



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.

NETHERLANDS ANTILLES

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E/NL.1988/69

MINISTERIAL DECREE of January 22 1987 pursuant to article 3, paragraph 2, article 5, paragraphs 1 and 2, and article 7, paragraph 2 of the Opium National Ordinance 1960 (O.G. 1960, no. 65), containing new provisions in regard to the dispensing and prescribing of medicines referred to in article 3 and article 4 of the aforementioned national ordinance.

THE MINISTER OF PUBLIC HEALTH
AND ENVIRONMENTAL HYGIENE;

Having regard to:

Article 3, paragraph 2, article 5, paragraphs 1 and 2, and article 7, paragraph 2 of the Opium National Ordinance (O.G. 1960, no. 65), as amended;

H A S R E S O L V E D :

In this Ministerial Decree, the following terms shall have the following meanings:

- a. National Ordinance : the Opium National Ordinance 1960¹/
(O.G. 1960, no. 65), as amended;²
- b. Director : the Director of Pharmaceutical Affairs;
- c. Medicines : all substances or any preparation of such substances, as referred to in article 3 and article 4 of the National Ordinance or designated pursuant to the first paragraph sub g of article 3 of the national ordinance.
- d. Established Pharmacist : pharmacist, entered in the register of pharmacists who practise pharmacy, as referred to in article 7, paragraph 1 of the National Ordinance concerning the Dispensing of Medicines.

Article 2

1. Established pharmacists may dispense medicines only on prescription given by a medical practitioner, dental surgeon or veterinary surgeon, and this only if such prescription meets the requirements stated in article 3 of this decree.

2. The first paragraph shall not apply in cases in which such dispensing cannot be delayed and the pharmacist shall have adequately satisfied himself that danger of abuse does not exist nor can it arise.

The pharmacist shall keep an accurate register on such dispensing, stating the medicine, the quantity and the party to whom it was dispensed.

3. Dispensing physicians may dispense medicines for use by the persons pertaining to their medical practice also, only and exclusively on a prescription that shall meet the requirements stated in article 3 of this decree.

Article 3

1. The selling, dispensing or supplying of any medicine on prescription shall only be permitted if the prescription contains the following information:

- A. if the prescription serves for a medicine to be dispensed to a person for whose use it has been prescribed, or to the owner or caretaker of an animal, for whose use it has been prescribed:

- 1°. the name and initials, as also the full address and telephone number of the person who gives the prescription;

- 2°. the date on which the medicine is prescribed;

- 3°. the name of the medicine, the strength as also, stated in full and written in letters, the quantity of the medicine;

- 4°. the name, the initials as also the full address of the person for whose use the medicine is prescribed, or the name and initials, as also the full address of the owner or caretaker of the animal, for whose use the medicine is prescribed, with indication of the animal;

- 5°. clear instructions for use, including the maximum quantity to be used in 24 hours, it being understood that instructions "as directed", "as before" and the like shall not be deemed to indicate the mode of employment.

- B. In case of a medicine being prescribed for use by a person or animal, but such medicine having to be dispensed through the medium of the person who gives the prescription, provided the person who gives the prescription is established on the same island of establishment of the pharmacist or dispensing physician, to whom the prescription is submitted for preparation:

- 1°. the information listed sub A, 1°-4°;

- 2°. the words: "in manu medici" or an indication of similar meaning.

- C. In case of a medicine destined for application in the practice of the person who prescribes, provided the person who gives the prescription is established on the same island of establishment of the pharmacist or dispensing

physician, to whom the prescription is submitted for preparation:

- 1^o. the information listed sub A, 1^o-3^o;
 - 2^o. the words: "for medical practice", "for dental practice" or "for veterinarian practice".
2. A prescription as referred to in the first paragraph shall be written in ink by the person who gives the prescription, and shall be signed by such person in full.
 3. A prescription as referred to in the first paragraph shall contain and may prescribe only and exclusively one medicine.
 4. A prescription as referred to in the first paragraph of this article shall only be valid for one single supply. For any and all subsequent supplies of the medicines referred to in article 1 of the decree, a new prescription shall be required.
 5. a. The provisions contained in paragraph 1 to paragraph 4, inclusive, shall not apply in respect of prescriptions for a preparation containing none other than one of the medicines as referred to in article 5, paragraph 2 of this decree; all this insofar as a preparation of one of the medicines stated there does not contain more than the relative maximum as indicated on Schedule III pertaining to the Single Convention.
b. The prescription, prescribing any of the preparations referred to sub a, shall clearly state:
 1. the date on which the preparation is prescribed;
 2. the name and initials, as also the full address and telephone number of the person who gives the prescription;
 3. the name of the patient or the animal, or figures and letters substituting same;
 4. a description of the use of the preparation;
 5. the signature of the person who gives the prescription.

