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**DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE****Drug Enforcement Administration**

[Docket No. DEA-471P]

**Proposed Adjustments to the  
Aggregate Production Quotas for  
Schedule I and II Controlled  
Substances and Assessment of  
Annual Needs for the List I Chemicals  
Ephedrine, Pseudoephedrine, and  
Phenylpropanolamine for 2018**

**AGENCY:** Drug Enforcement  
Administration, Department of Justice.

**ACTION:** Notice with request for  
comments.

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**SUMMARY:** The Drug Enforcement Administration (DEA) proposes to adjust the 2018 aggregate production quotas for several controlled substances in schedules I and II of the Controlled Substances Act and assessment of annual needs for the list I chemicals ephedrine, pseudoephedrine, and phenylpropanolamine.

**DATES:** Interested persons may file written comments on this notice in accordance with 21 CFR 1303.13(c) and 1315.13(d). Electronic comments must be submitted, and written comments must be postmarked, on or before September 24, 2018. Commenters should be aware that the electronic Federal Docket Management System will not accept comments after 11:59 p.m. Eastern Time on the last day of the comment period.

Based on comments received in response to this notice, the Administrator may hold a public hearing on one or more issues raised. In the event the Administrator decides in his sole discretion to hold such a hearing, the Administrator will publish a notice of any such hearing in the **Federal Register**. After consideration of any comments or objections, or after a hearing, if one is held, the Administrator will publish in the **Federal Register** a final order establishing the 2018 adjusted aggregate

production quotas for schedule I and II controlled substances, and an assessment of annual needs for the list I chemicals ephedrine, pseudoephedrine, and phenylpropanolamine.

**ADDRESSES:** To ensure proper handling of comments, please reference “Docket No. DEA-471P” on all correspondence, including any attachments. The Drug Enforcement Administration encourages that all comments be submitted electronically through the Federal eRulemaking Portal, which provides the ability to type short comments directly into the comment field on the web page or attach a file for lengthier comments. Please go to <http://www.regulations.gov> and follow the online instructions at that site for submitting comments. Upon completion of your submission you will receive a Comment Tracking Number for your comment. Please be aware that submitted comments are not instantaneously available for public view on [regulations.gov](http://www.regulations.gov). If you have received a Comment Tracking Number, your comment has been successfully submitted and there is no need to resubmit the same comment. Paper comments that duplicate electronic submissions are not necessary and are discouraged. Should you wish to mail a paper comment *in lieu* of an electronic comment, it should be sent via regular or express mail to: Drug Enforcement Administration, Attention: DEA Federal Register Representative/DRW, 8701 Morrisette Drive, Springfield, Virginia 22152.

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**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:**

**Posting of Public Comments**

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**Legal Authority and Background**

Section 306 of the Controlled Substances Act (CSA) (21 U.S.C. 826) requires the Attorney General to establish aggregate production quotas for each basic class of controlled substance listed in schedules I and II and for the list I chemicals ephedrine, pseudoephedrine, and phenylpropanolamine. The Attorney General has delegated this function to the Administrator of the DEA pursuant to 28 CFR 0.100.

The DEA established the 2018 aggregate production quotas for substances in schedules I and II and the assessment of annual needs for the list I chemicals ephedrine, pseudoephedrine, and phenylpropanolamine on November 8, 2017 (82 FR 51873). That notice stipulated that, in accordance with 21 CFR 1303.13 and 1315.13, all aggregate production quotas and assessments of annual need are subject to adjustment.

**Analysis for Proposed Adjusted 2018 Aggregate Production Quotas and Assessment of Annual Needs**

The DEA proposes to adjust the established 2018 aggregate production quotas and assessment of annual needs for certain schedule I and II controlled substances, and the list I chemicals ephedrine, pseudoephedrine, and phenylpropanolamine, to be manufactured in the United States in 2018 to provide for the estimated medical, scientific, research, and industrial needs of the United States, for lawful export requirements, and for the establishment and maintenance of reserve stocks. These quotas do not include imports of controlled substances for use in industrial processes.

