PROPOSED REGULATION OF THE STATE BOARD OF PHARMACY

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Explanation – Language in *blue italics* is new; language in *red text* [*omitted material*] is language to be omitted, and language in *green text* indicates prior Board-approved amendments that are in the process of being codified.

AUTHORITY: NRS 453.146; NRS 639.070

A REGULATION relating to controlled substances; adding remimazolam to the controlled substances listed in Schedule IV; and providing other matters properly relating thereto.

Section 1. NAC 453.540 is hereby amended to read as follows:

NAC 453.540 Schedule IV.

- 1. Schedule IV consists of the drugs and other substances listed in this section, by whatever official, common, usual, chemical or trade name designated.
- 2. Unless specifically excepted or unless listed in another schedule, any material, compound, mixture or preparation containing any of the following narcotic drugs, including, without limitation, their salts, calculated as the free anhydrous base of alkaloid, is hereby enumerated on schedule IV, in quantities:
- (a) Not more than 1 milligram of difenoxin and not less than 25 micrograms of atropine sulfate per dosage unit; or
- (b) Dextropropoxyphene (alpha-(+)-4-dimethylamino-1,2-diphenyl-3-methyl-2-propionoxybutane).
- 3. Unless specifically excepted or unless listed in another schedule, any material, compound, mixture or preparation which contains any quantity of the following substances, including, without limitation, their salts, isomers and salts of isomers, is hereby enumerated on schedule IV, whenever the existence of such salts, isomers and salts of isomers is possible within the specific chemical designation:

Alprazolam; Barbital;

Bromazepam;

Butorphanol; Camazepam:

Camazepam;

Carisoprodol; Chloral betaine:

Chloral hydrate;

Chlordiazepoxide;

Clobazam;

Clonazepam;

Clorazepate;

Clotiazepam; Cloxazolam; Delorazepam; Diazepam; Dichloralphenazone; Eluxadoline; Estazolam; Ethchlorvynol; Ethinamate; Ethyl loflazepate; Fludiazepam; Flunitrazepam; Flurazepam; Halazepam; Haloxazolam; Ketazolam; Lemborexant Loprazolam; Lorazepam; Lorcaserin; Lormetazepam; Mebutamate; Medazepam; Meprobamate; Methohexital; Methylphenobarbital (mephobarbital); Midazolam; Nimetazepam; Nitrazepam; Nordiazepam; Oxazepam; Oxazolam; Paraldehyde; Petrichloral; Phenobarbital; Pinazepam; Prazepam; Quazepam; Remimazolam; Suvorexant Temazepam; Tetrazepam; Triazolam; Zaleplon; Zolpidem; or

Zopiclone.

- 4. Any material, compound, mixture or preparation which contains any quantity of fenfluramine, including, without limitation, its salts, isomers and salts of such isomers, whenever the existence of such salts, isomers and salts of isomers is possible, is hereby enumerated on schedule IV. For the purposes of this subsection, "isomer" includes, without limitation, the optical, position or geometric isomer.
- 5. Unless specifically excepted or unless listed in another schedule, any material, compound, mixture or preparation which contains any quantity of the following substances having a stimulant effect on the central nervous system, including, without limitation, their salts, isomers and salts of isomers, is hereby enumerated on schedule IV:

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Cathine ((+)-norpseudoephedrine);
Diethylpropion;
Fencamfamin;
Fenproporex;
Mazindol;
Mefenorex;
Modafinil;
Pemoline (including organometallic complexes and chelates thereof);
Phentermine;
Pipradrol;
Sibutramine; or
SPA ((-)-dimethylamino-1,2,diphenylethane).
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6. Unless specifically excepted or unless listed in another schedule, any material, compound, mixture or preparation which contains any quantity of pentazocine, including, without limitation, its salts, is hereby enumerated on schedule IV.