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MEMORANDUM

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To: Executive Board

Indiana Department of Health

From: Jon Ferguson

Chief of Staff

Subject: Summary/Response to Comment, Rules for Readoption, LSA#24-588

The Indiana Department of Health (IDOH) requested public comment on rules to be readopted from September 10 through October 10, 2025 assigned LSA#24-588 and available at: 410 24-588 | IARP. One comment was received pertaining to 410 IAC 38, INSPECTION AND CLEANUP OF PROPERTY CONTAMINATED WITH CHEMICALS USED IN THE ILLEGAL MANUFACTURE OF A CONTROLLED SUBSTANCE. The comment received and the response to the comment by IDOH is summarized as follows:

A comment was received requesting the Indiana Department of Health adopt the American National Standard's Institute/Institute of Inspection, Cleaning, and Restoration Certification (ANSI/IICRC) S900 Standard to address evolving risks presented by illicit drug use, manufacturing and contamination, especially with the growing prevalence of fentanyl.

Response: While the rule readoption process does not allow for any changes, IDOH will carefully consider adopting the ANSI/IICRC S900 standard when the subject rule is revised in the future as it may provide a universally recognized standard for the decontamination of properties affected by the manufacture of illicit drugs. Additionally, the ANSI/IICRC S900 standard also applies to sites contaminated by the *use* of illicit drugs. Currently, IDOH's legislative authority for the promulgation of such regulations only applies to sites contaminated by the *manufacturing* of illicit drugs and not the use of these drugs.

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