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(54) **Title:** AGENT FOR PROPHYLAXIS OR TREATMENT OF METABOLIC SYNDROME

(57) **Abstract:** The present invention provides an agent for the prophylaxis or treatment of metabolic syndrome, which comprises 2-ethoxy-1-[[2'-(5-oxo-2,5-dihydro-1,2,4-oxadiazol-3-yl)biphenyl-4-yl]methyl]-1H-benzimidazole-7-carboxylic acid or a salt thereof or a prodrug thereof and a PPAR agonist-like substance in combination.