In determining the proposed adjustment, the Acting Administrator has taken into account the criteria in accordance with 21 CFR 1303.13 (adjustment of aggregate production quotas for controlled substances) and 21 CFR 1315.13 (adjustment of the assessment of annual needs for ephedrine, pseudoephedrine, and phenylpropanolamine). The DEA determined whether to propose an adjustment of the aggregate production quotas and assessment of annual needs for 2018 by considering: (1) Changes in the demand for that class or chemical, changes in the national rate of net disposal of the class or chemical, and changes in the rate of net disposal of the class or chemical by registrants holding individual manufacturing quotas for the class; (2) whether any increased demand for that class or chemical, the national and/or individual rates of net disposal of that class or chemical are temporary, short term, or long term; (3) whether any increased demand for that class or chemical can be met through existing inventories, increased individual manufacturing quotas, or increased importation, without increasing the aggregate production quota; (4) whether any decreased demand for that class or chemical will result in excessive inventory accumulation by all persons registered to handle that class or chemical; and (5) other factors affecting medical, scientific, research, and industrial needs in the United States and lawful export requirements, as the Acting Administrator finds relevant. These quotas do not include imports of controlled substances for use in industrial processes.

The Acting Administrator also considered updated information obtained from 2017 year-end inventories, 2017 disposition data submitted by quota applicants,

estimates of the medical needs of the United States, product development, and other information made available to the DEA after the initial aggregate production quotas and assessment of annual needs had been established. Other factors the Acting Administrator considered in calculating the aggregate production quotas, but not the assessment of annual needs, include product development requirements of

both bulk and finished dosage form manufacturers, and other pertinent information. In determining the proposed adjusted 2018 assessment of annual needs, the DEA used the calculation methodology previously described in the 2010 and 2011 established assessment of annual needs (74 FR 60294, Nov. 20, 2009, and 75 FR 79407, Dec. 20, 2010, respectively).

The Acting Administrator, therefore, proposes to adjust the 2018 aggregate production quotas for certain schedule I and II controlled substances and the assessment of annual needs for the list I chemicals ephedrine, pseudoephedrine, and phenylpropanolamine, expressed in grams of anhydrous acid or base, as follows:

