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## 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

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## INDIA

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INDIA

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.

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GOVERNMENT OF INDIA,  
MINISTRY OF FINANCE (Revenue Division)  
NEW DELHI June 1953.

NOTIFICATION  
Dangerous Drugs.

No. 1 In pursuance of sub-clause (ii) of clause (g) of section 2 of the Dangerous Drugs Act, 1930 (II of 1930), and the Protocol signed at Paris on the 19th November 1948 supplementing the Geneva Convention, and in supersession of the notification of the Government of India in the Ministry of Finance (Revenue Division) No. 5-Dangerous Drugs, dated the 14th September 1951, the Central Government hereby declares the narcotic substances specified in this notification to be manufactured drugs and directs that the following further amendments shall be made in the notification of the Government of India in the late Finance Department (Central Revenues) No. 2-Dangerous Drugs, dated the 10th January 1931, namely: -

In the said notification for the existing item 11 the following items shall be substituted; namely:-

- "11. 1-methyl-4-phenyl piperidine-4-carboxylic acid ethyl ester (in the form of the hydrochloride, known under the names of Dolantin, Demerol, Pethidine, Isonipecaïne, etc.) and its salts;  
1-methyl-4-(3-hydroxyphenyl)-piperidine-4-carboxylic acid ethyl ester (otherwise known as 1-methyl-4-metahydroxyphenyl piperidine-4-carboxylic acid ethyl ester, "Bemidone") and its salts;  
4-(3-hydroxyphenyl)-1-methyl-4-piperidyl ethyl ketone (otherwise known as 1-methyl-4-metahydroxyphenyl-4-propionyl-piperidine "Keto-bemidone") and its salts;  
 $\alpha$ -1,3-dimethyl-4-phenyl-4-propionoxy piperidine (known as NU-1196, or Nisentil) and its salts;  
 $\beta$ -1, 3-dimethyl-4-phenyl-4-propionoxy piperidine (otherwise identified by symbol NU-1779) and its salts;  
4,4-diphenyl-6-dimethylaminoheptanone-3 (otherwise known as 6-dimethylamino-4, 4-diphenyl-3-heptanone, also known as "Methadone", Amidone, Dolophine, Adanon, etc.) and its salts;  
4, 4-diphenyl-5-methyl-6-dimethylaminohexanone-3 (otherwise known as 6-dimethylamino-5-methyl-4, 4-diphenyl-3-hexanone, "Iso-methadone") and its salts;  
4, 4-diphenyl-6-dimethylaminoheptanol-3 (otherwise known as 6-dimethylamino-4, 4-diphenyl-3-heptanol and identified by symbol N.I.H.-2933) and its salts;  
4, 4-diphenyl-6-dimethylamino-3-acetoxyheptane (otherwise known as 6-dimethylamino-4, 4-diphenyl-3-acetoxyheptane and identified by symbol N.I.H.-2953) and its salts;  
4, 4-diphenyl-6-morpholinoheptanone-3 (otherwise known as 6-morpholino-4, 4-diphenyl-3-heptanone, "Phenadoxone" and also known as CB-11, Heptazone or Heptalgin) and its salts;  
dihydrocodeine and its salts;

acetyldihydrocodeine and its salts;  
3-hydroxy-N-methylmorphinan (otherwise known by the symbol N.U-2206) and its salts;  
3-methoxy-N-methylmorphinan and its salts;  
β-1-methyl-3-ethyl-4-phenyl-4-propionoxypiperidine (otherwise known by the symbol N.U-1932) and its salts;  
β-4-morpholinylethylmorphine."

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