Article 4

The persons stated in article 7, paragraph 2 sub a and b of the national ordinance shall observe the following regulations on dispensing the medicines referred to in article 1 of this decree:

The labels, under which any medicine, or preparation containing a medicine, is offered for sale or is supplied, shall state the weight and the percentage of the medicine, this without prejudice to the provisions of article 18 of the National Ordinance concerning the Dispensing of Medicines (O.G. 1969, no. 24).

These labels shall also state the name in conformity with the denomination of the medicine in the national ordinance or in a ministerial decree on the strength of article 3, paragraph 1 sub g of the national ordinance.

Article 5

1. Established pharmacists shall have the obligation to keep separately in their pharmacy, for a period of at least six years, the prescriptions on which they dispensed a medicine, which prescriptions shall be subsequently arranged according to the name of the person who gave such prescriptions, the name of the medicine, and the date on which it was dispensed; in case of a preparation involving more than one medicine, the necessary copies shall be made of the prescription in order to meet the aforesaid requirement.
2. The first paragraph shall not apply in respect of prescriptions prescribing a preparation containing none other than one or more of the following medicines:
 - acetyldihydrodeine and its salts
 - codeine and its salts
 - dihydrocodeine and its salts
 - ethylmorphine and its salts
 - norcodeine and its salts
 - pholcodine and its salts
 - pulvis opii compositus, in preparation in solid form up to and not more than 250 mg per dosage unit and up to a maximum of 5 g per dispensing,
 - nicocodine and its salts
 - diphenoxylate, insofar as the preparation per dosage unit contains no more than 2.5 mg, calculated as base and such a quantity of atropine sulphate equal to a minimum of one percent of the quantity of diphenoxylate.
 - opium or morphine, insofar as the preparation shall not contain more than 0.2 percent of morphine, calculated as morphine base anhydride and one or more other composite parts, in such a manner that it practically cannot give cause to abuse and that the narcotic drug cannot be recovered therefrom in a simple manner in such proportions that this might entail a danger to public health.
3. The established pharmacists shall keep the prescriptions referred to in the first paragraph readily available for access and inspection by the Director and the technical officials of the Bureau of Pharmaceutical Affairs during the period prescribed in said paragraph.
4. On the first day of each quarter, established pharmacists shall have the obligation to send to the Director, by registered mail, copies of the prescriptions referred to in the first paragraph, which prescriptions relate to such cases as referred to in the first paragraph sub B and C of article 3.
5. Dispensing physicians shall have the obligation to conduct an administration, set up and kept to the satisfaction of the Director, of the medicines dispensed by them, with the exception of preparations as referred to in the second

paragraph; such administration shall indicate the medicines dispensed, and the person to whom they were dispensed.

The records concerning the administration referred to in the first sentence, and the prescriptions on which the medicines referred to in said sentence were prescribed, shall be separately kept by the dispensing physicians for at least six years, and during such period they shall be kept readily available for access and inspection by the Director and the technical officials of the Bureau of Pharmaceutical Affairs.

Article 6

1. Established pharmacists shall be obliged to keep registers of each of the medicines indicated in article 3 and article 4 of the National Ordinance, separately, stating:
 - a. the purchase, along with the date, name, supplier and quantity;
 - b. the dispensing, along with the date, name, residence of the medical practitioner, dental surgeon or veterinary surgeon, the name and residence of the patient or the owner of the animal, the form in which the medicine has been dispensed, the quantity and the number of the prescription.

The registers shall be set up and kept to the satisfaction of the Director, readily available in the pharmacy for access and inspection at all times by the Director and the technical officials of the Bureau of Pharmaceutical Affairs.

2. The provisions contained in the preceding paragraph sub b shall not apply to the preparation of medicines indicated in the second paragraph of article 5 of this decree.

Article 7

The ordering as referred to in the second paragraph of article 5 of the National Ordinance may only be effected by presentation of a writing, stating:

- 1^o. the date;
- 2^o. the name and quantity of the medicine or of the medicines;
- 3^o. the words: "for the purposes of pharmaceuticals";
- 4^o. the name of the enterprise or institution for which the order is made;
- 5^o. the name, residence and signature of the person making the order on behalf of the enterprise referred to sub 4^o.