Basic class	Established 2018 quotas (g)	Proposed revised 2018 quotas (g)
<b>Temporarily Scheduled Substances</b>		
1-(4-Cyanobutyl)-N-(2-phenylpropan-2-yl)-1H-indazole-3-carboximide .....	N/A	25.
1-(5-Fluoropentyl)-N-(2-phenylpropan-2-yl)-1H-pyrrolo[2,3-b]pyridine-3-carboximide .....	N/A	25.
Cyclopropyl Fentanyl .....	N/A	20.
Fentanyl related substances .....	N/A	25.
Isobutyryl Fentanyl .....	N/A	25.
Methyl-2-(1-(cyclohexylmethyl)-1H-indole-3-carboxamido)-3-methylbutanoate .....	N/A	25.
N-(1-Amino-3-methyl-1-oxobutan-2-yl)-1-(5-fluoropentyl)-1H-indazole-3-carboxamide .....	N/A	25.
Naphthalen-1-yl 1-(5-fluoropentyl)-1H-indole-3-carboxylate .....	N/A	25.
Ocfentanil .....	N/A	25.
Para-fluorobutyryl fentanyl .....	N/A	25.
Tetrahydrofuran fentanyl .....	N/A	5.
Valeryl fentanyl .....	N/A	25.
<b>Schedule I</b>		
1-[1-(2-Thienyl)cyclohexyl]pyrrolidine .....	Zero	20.
1-(1-Phenylcyclohexyl)pyrrolidine .....	10	15.
1-(2-Phenylethyl)-4-phenyl-4-acetoxypiperidine .....	zero	10.
1-(5-Fluoropentyl)-3-(1-naphthoyl)indole (AM2201) .....	30	no change.
1-(5-Fluoropentyl)-3-(2-iodobenzoyl)indole (AM694) .....	30	no change.
1-[1-(2-Thienyl)cyclohexyl]piperidine .....	15	no change.
1-Benzylpiperazine .....	25	no change.
1-Methyl-4-phenyl-4-propionoxypiperidine .....	2	10.
2-(2,5-Dimethoxy-4-ethylphenyl)ethanamine (2C-E) .....	30	no change.
2-(2,5-Dimethoxy-4-methylphenyl)ethanamine (2C-D) .....	30	no change.
2-(2,5-Dimethoxy-4-nitro-phenyl)ethanamine (2C-N) .....	30	no change.
2-(2,5-Dimethoxy-4-n-propylphenyl)ethanamine (2C-P) .....	30	no change.
2-(2,5-Dimethoxyphenyl)ethanamine (2C-H) .....	30	no change.
2-(4-Bromo-2,5-dimethoxyphenyl)-N-(2-methoxybenzyl)ethanamine (25B-NBOMe; 2C-B-NBOMe; 25B; Cimbi-36) .....	30	no change.
2-(4-Chloro-2,5-dimethoxyphenyl)ethanamine (2C-C) .....	30	no change.
2-(4-Chloro-2,5-dimethoxyphenyl)-N-(2-methoxybenzyl)ethanamine (25C-NBOMe; 2C-C-NBOMe; 25C; Cimbi-82) .....	25	no change.
2-(4-Iodo-2,5-dimethoxyphenyl)ethanamine (2C-I) .....	30	no change.
2-(4-Iodo-2,5-dimethoxyphenyl)-N-(2-methoxybenzyl)ethanamine (25I-NBOMe; 2C-I-NBOMe; 25I; Cimbi-5) .....	30	no change.
2,5-Dimethoxy-4-ethylamphetamine (DOET) .....	25	no change.
2,5-Dimethoxy-4-n-propylthiophenethylamine .....	25	no change.
2,5-Dimethoxyamphetamine .....	25	no change.
2-[4-(Ethylthio)-2,5-dimethoxyphenyl]ethanamine (2C-T-2) .....	30	no change.
2-[4-(Isopropylthio)-2,5-dimethoxyphenyl]ethanamine (2C-T-4) .....	30	no change.
3,4,5-Trimethoxyamphetamine .....	30	no change.
3,4-Methylenedioxamphetamine (MDA) .....	55	no change.
3,4-Methylenedioxymethamphetamine (MDMA) .....	50	no change.
3,4-Methylenediox-N-ethylamphetamine (MDEA) .....	40	no change.
3,4-Methylenediox-N-methylcathinone (methylo) .....	40	no change.
3,4-Methylenedioxypyrovalerone (MDPV) .....	35	no change.
3-FMC; 3-Fluoro-N-methylcathinone .....	25	no change.
3-Methylfentanyl .....	30	no change.
3-Methylthiofentanyl .....	30	no change.
4-Bromo-2,5-dimethoxyamphetamine (DOB) .....	30	no change.
4-Bromo-2,5-dimethoxyphenethylamine (2-CB) .....	25	no change.
4-Fluoroisobutyryl fentanyl .....	30	no change.
4-FMC; Flephedrone .....	25	no change.
4-MEC; 4-Methyl-N-ethylcathinone .....	25	no change.
4-Methoxyamphetamine .....	150	no change.
4-Methyl-2,5-dimethoxyamphetamine (DOM) .....	25	no change.
4-Methylaminorex .....	25	no change.

