SOUTH CAROLINA BOARD OF HEALTH AND ENVIRONMENTAL CONTROL

Placement of Placement of MDMB-4en-PINACA, 4F-MDMB-BUTICA, ADB- 4en-PINACA, CUMYL-PEGACLONE, 5F-EDMB-PICA, and MMB-FUBICA in Schedule I for Controlled Substances

WHEREAS, pursuant to S.C. Code Section 44-53-160(C), the South Carolina Board of Health and Environmental Control ("Board") shall designate a substance as a controlled substance by scheduling it in accordance with an order effecting federal scheduling as a controlled substance; and

WHEREAS, the U.S. Department of Justice, Drug Enforcement Administration ("DEA"), issued a temporary scheduling order placing MDMB-4en-PINACA, 4F-MDMB-BUTICA, ADB- 4en-PINACA, CUMYL-PEGACLONE, 5F-EDMB-PICA, and MMB-FUBICA, including their optical and geometric isomers, salts, and salts of isomers, whenever the existence of such isomers and salts is possible, in schedule I of the federal Controlled Substance Act, effective December 12, 2023. Federal Register Volume 88, Number 237, pp. 86040-86046; and

WHEREAS, according to its temporary scheduling order, the DEA has concluded that MDMB-4en-PINACA, 4F-MDMB-BUTICA, ADB- 4en-PINACA, CUMYL-PEGACLONE, 5F-EDMB-PICA, and MMB-FUBICA have a high potential for abuse, no currently accepted medical use in treatment in the United States, and lack accepted safety for use under medical supervision, and therefore placed these six synthetic cannabinoid substances in schedule I of the federal Controlled Substances Act effective December 12, 2023;

THEREFORE, the Board of Health and Environmental Control adopts the federal scheduling of the six synthetic cannabinoids and amends Section 44-53-190(D) by adding and designating into Schedule I of the South Carolina Controlled Substances Act: Methyl 3,3-dimethyl-2-(1-(pent-4-en-1-yl)-1*H*-indazole-3-carboxamido)butanoate (Other name: MDMB-4en-PINACA); Methyl 2-[[1-(4-fluorobutyl)indole-3-carbonyl]amino]-3,3-dimethyl-butanoate (Other names: 4F-MDMB-BUTICA; 4F-MDMB-BICA); *N*-(1-amino-3,3-dimethyl-1-oxobutan-2-yl)-1-(pent-4-en-1-yl)-1*H*-indazole-3-carboxamide (Other name: ADB-4en-PINACA); 5-Pentyl-2-(2-phenylpropan-2-yl)pyrido[4,3-b]indol-1-one (Other name: CUMYL-PEGACLONE; SGT-151); Ethyl 2-[[1-(5-fluoropentyl)indole-3-carbonyl]amino]-3,3-dimethyl-butanoate (Other names: 5F-EDMB-PICA; 5F-EDMB-2201); Methyl 2-(1-(4-fluorobenzyl)-1*H*-indole-3-carboxamido)-3-methyl butanoate (Other name: MMB-FUBICA), including their optical and geometric isomers, salts, and salts of isomers, whenever the existence of such isomers and salts is possible.

Seema Shrivastava-Patel, Chairwoman

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