STATEMENT FROM ACTING HEALTH COMMISSIONER DR. OXIRIS BARBOT ON THE FDA COMMISSIONER’S STANCE ON ELECTRONIC CIGARETTES

“Electronic cigarettes are putting an entire generation at risk: they are addictive, and they may lead to more youth trying cigarettes. We are encouraged to see the FDA taking a stronger stance on e-cigarettes. We hope the FDA will take all of the actions in its power to address the alarming rates of use among youth, including a ban on flavored e-cigarettes.”

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