Basic class	Established 2018 quotas (g)	Proposed revised 2018 quotas (g)
4-Methyl-N-methylcathinone (mephedrone) .....	45	no change.
4-Methyl- $\alpha$ -pyrrolidinopropiophenone (4-MePPP) .....	25	no change.
5-(1,1-Dimethylheptyl)-2-[(1R,3S)-3-hydroxycyclohexyl]-phenol .....	50	no change.
5-(1,1-Dimethyloctyl)-2-[(1R,3S)-3-hydroxycyclohexyl]-phenol (cannabicyclohexanol or CP-47,497 C8-homolog) .....	40	no change.
5F-ADB; 5F-MDMB-PINACA (methyl 2-(1-(5-fluoropentyl)-1H-indazole-3-carboxamido)-3,3-dimethylbutanoate) .....	30	no change.
5F-AMB (methyl 2-(1-(5-fluoropentyl)-1H-indazole-3-carboxamido)-3-methylbutanoate) .....	30	no change.
5F-APINACA; 5F-AKB48 (N-(adamantan-1-yl)-1-(5-fluoropentyl)-1H-indazole-3-carboxamide) .....	30	no change.
5-Fluoro-PB-22; 5F-PB-22 .....	20	no change.
5-Fluoro-UR144, XLR11 ([1-(5-fluoro-pentyl)-1H-indol-3-yl](2,2,3,3-tetramethylcyclopropyl)methanone) .....	25	no change.
5-Methoxy-3,4-methylenedioxyamphetamine .....	25	no change.
5-Methoxy-N,N-diisopropyltryptamine .....	25	no change.
5-Methoxy-N,N-dimethyltryptamine .....	25	no change.
AB-CHMINACA .....	30	no change.
AB-FUBINACA .....	50	no change.
AB-PINACA .....	30	no change.
ADB-FUBINACA (N-(1-amino-3,3-dimethyl-1-oxobutan-2-yl)-1-(4-fluorobenzyl)-1H-indazole-3-carboxamide) .....	30	no change.
Acetyl Fentanyl .....	100	no change.
Acetyl- $\alpha$ -methylfentanyl .....	30	no change.
Acetyldihydrocodeine .....	30	no change.
Acetylmethadol .....	2	no change.
Acryl Fentanyl .....	25	no change.
ADB-PINACA (N-(1-amino-3,3-dimethyl-1-oxobutan-2-yl)-1-pentyl-1H-indazole-3-carboxamide) .....	50	no change.
AH-7921 .....	30	no change.
Allylprodine .....	2	no change.
Alphacetylmethadol .....	2	no change.
$\alpha$ -Ethyltryptamine .....	25	no change.
Alphameprodine .....	2	no change.
Alphamethadol .....	2	no change.
$\alpha$ -Methylfentanyl .....	30	no change.
$\alpha$ -Methylthiofentanyl .....	30	no change.
$\alpha$ -Methyltryptamine (AMT) .....	25	no change.
$\alpha$ -Pyrrolidinobutiophenone ( $\alpha$ -PBP) .....	25	no change.
$\alpha$ -Pyrrolidinopentiophenone ( $\alpha$ -PVP) .....	25	no change.
Aminorex .....	25	no change.
APINCA, AKB48 (N-(1-adamantyl)-1-pentyl-1H-indazole-3-carboxamide) .....	25	no change.
Benzylmorphine .....	30	no change.
Betacetylmethadol .....	2	no change.
$\beta$ -Hydroxy-3-methylfentanyl .....	30	no change.
$\beta$ -Hydroxyfentanyl .....	30	no change.
$\beta$ -Hydroxythiofentanyl .....	30	no change.
Betameprodine .....	2	no change.
Betamethadol .....	4	no change.
Betaprodine .....	2	no change.
Bufotenine .....	3	no change.
Butylone .....	25	no change.
Butyryl fentanyl .....	30	no change.
Cathinone .....	24	no change.
Codeine methylbromide .....	30	no change.
Codeine-N-oxide .....	192	no change.
Desomorphine .....	25	no change.
Diapromide .....	Zero	20.
Diethylthiambutene .....	Zero	20.
Diethyltryptamine .....	25	no change.
Difenoxin .....	8,225	no change.
Dihydromorphine .....	1,000,160	no change.
Dimethyltryptamine .....	35	50.
Dipipanone .....	5	no change.
Etorphine .....	30	no change.
Fenethylamine .....	30	no change.
Furanyl fentanyl .....	30	no change.
$\gamma$ -Hydroxybutyric acid .....	37,130,000	no change.
Heroin .....	45	no change.
Hydromorphinol .....	40	no change.
Hydroxypethidine .....	2	no change.
Ibogaine .....	30	no change.
JWH-018 and AM678 (1-Pentyl-3-(1-naphthoyl)indole) .....	35	no change.
JWH-019 (1-Hexyl-3-(1-naphthoyl)indole) .....	45	no change.
JWH-073 (1-Butyl-3-(1-naphthoyl)indole) .....	45	no change.
JWH-081 (1-Pentyl-3-[1-(4-methoxynaphthoyl)]indole) .....	30	no change.
JWH-122 (1-Pentyl-3-(4-methyl-1-naphthoyl)indole) .....	30	no change.

