

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
DISTRICT OF NEW JERSEY

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA : Hon. Brian R. Martinotti  
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 v. : Criminal No. 21-  
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 TAWAN GRIER, : 21 U.S.C. §§ 841(a)(1) and (b)(1)(C)  
 a/k/a "TJ" :  
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**INFORMATION**

The defendant having waived in open court prosecution by Indictment, the Acting United States Attorney for the District of New Jersey charges:

**COUNT ONE**  
(Distribution of Fentanyl)

On or about October 10, 2018, in Passaic County, in the District of New Jersey and elsewhere, the defendant,

**TAWAN GRIER,  
a/k/a "TJ,"**

did knowingly and intentionally possess with intent to distribute a quantity of a mixture and substance containing a detectable amount of fentanyl (N-phenyl-N-[1-(2-phenylethyl)-4-piperidinyl] Propanamide), a Schedule II controlled substance.

In violation of Title 21, United States Code, Sections 841(a)(1) and (b)(1)(C).

## **FORFEITURE ALLEGATION**

1. The allegations set forth in this Information are hereby realleged and incorporated by reference for the purpose of alleging forfeiture pursuant to Title 21, United States Code, Section 853.

2. Pursuant to Title 21, United States Code, Section 853, upon conviction of the offense in violation of Title 21, United States Code, Sections 841(a)(1), (b)(1)(C), as charged in this Information, the defendant,

**TAWAN GRIER,  
a/k/a "TJ,"**

shall forfeit to the United States of America any and all property constituting or derived from any proceeds the defendant obtained directly or indirectly as a result of the said violations, and any and all property used or intended to be used in any manner or part to commit and to facilitate the commission of the violation alleged in this Information.

3. If any of the property described above, 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 party;
- (c) has been placed beyond the jurisdiction of the court;
- (d) has been substantially diminished in value; or

(e) has been commingled with other property which cannot be divided without difficulty,

the United States of America shall be entitled to forfeiture of substitute property pursuant to Title 21, United States Code, Section 853(p).

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RACHAEL A. HONIG  
Acting United States Attorney

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