



LAWS AND REGULATIONS

PROMULGATED TO GIVE EFFECT TO THE PROVISIONS OF THE INTERNATIONAL TREATIES ON NARCOTIC DRUGS AND PSYCHOTROPIC SUBSTANCES

In accordance with the relevant articles of the international treaties on narcotic drugs and psychotropic substances, the Secretary-General has the honour to communicate the following legislative texts.

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DANGEROUS DRUGS BOARD

BOARD REGULATION No. 3 s. 1985, 18 September 1985

PRESCRIBING THE PROCEDURES TO BE FOLLOWED IN THE COMPUTATION
OF THE REWARD FOR INFORMANTS ON MORPHINE, MORPHINE SALTS,
CODEINE SULFATE, HEROIN BRICK AND POWDER AND PHENOBARBITONE

Pursuant to the powers vested in the Dangerous Drugs Board under Section 36 (a) and (o) of Republic Act 6425, as amended, and in accordance with the decision of the Board arrived at in its meeting of 18 September 1985, the following regulation is hereby prescribed:

SECTION I. Rewards for informants shall be computed in accordance with the following procedures:

A. MORPHINE

1. Firstly, determine the percentage of purity as examined qualitatively and quantitatively by the Chemist;
2. With the known percentage of purity, apply the following formula:

$$\text{MARKET VALUE} = \frac{\text{Weight of seizure}}{\text{seizure}} \times \frac{\% \text{ of purity}}{24} \times \text{P120.00}$$

3. Having determined the Market Value (MV), then

$$\text{MV} \times 0.05 = \text{AMOUNT OF REWARD}$$

B. MORPHINE in the form of salts like Morphine Tartrate (Syrette), Sulfate or Hydrochloride, etc.

1. Convert the Morphine Salts to Morphine Base by using the following formula:

$$\text{MV} = \frac{\text{Weight of seizure}}{\text{seizure}} \times \frac{\text{Conversion Factor (CF)}}{\text{Factor (CF)}} \times \frac{\% \text{ of purity}}{24} \times \text{P120.00}$$

$$\text{MV} \times 0.05 = \text{AMOUNT OF REWARD}$$

Example: One Morphine Syrette contains 0.3 g/1.5 ml. In morphine syrette, morphine is in the form of salt - that is the morphine tartrate. Apply the following formula:

$$\text{MV} = 3001 \times 0.3 \times \text{CF} \times \frac{100}{24} \times \text{P120.00}$$

$$\text{CF} = \frac{\text{Molecular Weight of Morphine}}{\text{Molecular Weight of Morphine Tartrate}}$$

$$\text{CF} = \frac{285.3}{774} = 0.3686 \text{ or } 0.369$$

$$\text{MV} = 3001 \times 0.3 \times 0.369 \times \frac{100}{24} \times \text{P120.00} = \text{P166,105.34}$$

$$\text{REWARD: P166,105.34} \times 0.05 = \underline{\text{P8,305.27}}$$

C. CODEINE SULFATE (U.S.P.) - Considering it as pure, convert to Morphine, using the following conversion procedure:

$$\text{CF} = \frac{\text{Morphine (m.wt.)}}{\text{Codeine Sulfate (m.wt.)}}$$

$$\text{CF} = \frac{285.3}{696.8} = 0.409$$

$$\text{MV} = \frac{\text{Wt. of Codeine Sulfate seized}}{100} \times 0.409 \times \frac{100}{24} \times \text{P}120.00$$

$$\text{MV} = 250 \text{ g} \times 0.409 \times \frac{100}{24} \times \text{P}120.00 = \text{P}51,125.00$$

$$\text{REWARD} = \text{P}51,125.00 \times 0.05 = \underline{\text{P}2,556.25}$$

D. HEROIN

1. Seizure - 325 grams Heroin Brick

$$\text{MV} = \frac{\text{Weight of seizure}}{15} \times \frac{\% \text{ of purity}}{15} \times \text{P}150.00$$

$$\text{MV} = 325 \text{ g} \times \frac{69.3}{15} \times \text{P}150.00 = \text{P}225,225.00$$

$$\text{REWARD} = \text{P}225,225.00 \times 0.05 = \underline{\text{P}11,261.25}$$

2. Seizure - 275 grams Heroin Powder

$$\text{MV} = 275 \times \frac{68.2}{15} \times \text{P}150.00 = \text{P}187,549.99$$

$$\text{REWARD} = \text{P}187,549.99 \times 0.05 = \underline{\text{P}9,377.50}$$

3. Seizure - 48.6 grams Heroin Brick

$$\text{MV} = 48.6 \times \frac{69.5}{15} \times \text{P}150.00 = \text{P}33,777.00$$

$$\text{REWARD} = \text{P}33,777.00 \times 0.05 = \underline{\text{P}1,688.85}$$

NOTE: If the Heroin is in the form of base, follow the procedure above. If it is in the form of salt, multiply the AMOUNT OF SEIZURE by CONVERSION FACTOR (CF) as follows:

$$\text{CF} = \frac{\text{M. Wt of Heroin}}{\text{M. Wt of Heroin HCL}}$$

F. PHENOBARBITONE - 15 kilos

Assuming that a 3 g capsule contains 200 mg phenobarbital -

$$15 \text{ K} = 15,000 \text{ g} = 15,000,000 \text{ mgs}$$

$$\text{MV} = \frac{15,000,000 \text{ mgs}}{200 \text{ mgs}} \times \text{P}2.00 = \text{P}150,000.00$$

$$\text{REWARD} = \text{P}150,000.00 \times 0.05 = \underline{\text{P}7,500.00}$$

SECTION II. All Board Regulations or portions thereof inconsistent herewith are superseded.

SECTION III. This Regulation shall take effect after fifteen (15) days following the completion of its publication in the Official Gazette.

[Signed] J.C. Azurin
Chairman,
Ministry of Health

DANGEROUS DRUGS BOARD

BOARD REGULATION No. 4 s. 1985, 18 December 1985

INCLUSION OF FENCAMFAMIN HCL (Reactivan) AND FENETYLLINE HCL
(Captagon) IN THE LIST OF REGULATED DRUGS

Pursuant to the powers vested in the Dangerous Drugs Board under Section 36 (a) and Section 40 of Republic Act No. 6425, as amended, the following drugs are hereby classified as Regulated Drugs:

1. FENCAMFAMIN HCL (Reactivan)
2. FENETYLLINE HCL (Captagon)

This Regulation supplements Board Regulation No. 6, series of 1972 and shall take effect after the completion of its publication once a week for two consecutive weeks in a newspaper of general circulation.

[Signed] J.C. Azurin
Chairman
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