Basic class	Established 2018 quotas (g)	Proposed revised 2018 quotas (g)
JWH-200 (1-[2-(4-Morpholinyl)ethyl]-3-(1-naphthoyl)indole) .....	35	no change.
JWH-203 (1-Pentyl-3-(2-chlorophenylacetyl)indole) .....	30	no change.
JWH-250 (1-Pentyl-3-(2-methoxyphenylacetyl)indole) .....	30	no change.
JWH-398 (1-Pentyl-3-(4-chloro-1-naphthoyl)indole) .....	30	no change.
Lysergic acid diethylamide (LSD) .....	40	no change.
MAB-CHMINACA; ADB-CHMINACA (N-(1-amino-3,3-dimethyl-1-oxobutan-2-yl)-1-(cyclohexylmethyl)-1H-indazole-3-carboxamide).	30	no change.
MDMB-CHMICA; MMB-CHMINACA(methyl 2-(1-(cyclohexylmethyl)-1H-indole-3-carboxamido)-3,3-dimethylbutanoate).	30	no change.
MDMB-FUBINACA (methyl 2-(1-(4-fluorobenzyl)-1H-indazole-3-carboxamido)-3,3-dimethylbutanoate) .....	30	no change.
Marihuana .....	443,680	1,140,216.
Mecloqualone .....	30	no change.
Mescaline .....	25	no change.
Methaqualone .....	60	no change.
Methcathinone .....	25	no change.
Methyldesorphine .....	5	no change.
Methyldihydromorphine .....	2	no change.
Morphine methylbromide .....	5	no change.
Morphine methylsulfonate .....	5	no change.
Morphine-N-oxide .....	150	no change.
N,N-Dimethylamphetamine .....	25	no change.
Naphyrone .....	25	no change.
N-Ethyl-1-phenylcyclohexylamine .....	5	no change.
N-Ethyl-3-piperidyl benzilate .....	Zero	10.
N-Ethylamphetamine .....	24	no change.
N-Hydroxy-3,4-methylenedioxamphetamine .....	24	no change.
Noracymethadol .....	2	no change.
Norlevorphanol .....	55	no change.
Normethadone .....	2	no change.
Normorphine .....	40	no change.
Para-fluorofentanyl .....	25	no change.
Parahexyl .....	5	no change.
PB-22; QUPIC .....	20	no change.
Pentadrone .....	25	no change.
Pentylone .....	25	no change.
Phenomorphan .....	2	no change.
Pholcodine .....	5	no change.
Psilocybin .....	30	no change.
Psilocyn .....	50	no change.
SR-18 and RCS-8 (1-Cyclohexylethyl-3-(2-methoxyphenylacetyl)indole) .....	45	no change.
SR-19 and RCS-4 (1-Pentyl-3-[(4-methoxy)-benzoyl]indole) .....	30	no change.
Tetrahydrocannabinols .....	384,460	no change.
Thiofentanyl .....	25	no change.
THJ-2201 ( [1-(5-fluoropentyl)-1H-indazol-3-yl](naphthalen-1-yl)methanone) .....	30	no change.
Tilidine .....	25	no change.
Trimeperidine .....	2	no change.
UR-144 (1-pentyl-1H-indol-3-yl)(2,2,3,3-tetramethylcyclopropyl)methanone .....	25	no change.
U-47700 .....	30	no change.

