

I SUPPORT [HB 2645].

[HB 2645] contains several categories of "Schedule 1 Drugs" which needs further discussion and clarification.

Reductions in concentrations and stiffer penalties for manufacture and distribution, including seizure of real property should be included in the "penalties" concerning "convicted person(s)."

One "newcomer" of "synthetic opioids" is deadly "Protonitazene."

Protonitazene is not discussed in [HB2645]. The cause of death of "Fentanyl" drug-overdosed persons may actually be from Protonitazene.

Protonitazene is more deadly than Fentanyl.

***Review:

<https://www.govinfo.gov/content/pkg/FR-2022-04-12/pdf/2022-07640.pdf>

https://www.deadiversion.usdoj.gov/drug_chem_info/benzimidazole-opioids.pdf

<https://healthliferecovery.com/protonitazene-new-synthetic-opioid/>

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Mr. Oregon Concurr..."Nitazenes" are made in China and are mixed into other drugs.

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