



UNITED NATIONS

## **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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# **FRENCH WEST AFRICA**

COMMUNICATED BY THE GOVERNMENT OF  
FRANCE

### **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.

*New York, 1953*

French West Africa

Extract from the *Journal Officiel* of the French Republic of 5 June 1952, page 5666

DECREE OF 31 MAY 1952 AMENDING THE DECREE OF 26 JANUARY 1926 TO ISSUE REGULATIONS GOVERNING THE TRADE IN, POSSESSION AND USE OF POISONOUS SUBSTANCES IN FRENCH WEST AFRICA

The President of the Council of Ministers,

Having considered the report of the Minister for Overseas France,

In view of the Act of 12 July 1916 respecting the importation, exportation, trade in, possession and use of poisonous substances,

In view of the Decree of 30 December 1916 extending the Act of 12 July 1916 to French West Africa,

In view of the Decree of 5 March 1918 respecting the application of the Act of 12 July 1916 to French West Africa,

In view of the Decree of 26 January 1926 to issue regulations governing the trade in, possession and use of poisonous substances in French West Africa.

HEREBY DECREES

*Article 1.* Paragraph 1 of article 29 of the aforementioned Decree of 26 January 1926 shall be amended as follows: Insert the word "agricultural" before the word "commercial".

The remainder of the text is unchanged.

*Article 2.* The Minister for Overseas France shall be responsible for the administration of this Decree, which shall be published in the *Journal Officiel* of the French Republic.

Done at Paris on 31 May 1952

By the President of the Council of Ministers

The Minister of State in charge of relations with  
the Associated States, Minister for Overseas France, a.i.