Article 8

1. Established pharmacists and dispensing physicians shall accept a quantity of a medicine only against receipt, a

copy of which they shall keep themselves.

In case of a postal packet, the receipt shall be sent to the party who supplied the medicine within three days - excluding Saturdays, Sundays and official holidays - from the date of receipt.

2. The receipt, which shall be signed and dated by the established pharmacists, the dispensing physician or by a person authorized to the effect by the dispensing physician, shall state:
 - 1^o. the name and the address of the established pharmacist or the dispensing physician, as the case may be;
 - 2^o. the name and the quantity of the medicine, as also the pharmaceutical form, in case of a preparation;
 - 3^o. the name and the address of the party who supplied the medicine.
3. Beneath the signature on the receipt, the signatory's name shall be stated clearly and legibly.
4. Combination of the writing referred to in article 7 and the receipt referred to in the first paragraph of this article shall be allowed.
5. Established pharmacists and dispensing physicians shall be obliged to check personally within three days - not including Saturdays, Sundays and official holidays - from the date of receipt of a quantity of a medicine, whether the goods delivered to them correspond with the statement contained in the receipt; if same is not in conformity, they shall notify the party who delivered the quantity, in writing, within the period of time stated in the first sentence. In case of a postal packet the unsigned receipt shall accompany the written notice.
6. Established pharmacists and dispensing physicians shall have the obligation to keep copies of the writing referred to in article 7 and the receipt referred to in article 8, separately and according to the name of the medicine or, as the case may be, according to the name of the medicine containing the preparation, in chronological order according to the date of receipt, and this for at least 6 years; during such period these copies shall be kept readily available for inspection by the Director and the technical officials of the Bureau of Pharmaceutical Affairs.
7. Paragraphs 1 to 6, inclusive shall apply analogously in respect of established veterinary surgeons.

Article 9

1. a. Established pharmacists, dispensing physicians and established veterinary surgeons and holders of a licence as referred to in the first paragraph of article 6 and the first paragraph of article 7 of the National Ordinance shall be bound to state in writing, in the manner to be prescribed by the Director, the inventory of medicines kept by them on January 30 of each calendar

year.

At the same time they shall thereby state separately each medicine or each preparation that contains a medicine as referred to in article 3 and article 4 of the National Ordinance, and this in such a manner that the written statement shall specify the quantity of the purchase and dispensing or sale during the preceding calendar year.

Statement shall also be made of those quantities of medicine, preparation or compounding lost or destroyed during the preceding calendar year, giving the reason and circumstance.

- b. as to the medicines referred to in the second paragraph of article 5 of this decree, statement need only be made of the quantity as at January 30 of the calendar year, and the total purchase of these medicines during the preceding calendar year.

Article 10

The Ministerial Decree of January 16 1985³(O.G. 1985, no. 4) pursuant to the second paragraph of article 3, the first and second paragraphs of article 5, and the second paragraph of article 7 of the Opium National Ordinance 1960 (O.G. 1960, no. 65), shall be repealed.

Article 11

This decree, which shall be inserted in the Official Gazette, shall take effect as and from the day following that of the publication in the Official Gazette, in which this decree is published.

Willemstad, January 22 1987.
The aforesaid Minister,
F.E. ROZENDAL.

Issued on May 22 1987.
The Minister of General Affairs,
D.F. MARTINA.

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MINISTERIAL DECREE of May 22 1987 to determine the new schedule pertaining to the Ministerial Decree of August 27 1986 (O.G. 1986, no. 116), pursuant to article 3, first paragraph sub g, of the Opium National Ordinance 1960¹ (Official Gazette 1960, no. 65), as amended.²

THE MINISTER OF PUBLIC HEALTH
AND ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION;

H A S R E S O L V E D :

- I. The schedule pertaining to this decree shall supersede the schedule of medicines pertaining to the Ministerial Decree of August 27 1986 (O.G. 1986, no. 116), as referred to in article 3 sub g of the Opium National Ordinance 1960 (O.G. 1960, no. 65).
- II. To provide that this decree, which shall be inserted in the Official Gazette, shall take effect as and from the day following that of the publication of the Official Gazette, in which it is inserted.

Willemstad, May 22 1987
The aforesaid Minister,
F.E. ROZENDAL.

Issued on July 17 1987
The Minister of General Affairs,
D.F. MARTINA.

