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To amend the Controlled Substances Act to list fentanyl-related substances as schedule I controlled substances.

## IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

Mr. FITZGERALD introduced the following bill; which was referred to the Committee on

## A BILL

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- 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representa-
- 2 tives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,
- 3 SECTION 1. SHORT TITLE.
- This Act may be cited as the "Stopping Overdoses
- 5 of Fentanyl Analogues Act".

1	SEC. 2. ARCHIE BADURA MEMORIAL FENTANYL RELATED
2	SUBSTANCE SCHEDULING.
3	Section 202(c) of the Controlled Substances Act (21
4	U.S.C. 812(e)) is amended by inserting after subsection
5	(d) the following:
6	"(e)(1) Unless specifically exempted or unless listed
7	in another schedule, any material, compound, mixture, or
8	preparation which contains any quantity of fentanyl-re-
9	lated substances, or which contains their salts, isomers,
10	and salts of isomers whenever the existence of such salts,
11	isomers, and salts of isomers is possible within the specific
12	chemical designation.
13	"(2) In paragraph (1), the term 'fentanyl-related sub-
14	stances' includes any substance that is structurally related
15	to fentanyl by one or more of the following modifications:
16	"(A) By replacement of the phenyl portion of
17	the phenethyl group by any monocycle, whether or
18	not further substituted in or on the monocycle.
19	"(B) By substitution in or on the phenethyl
20	group with alkyl, alkenyl, alkoxy, hydroxy, halo,
21	haloalkyl, amino or nitro groups.
22	"(C) By substitution in or on the piperidine
23	ring with alkyl, alkenyl, alkoxy, ester, ether, hy-
24	droxy, halo, haloalkyl, amino or nitro groups.

1	"(D) By replacement of the aniline ring with
2	any aromatic monocycle whether or not further sub-
3	stituted in or on the aromatic monocycle.
4	"(E) By replacement of the N-propionyl group
5	by another acyl group.".
6	SEC. 3. PENALTIES.
7	A fentanyl-related substance shall be treated as an
8	analogue of N-phenyl-N-[1-(2-phenylethyl)-4-piperidinyl]
9	propanamide under section 401(b)(1) of the Controlled
10	Substances Act (21 U.S.C. 841(b)(1)) and section
11	1010(b) of the Controlled Substances Import and Export
12	Act (21 U.S.C. 960(b)) without requiring proof that a
13	fentanyl-related substance meets the definition of a con-
14	trolled substance analogue under section 102 of the Con-
15	trolled Substances Act (21 U.S.C. 802).
16	SEC. 4. EFFECTIVE DATE.
17	This Act shall take effect one day after the date of
18	enactment of this Act.