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SOCIAL SECURITY ADMINISTRATION

20 CFR Part 404

Federal Old-Age, Survivors and Disability Insurance (1950–)

CFR Correction

This rule is being published by the Office of the Federal Register to correct an editorial or technical error that appeared in the most recent annual revision of the Code of Federal Regulations.

■ In Title 20 of the Code of Federal Regulations, Parts 400 to 499, revised as of April 1, 2023, in Appendix I to Subpart P of Part 404, in Part B, section 101.00, revise the first sentence of paragraph C.7.c. to read as follows:

Appendix 1 to Subpart P of Part 404—Listing of Impairments

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Part B

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101.00 Musculoskeletal Disorders.

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c. For 101.15, 101.16, 101.17, 101.18, 101.20C, 101.20D, 101.22, and 101.23, all of the required criteria must be present simultaneously, or within a close proximity of time, to satisfy the level of severity needed to meet the listing. * * *

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DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

Drug Enforcement Administration

21 CFR Part 1308

[Docket No. DEA–1036]

Schedules of Controlled Substances: Placement of Nine Specific Fentanyl-Related Substances in Schedule I

AGENCY: Drug Enforcement Administration, Department of Justice.
ACTION: Final rule.

SUMMARY: With the issuance of this final rule, the Drug Enforcement Administration places nine fentanyl-related substances, as identified in this final rule, including their isomers, esters, ethers, salts, and salts of isomers, esters, and ethers whenever the existence of such isomers, esters, ethers, and salts is possible, in schedule I of the Controlled Substances Act. These nine fentanyl-related substances are currently listed in schedule I pursuant to a temporary scheduling order. This action makes permanent the imposition of the regulatory controls and administrative, civil, and criminal sanctions applicable to schedule I controlled substances on persons who handle (manufacture, distribute, import, export, engage in research, conduct instructional activities or chemical analysis with, or possess), or propose to handle these nine specific fentanyl-related controlled substances.

DATES: *Effective date:* December 7, 2023.
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SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: In this rule, the Drug Enforcement Administration (DEA) is permanently scheduling the following nine controlled substances including their isomers, esters, ethers, salts, and salts of isomers, esters, and ethers whenever the existence of such isomers, esters, ethers, and salts is possible, in schedule I of the Controlled Substances Act (CSA):

- *meta*-fluorofentanyl (*N*-(3-fluorophenyl)-*N*-(1-phenethylpiperidin-4-yl)propionamide),
- *meta*-fluoroisobutyl fentanyl (*N*-(3-fluorophenyl)-*N*-(1-phenethylpiperidin-4-yl)isobutyramide),
- *para*-methoxyfentanyl fentanyl (*N*-(4-methoxyphenyl)-*N*-(1-phenethylpiperidin-4-yl)furan-2-carboxamide),
- 3-furanyl fentanyl (*N*-(1-phenethylpiperidin-4-yl)-*N*-phenylfuran-3-carboxamide),
- 2',5'-dimethoxyfentanyl (*N*-(1-(2,5-dimethoxyphenethyl)piperidin-4-yl)-*N*-phenylpropionamide),
- isovaleryl fentanyl (3-methyl-*N*-(1-phenethylpiperidin-4-yl)-*N*-phenylbutanamide),
- *ortho*-fluorofuranyl fentanyl (*N*-(2-fluorophenyl)-*N*-(1-phenethylpiperidin-4-yl)furan-2-carboxamide),
- *alpha'*-methyl butyryl fentanyl (2-methyl-*N*-(1-phenethylpiperidin-4-yl)-*N*-phenylbutanamide), and
- *para*-methylcyclopropyl fentanyl (*N*-(4-methylphenyl)-*N*-(1-phenethylpiperidin-4-yl)cyclopropanecarboxamide).

Legal Authority

The CSA provides that proceedings for the issuance, amendment, or repeal of the scheduling of any drug or other substance may be initiated by the Attorney General (1) on his own motion; (2) at the request of the Secretary of the Department of Health and Human Services (HHS);¹ or (3) on the petition of any interested party.² This action was initiated on the Attorney General's own motion, as delegated to the Administrator of the DEA (Administrator), and is supported by, *inter alia*, a recommendation from the Assistant Secretary for Health of HHS

¹ As discussed in a memorandum of understanding entered into by the Food and Drug Administration (FDA) and the National Institute on Drug Abuse (NIDA), FDA acts as the lead agency within HHS in carrying out the Secretary's scheduling responsibilities under the CSA, with the concurrence of NIDA. 50 FR 9518, Mar. 8, 1985. The Secretary of HHS has delegated to the Assistant Secretary for Health of HHS the authority to make domestic drug scheduling recommendations. 58 FR 35460, July 1, 1993.

² 21 U.S.C. 811(a).