APPENDIX

SCHEDULE pertaining to Ministerial Decree of May 22 1987
(Official Gazette 1987, no. 50) 1)

A. 1. Substances, appearing on the schedule referred to in
article 2, first paragraph of the Single Convention

Acetorphine	INN
Acetylmethadol	INN
Alphacetylmethadol	INN
Alphameprodine	INN
Alphamethadol	INN
Alphaprodine	INN
Alfentanil	INN
Allylprodine	INN
Anileridine	INN
Benzethidine	INN
Benzylmorphine	3-benzyloxy-4 5-epoxy-N-methyl-7- morphinene-6-ol
Betacetylmethadol	INN
Betameprodine	INN
Betamethadol	INN
Betaprodine	INN
Bezitramide	INN
Clonitazene	INN
Cocaine	(-)-3-B-benzoyloxy-tropane-2B- carboxylic acid methylester
Codoxime	INN
Desomorphine	INN
Dextromoramide	INN
Diampromide	INN
Diethylthiambutene	INN
Difenoxin	INN
Dihydromorphine	4,5-epoxy-N-methyl- morphinan-3, 6-diol
Dimenoxadol	INN
Dimepheptanol	INN
Dimethylthiambutene	INN
Dioxaphetylbutyrate	INN
Diphenoxylate	INN
Dipipanone	INN
Drotebanol	INN

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- 1) Substances, indicated with the generic designation given by the World Health Organization, are designated with the letters INN (International Non-proprietary Name). Scientific denominations are only stated insofar as the international denomination is lacking.

Ecgonine	3-hydroxy-2-tropane carboxylic acid
Ethylmethylthiambutene	INN
Etonitazene	INN
Etorphine	INN
Etoxeridine	INN
Phenadoxone	INN
Phenampramide	INN
Phenazocine	INN
Phenomorphane	INN
Phenoperidine	INN
Fentanyl	INN
Furethidine	INN
Heroin (diacetylmorphine)	4,5-epoxy-N-methyl-morphinene-3 6-diyl-diacetate
Hydrocodone (dihydrocodeinone)	INN
Hydromorphanol	INN
Hydromorphone (dihydromorphinone)	INN
Hydroxypethidine	INN
Isomethadone	INN
Ketobemidone	INN
Levomethorphan	INN
Levomoramide	INN
Levophenacetylmorphan	INN
Levorphanol	INN
Metazocine	INN
Methadone	INN
Methyldesorphine	INN
Methyldihydromorphine	INN
Metopon	INN
Morpheridine	INN
Morphine	
Morphine Methobromide and other pentavalent nitrogen morphine derivatives, including in par- ticular the Morphine N-oxide derivatives, one of which is Codeine N-Oxide.	
Morphine-N-Oxide	4,5-epoxy-3,6 dihydroxy-N- methyl-7-morphinene-N-ox
Myrophine	INN
Nicomorphine	INN
Noracymethadol	INN
Norlevorphanol	INN

Normethadone	INN
Normorphine (demethylmorphine or N-demethylated morphine)	INN
Norpipanone	INN
Oxycodone	INN
Oxymorphone	INN
Pethidine	INN
Piminodine	INN
Piritramide	INN
Proheptazine	INN
Properidine	INN
Racemethorphan	INN
Racemoramide	INN
Racemorphan	INN
Sufentanil	INN
Thebacon	INN
Thebaine	4,5-epoxy-3,6-dime- thoxy-N-methyl-6, 8-morphinadiene
Tilidine	INN
Trimeperidine	INN

The isomers, unless specifically excepted, of the substances indicated in this schedule A.1 whenever the existence of such isomers is possible within the specific chemical designation. The esters and ethers, unless appearing in another schedule, of the substances in this schedule A.1 whenever the existence of such esters and ethers is possible.

The salts of the substances listed in this schedule A.1, including the salts of esters, ethers and isomers as provided above, whenever the existence of such salts is possible.

All compounds of the substances indicated under A.1. dextromethorphan [(+) -3-methoxy-N-methylmorphinan] and dextrorphan [(+) -3-hydroxy-N-methylmorphinan] in particular are excluded from this schedule.

