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UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
EASTERN DISTRICT OF LOUISIANA

**INDICTMENT FOR VIOLATIONS OF THE FEDERAL CONTROLLED SUBSTANCES  
ACT AND THE FEDERAL GUN CONTROL ACT**

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

\* CRIMINAL NO. **22-70**

v.

\* SECTION: **SECT. E MAG. 4**

NICHOLAS WEBER

\* VIOLATION: 21 U.S.C. § 841(a)(1)  
21 U.S.C. § 841(b)(1)(B)  
\* 18 U.S.C. § 924(c)(1)(A)(i)  
18 U.S.C. § 922(g)(1)  
\* 18 U.S.C. § 924(a)(2)  
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The Grand Jury charges that:

**COUNT 1**  
**(Possession with Intent to Distribute Fentanyl)**

On or about March 29, 2022, in the Eastern District of Louisiana, the defendant, **NICHOLAS WEBER**, did knowingly and intentionally possess with intent to distribute forty (40) grams or more of a mixture and substance containing a detectable amount of N-phenyl-N-[1-(2-phenylethyl)-4-piperidinyl] propanamide (fentanyl), a Schedule II controlled substance, in violation of Title 21, United States Code, Sections 841(a)(1) and 841(b)(1)(B).

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**COUNT 2**  
**(Possessing Firearms in Furtherance of a Drug Trafficking Crime)**

On or about March 29, 2022, in the Eastern District of Louisiana, the defendant, **NICHOLAS WEBER**, did knowingly possess firearms, to wit: a Glock, model 20, 10mm caliber pistol, bearing serial number [REDACTED] and an Anderson Arms, model AM-15, multicaliber, firearm, bearing serial number [REDACTED] in furtherance of a drug trafficking crime for which he may be prosecuted in a court of the United States, that is, possession with intent to distribute forty (40) grams or more of a mixture and substance containing a detectable amount of N-phenyl-N-[1-(2-phenylethyl)-4-piperidinyl] propanamide (fentanyl), a Schedule II controlled substance, in violation of Title 21, United States Code, Sections 841(a)(1) and 841(b)(1)(B), as charged in Count 1 of this Indictment; all in violation of Title 18, United States Code, Section 924(c)(1)(A)(i).

**COUNT 3**  
**(Felon in Possession of Firearms)**

On or about March 29, 2022, in the Eastern District of Louisiana, the defendant, **NICHOLAS WEBER**, knowing that he had been convicted of a crime punishable by imprisonment for a term exceeding one year, to wit: a conviction on or about January 12, 2016, in Criminal District Court, Parish of Orleans, State of Louisiana, under case number 522859 "A," for theft of a motor vehicle, in violation of LA. R.S. 14:67.26C(1), did knowingly possess in and affecting commerce, firearms, to wit: a Glock, model 20, 10mm caliber pistol, bearing serial number [REDACTED]; and an Anderson Arms, model AM-15, multicaliber, firearm, bearing serial number [REDACTED] in violation of Title 18, United States Code, Sections 922(g)(1) and 924(a)(2).

**NOTICE OF FORFEITURE**

1. The allegations of Counts 1 through 3 of this Indictment are incorporated by reference as though set forth fully herein for the purpose of alleging forfeiture to the United States.

2. As a result of the offense alleged in Count 1, the defendant, **NICHOLAS WEBER**, shall forfeit to the United States pursuant to Title 21, United States Code, Section 853, any property, constituting or derived from, any proceeds obtained directly or indirectly, as the result of said offense, and any property used, or intended to be used, in any manner or part to commit, or to facilitate the commission of said offense, including but not limited to the following:

\$16,200.00 in United States currency.

3. As a result of the offenses alleged in Counts 2 and 3, the defendant, **NICHOLAS WEBER**, shall forfeit to the United States pursuant to Title 18, United States Code, Section 924(d)(1), and Title 28, United States Code, Section 2461(c), any firearm or ammunition involved in or used in the commission of said offenses, including but not limited to the following:

Glock, model 20, 10mm caliber pistol, bearing serial number

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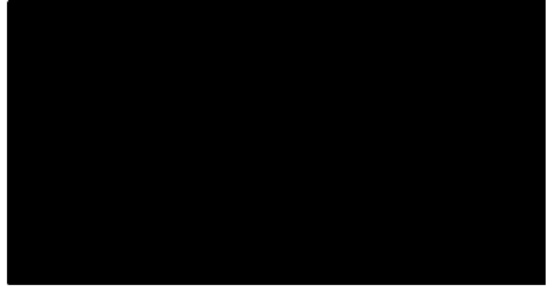
Anderson Arms, model AM-15, multicaliber, firearm, bearing serial number

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4. If any of the above-described property, as a result of any act or omission of the defendant:

- a. cannot be located upon the exercise of due diligence;
- b. has been transferred or sold to, or deposited with, a third person;
- c. has been placed beyond jurisdiction of the Court;
- d. has been substantially diminished in value; or
- e. has been commingled with other property which cannot be subdivided without difficulty;

the United States shall seek a money judgment and, pursuant to Title 21, United States Code, Section 853(p), forfeiture of any other property of the defendant up to the value of said property.



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