. Boone, Sr. Freeda Cathcart Michael Elliott Sheila Elliott Ryan K. Logan Rafael Saenz Ellen B. Shinaberry

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STAFF PRESENT: Caroline D. Juran, Executive Director

Cathy M. Reiniers-Day, Deputy Executive Director J. Samuel Johnson, Jr., Deputy Executive Director

David E. Brown, D.C., Director, DHP

James Rutkowski, Assistant Attorney General Elaine J. Yeatts, Senior Policy Analyst, DHP Beth O'Halloran, Individual Licensing Manager Sharon Davenport, Administrative Assistant

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

CALL FOR COMMENT: Ms. Warriner called for comment to consider placement of the

following chemical substances, identified by the Department of

Forensic Science, into Schedule I:

- acetyl fentanyl (other name: desmethylfentanyl);
- Etizolam:
- 4-Iodo-2,5-dimethoxy-N-[(2-hydroxyphenyl) methyl]-benzeneethanamine (other name: 251-NBOH);
- alpha-Pyrrolidinohexiophenone (other name: alpha-PHP), a substituted cathinone;
- alpha-Pyrrolidinoheptiophenone (other name: PV8), a substituted cathinone; and,

• 1-(5-fluoropentyl)-3-(4-methyl-1-naphthoyl) indole (MAM-2201), a cannabimimetic agent.

Mr. John Prysbylski with the Department of Forensic Science stated that these six chemicals have been identified in forensic labs within Virginia and nationally. No additional public comment was provided.

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

ADJOURN:

The public lhearing adjourned at 9:15 a.m.

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