A. 2. Substances appearing on the schedule referred to in article 2, second paragraph of the Single Convention.

Acetyldihydrocodeine	4,5-epoxy-3-methoxy-N- methylmorphinan-6-ylacetate
Codeine	4,5-epoxy-3-methoxy-N-methyl-7- morphinene-6-ol

Dextropropoxyphene Dihydrocodeine	INN 4,5-epoxy-N-methyl-morphinan- 3,6-diol
Ethylmorphine	4,5-epoxy-3-ethoxy-N-methyl- 7-morphinene-6-ol
Pholcodine	INN
Nicocodine	INN
Nicodicodine	INN
Norcodeine (N-demethylcodeine)	INN INN
Propiram	INN

The isomers, unless specifically excepted, of the substances indicated in this schedule A.2 whenever the existence of such isomers is possible within the specific chemical designation.

The salts of the substances listed in this schedule A.2, including the salts of the isomers as provided above, whenever the existence of such salts is possible.

All compounds of the substances indicated in this schedule A.2.

B. Stimulants:

Amfepramone	INN diethylpropion
Amphetamine	INN
Benzphetamine	INN
Cathine	INN (+)-norpseudoephedrine
Cathinone	INN (-) x-aminopropiophenone
Dexamphetamine	INN
Ethylamphetamine	N-ethyl-alpha-methyl- phenethylamine
Facetoperan	1-treo-1-phenyl-1- (2-piperidyl)-methylacetate
Fencamfamin	INN
Phendimetrazine	INN
Fenetylline	INN
Phenmetrazine	INN
Fenproporex	INN
Phentermine	INN
Levamphetamine	INN
Levomethamphetamine	INN

DOB Diethyltryptamine (DET)	2,5-dimethoxy-4-bromoamphetamine 3-(2-diethylamino-ethyl)-indole
Eticyclidine	INN PCE;N-ethyl-phenylcyclohexylamine
MDA MDMA MMDA	3,4-methylenedioxyamphetamine 3,4-methylenedioxymethamphetamine 5-methoxy-3,4-methylenedioxyamphetamine
Parahexyl	3-hexyl-hydroxy-7,8,9,10-tetrahydro-6,6,9-trimethyl-6H-dibenzo[b,d]pyran
Phencyclidine PMA	INN PCP;1-(1-phenylcyclohexyl)-piperidine para-methoxyamphetamine
Rolicyclidine	INN PHP;PCPY;1-(1-phenylcyclohexyl)pyrrolidine
S.T.P. or D.O.M.	2,5-dimethoxy-4,alpha-di-methyl-phenethylamine
Tenocyclidine TMA	INN TCP;1-[1-(2-thienyl)cyclohexyl]piperidine 3,4,5-trimethoxyamphetamine
Bufotenine	3-(2-dimethylamino-ethyl)-indole-5-ol

Cannabis (Hemp) and Cannabis resin (Hemp resin) and extracts and tinctures of Cannabis and any other compound containing hemp resin.

Tetrahydrocannabinol	THC;7,8,9,10-tetrahydro-6,6,9-trimethyl-3-pentyl-6H-dibenzo(b,d)pyrane-1-ol; and the following isomers: 6a(10a), 6a(7), 7, 8, 9, 10, 9(11) and their stereochemical variants.
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The isomers, unless specifically excepted, of the substances indicated in this schedule C whenever the existence of such isomers is possible.

All compounds of the substances indicated under C.

D. Raw materials.

Poppy straw	by which shall be understood all parts of the plant <i>Papaver Somniferum</i> L. after harvesting, with the exception of the seed.
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Coca leaf by which shall be understood the leaf of all species of the genus *Erythroxylon* which contain cocaine or from which (through chemical transformation) cocaine can be extracted.

Poppy straw concentrate by which shall be understood the substance which is obtained by submitting the poppy straw to a process to concentrate its alkaloids.

Opium by which shall be understood the coagulated milky juice obtained from the *Papaver somniferum* L., regardless of the morphine content.

Raw cocaine by which shall be understood the products drawn from the coca leaf which may serve directly or indirectly for making cocaine.

Hemp by which shall be understood any part of the plant of the genus *Cannabis*, from which the resin has not been extracted, with the exception of the seeds.

Regular solid mixtures of hemp resin and vegetable elements of hemp (such as hashish, esrar, chiras and djamba), to which no other substances have been added.

All compounds of the substances stated in this schedule D.

E. Industrial intermediate products, appearing on the schedule, referred to in article 2, first paragraph of the Single Convention.