## Schedule II

1-Phenylcyclohexylamine .....	4	15.
1-Piperidinocyclohexanecarbonitrile .....	4	25.
4-Anilino-N-phenethyl-4-piperidine (ANPP) .....	1,342,320	no change.
Alfentanil .....	6,200	no change.
Alphaprodine .....	2	no change.
Amobarbital .....	20,100	no change.
Amphetamine (for conversion) .....	11,280,000	12,700,000.
Amphetamine (for sale) .....	39,856,000	no change.
Anileridine .....	Zero	20.
Carfentanil .....	20	no change.
Cocaine .....	92,120	no change.
Codeine (for conversion) .....	15,040,000	12,900,000.
Codeine (for sale) .....	40,015,000	no change.
Dextropropoxyphene .....	35	no change.
Dihydrocodeine .....	264,140	no change.
Dihydroetorphine .....	2	no change.
Diphenoxylate (for conversion) .....	14,100	no change.
Diphenoxylate (for sale) .....	770,800	no change.
Ecgonine .....	88,134	no change.
Ethylmorphine .....	30	no change.

Basic class	Established 2018 quotas (g)	Proposed revised 2018 quotas (g)
Etorphine hydrochloride .....	32	no change.
Fentanyl .....	1,342,320	no change.
Glutethimide .....	2	no change.
Hydrocodone (for conversion) .....	114,680	no change.
Hydrocodone (for sale) .....	50,348,280	44,710,000.
Hydromorphone .....	4,547,720	no change.
Isomethadone .....	30	no change.
Levo-alphaacetylmethadol (LAAM) .....	5	no change.
Levomethorphan .....	30	2,200.
Levorphanol .....	12,126	38,000.
Lisdexamfetamine .....	17,869,000	19,000,000.
Meperidine .....	2,717,540	1,913,148.
Meperidine Intermediate-A .....	5	30.
Meperidine Intermediate-B .....	30	no change.
Meperidine Intermediate-C .....	5	30.
Metazocine .....	15	no change.
Methadone (for sale) .....	22,278,000	no change.
Methadone Intermediate .....	24,064,000	no change.
Methamphetamine .....	1,446,754	no change.

[846,000 grams of levo-desoxyephedrine for use in a non-controlled, non-prescription product; 564,000 grams for methamphetamine mostly for conversion to a schedule III product; and 36,754 grams for methamphetamine (for sale)]

Methylphenidate .....	64,600,000	no change.
Morphine (for conversion) .....	4,089,000	no change.
Morphine (for sale) .....	33,958,440	31,456,000.
Nabilone .....	31,000	62,000.
Noroxymorphone (for conversion) .....	14,044,540	16,440,000.
Noroxymorphone (for sale) .....	376,000	no change.
Opium (powder) .....	84,600	no change.
Opium (tincture) .....	564,000	no change.
Oripavine .....	24,534,000	no change.
Oxycodone (for conversion) .....	2,453,400	no change.
Oxycodone (for sale) .....	95,692,000	85,578,000.
Oxymorphone (for conversion) .....	20,962,000	no change.
Oxymorphone (for sale) .....	3,395,280	3,137,240.
Pentobarbital .....	25,850,000	no change.
Phenazocine .....	5	no change.
Phencyclidine .....	35	no change.
Phenmetrazine .....	25	no change.
Phenylacetone .....	40	no change.
Racemethorphan .....	5	no change.
Racemorphan .....	5	no change.
Remifentanyl .....	2,820	3,000.
Secobarbital .....	161,682	172,100.
Sufentanyl .....	1,880	no change.
Tapentadol .....	18,388,280	no change.
Thebaine .....	94,000,000	86,200,000.

