



March 7, 2022

The Honorable Anne Milgram
Administrator
Drug Enforcement Administration
U.S. Department of Justice
8701 Morrisette Drive
Springfield, VA 22152

Dear Administrator Milgram:

Thank you for your letter dated, January 24, 2022, notifying the Department of Health and Human Services (HHS) of your intention to temporarily place MDMA-4en-PINACA, 4F-MDMB-BUTICA, ADB-4en-PINACA, CUMYL-PEGACLONE, 5F-EDMB-PICA, and MMB-FUBICA into schedule I of the Controlled Substances Act (CSA).

The Food and Drug Administration was asked to review its files. I have been advised that there are currently no approved new drug applications or investigational new drug applications for these substances. Therefore, HHS has no objection regarding your plan to temporarily place MDMA-4en-PINACA, 4F-MDMB-BUTICA, ADB-4en-PINACA, CUMYL-PEGACLONE, 5F-EDMB-PICA, and MMB-FUBICA into schedule I of the CSA.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "RL Levine MD".

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