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House of Representatives

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MEMORANDUM

To: Subcommittee on Health Members and Staff
From: Committee Majority Staff
Re: Subcommittee on Health Markup on July 15, 2026

I. INTRODUCTION

The Subcommittee on Health will hold a markup on Wednesday, July 15, 2026, at 10:00 a.m. (ET) in 2123 Rayburn House Office Building, and subsequent days as necessary, to consider the following items:

- H.R. 7184, PRESS Act (Rep. McDowell)
- H.R. 8005, Stop Pills That Kill Act (Rep. Evans)
- H.R. 5880, Fight Illicit Pill Presses Act (Reps. Hageman and Stansbury)

II. LEGISLATION

A. H.R. 7184, PRESS Act (Rep. McDowell)

H.R. 7184 would amend the Controlled Substances Act to make it unlawful to manufacture, distribute, or import pill press equipment with the intent to illicitly produce a controlled substance.

B. H.R. 8005, Stop Pills That Kill Act (Rep. Evans)

H.R. 8005 would implement sentencing penalties for the production of fentanyl, fentanyl analogues, and fentanyl-related substances. This bill would also require the Drug Enforcement Administration (DEA) to create a comprehensive plan to address counterfeit substances.

C. H.R. 5880, Fight Illicit Pill Presses Act (Reps. Hageman and Stansbury)

H.R. 5880 would implement serialization requirements for pill presses, pill punches, and their critical parts. It prohibits the removal or alteration of these serial numbers and prohibits the distribution of machines with serial numbers that have been tampered with.

III. STAFF CONTACTS

If you have questions regarding this hearing, please contact Claire Richey of the Majority Committee staff at (202) 225-3641.