#### List I Chemicals

Ephedrine (for conversion) .....	47,000	no change.
Ephedrine (for sale) .....	4,136,000	no change.
Phenylpropanolamine (for conversion) .....	14,100,000	no change.
Phenylpropanolamine (for sale) .....	7,990,000	no change.
Pseudoephedrine (for conversion) .....	40	1,000.
Pseudoephedrine (for sale) .....	180,000,000	no change.

The Acting Administrator further proposes that aggregate production quotas for all other schedule I and II controlled substances included in 21 CFR 1308.11 and 1308.12 remain at zero. In accordance with 21 CFR 1303.13 and 21 CFR 1315.13, upon consideration of the relevant factors, the Acting Administrator may adjust the

2018 aggregate production quotas and assessment of annual needs as needed.

#### Conclusion

After consideration of any comments or objections, or after a hearing, if one is held, the Acting Administrator will issue and publish in the **Federal Register** a final order establishing any adjustment of 2018 aggregate production

quotas for each basic class of controlled substances in schedules I and II and established assessment of annual needs for the list I chemicals ephedrine, pseudoephedrine, and phenylpropanolamine, 21 CFR 1303.13(c) and 1315.13(f).

Dated: August 17, 2018.

**Uttam Dhillon,**

*Acting Administrator.*

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Takeaways: The selections below from the listing above should make a few things clear.

Domestic Fentanyl is a huge target. They are trying to take it from “no limits” to a quota of 275 grams. What about fake and imported Fentanyl?

Pain meds are a target. They want to reduce the quotas on many -ones, -aines, and -ines by ten percent overall, by thirty million grams.

“Marihuana” is listed as a Schedule 1 substance. At the same time, they want to allow more of it, more than a hundred and fifty percent more, to more than a million grams. Those two things together are just silly.

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New Limits	12
Decreases	7
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No Change	196

Selected New Limits	2018 Quotas in Grams	
	Established	Proposed Revised
Fentanyl related substances	N/A	25
Isobutyl Fentanyl	N/A	25
Ocfentanil	N/A	25
Para-flourobutyl Fentanyl	N/A	25
Valeryl Fentanyl	N/A	25
Cyclopropyl Fentanyl	N/A	20
Tetrahydrofuran Fentanyl	N/A	5
Other	N/A	125
<b>Total</b>		<b>275</b>

Major Decreases	2018 Quotas in Grams		Change	
	Established	Proposed Revised		
Oxycodone	95,692,000	85,578,000	-10,114,000	-11%
Thebaine	94,000,000	86,200,000	-7,800,000	-8%
Hydrocodone	50,348,280	44,710,000	-5,638,280	-11%
Morphine	33,958,440	31,456,000	-2,502,440	-7%
Codeine	15,040,000	12,900,000	-2,140,000	-14%
Oxymorphone	3,395,280	3,137,240	-258,040	-8%
Meperidine	2,717,540	1,913,148	-804,392	-30%
<b>Total</b>	295,151,540	265,894,388	-29,257,152	<b>-10%</b>

Major Increases	2018 Quotas in Grams		Change	
	Established	Proposed Revised		
Schedule 1				
Marihuana	443,680	1,140,216	696,536	157%
Dimethyltryptamine	35	50	15	43%
Diapromide	0	20	20	
Diethylthiambutene	0	20	20	
Schedule 2				
Lisdexamfetamine	17,869,000	19,000,000	1,131,000	6%
Noroxymorphone	14,044,540	16,440,000	2,395,460	17%
Amphetamine	11,280,000	12,700,000	1,420,000	13%
Secobarbital	161,682	172,100	10,418	6%
Nabilone	31,000	62,000	31,000	100%
Levorphanol	12,126	38,000	25,874	213%
Remifentanil	2,820	3,000	180	6%
Total	43,844,883	49,555,406	5,710,523	13%