

## LAWS AND REGULATIONS

PROMULGATED TO GIVE EFFECT TO THE PROVISIONS OF THE CONVENTION OF 13 JULY 1931 FOR LIMITING THE MANUFACTURE AND REGULATING THE DISTRIBUTION OF NARCOTIC DRUGS, AS AMENDED BY THE PROTOCOL OF 11 DECEMBER 1946

#### **EGYPT**

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NOTE BY THE SECRETARY-GENERAL -- In accordance with Article 21 of the Convention of 13 July 1931 for Limiting the Manufacture and Regulating the Distribution of Narcotic Drugs, as amended by the Protocol of 11 December 1946, the Secretary-General has the honour to communicate the following legislative text.

### MINISTRY OF PUBLIC HEALTH

# ARRETE SPECIFYING CONDITIONS AND DETAILS TO BE OBSERVED WHEN MAKING OUT MEDICAL PRESCRIPTIONS

I, Minister of Public Health,

Having perused Articles 15 and 40 of Decree Law No. 351 of 1952, re. the control of narcotics and regulation of the use and trade thereof,

Hereby decide:

- ART.I Medical practitioners are forbidden to write prescriptions containing narcotic drugs except on special forms, serially numbered in conformity with the attached model, stamped with the seal of the Ministry of Public Health (Pharmacies Section), and delivered to practitioners in blocks of 50 forms each against payment of P.T. 10 per block.
- ART.II The medical practitioner shall legibly fill in all the details of the form and its counterfoil in his own handwriting, in ink or by indelible pencil. He shall clearly sign his name in full, and must retain in his possession the counterfoil for ten years from the date of the last prescription.
- ART.III The quantity of narcotics prescribed by the medical practitioner or dentist to any one patient during thirty days shall not exceed ten times the maximum quantity indicated in schedule 4 attached to the Law referred to.
- ART.IV Any violation of provisions of this arrêté shall be punished with the penalty provided for under Art. 40 of Decree Law No. 351 of 1952, referred to.
- ART.V This Arrêté shall come into force as from the date of coming into force of Decree Law No. 351 of 1952.

Rabi Tani 19, 1372 H (January 5, 1952)

Sgd. NOUR EDDIN TARRAF

### MODEL FORM

For the prescription a	and issue of narcotics from Ph	larmacies serving the public	
Name of Doctor in full		• • • • • • • • • • • • •	• • •
Address			
Inscription Number in the	Medical Practitioners  Dentists	Organization	• • • •
Name and age of Patient in full			
Address of Patient			• • • •
Indication of the Prescribed	medicine, stating the amount	t of narcotics in figures and writing	
Date			
		Signature of the Prescribing Medical Pract	titioner
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Indi	ications by the pharmacy issui	ng the medicine:	
Name and address of the pharmacy issui	ing the medicine	• • • • • • • • • • • • • • • •	
Date of issuing the medicine			
Inscription number in the Prescription Be	look	• • • • • • • • • • • • •	