Methadon intermediate product	4-cyano-4,4-diphenyl-N N-dimethyl-butylamine
Moramide intermediate product	2-methyl-3-morpholine-1, 1-diphenylpropane- carboxylic acid
Pethidine intermediate product A	4-cyano-1-methyl- 4-phenylpiperidine
Pethidine intermediate product B	4-phenylpiperidine-4- carboxylic acid ester
Pethidine intermediate product C	1-methyl-4-phenyl-

piperidine 4-carboxylic
acid

The isomers, unless specifically excepted, of the substances indicated in this schedule E whenever the existence of such isomers is possible.

The esters and ethers of the substances mentioned under E, unless appearing in another schedule, whenever the existence of such esters and ethers is possible.

The salts of the substances listed in this schedule E, including the salts of the esters, ethers and isomers as provided above, whenever the existence of such salts is possible.

All compounds of the substances indicated under E.

F. Sedatives and Hypnotics:

Mecloqualone
Methaqualone

The salts of the substances listed in this schedule F, whenever the existence of such salts is possible.

All compounds of the substances indicated under F.

G. Pentazocine

The salts of the substances listed in this schedule G, whenever the existence of such salts is possible.

All compounds of the substances indicated under G.

NATIONAL ORDER

of January 29 1988 No. 1

THE GOVERNOR OF THE NETHERLANDS ANTILLES

On the motion of the Prime Minister;

Considering:

that, to ensure the expediency of the policy concerning the fight against the trade in and abuse of narcotic drugs and psychotropic drugs, as also for the treatment and rehabilitation of drug addicts, it is recommended that a national council be created, in which all the authorities involved in the making and executing of this policy shall be represented;

H A S R E S O L V E D :

1. There shall be a National Council concerning consciousness altering drugs, hereinafter called "the Council", charged with the preparation of the policy concerning the fight against the trade in, and the abuse of narcotic drugs and psychotropic drugs, as also the treatment and rehabilitation of the drug addicts.
2. The tasks of the Council are among others:
 1. the coordination of the research into, the definition of and the determination of the magnitude of the drugs-problem in the Netherlands Antilles, by gathering data, assessing same and reporting concerning the nature, the seriousness and the extent of drugs abuse;
 2. the formulation of a basic strategy and policy determining studies, in collaboration with national, insular and/or private bodies, authorities or institutions, concerning a national program to combat the trade in and the use of consciousness altering drugs;
 3. the coordination, planning and execution of a national drugs control and prevention program, with special attention to the protection of youth;
 4. the coordination of the control of the legal production of and trade in consciousness altering drugs, destined to be used for medical and/or scientific purposes;
 5. the coordination of the control and the banning of illegal cultivation of crops and the illegal production of these drugs;
 6. the coordination of the national fight against the illicit trade, both at national and international levels;
 7. the commencing of, advising concerning and supervising of national and/or insular programs for the treatment, readjustment and rehabilitation of drugs users;
 8. the promoting and if necessary starting of national and

- insular information and education programs;
9. the formulation of proposals to modify or adapt or supplement the existing legislation concerning consciousness altering drugs;
 10. the coordinating of an uninterrupted flow of data exchanged among the various authorities, thus to arrive at adequate reporting to the international authorities;
 11. the entertaining and further developing of international contacts to improve international collaboration in the fight against the illicit drugs trade;
 12. the setting up of annual reports concerning the nature, the magnitude and the seriousness of the abuse of drugs, the treatment, readjustment and social reintegration of drugs users, information and education, criminal prosecution and legal stipulations;
 13. other activities the Council may deem important in relation to the aforesaid objects.

The above tasks shall be executed by or on behalf of the Council, insofar as not already executed by another authority.

In this case the Council shall have a coordinating, supervisory and guiding task.

3. Sitting on the National Council shall be:

- the Prime Minister, chairman;
- the Minister of Justice;
- the Minister of Public Health and Environmental Hygiene;
- the Minister of Education and Culture;
- the Minister of Finance;
- the Lt.-Governor of the Island Territory of Curacao;
- the Lt.-Governor of the Island Territory of Bonaire;
- the Lt.-Governor of the Island Territory of St. Maarten;
- the Lt.-Governor of the Island Territory of St. Eustatius;
- the Lt.-Governor of the Island Territory of Saba;
- the Commissioners of Public Health of the Island Territories of Curacao, Bonaire, St. Maarten, St. Eustatius and Saba;
- the Attorney General, coordinator;
- the Director of Pharmaceutical Affairs, secretary;
- the Director of the Department of Public Health and Environmental Hygiene;
- the Director of Taxes;
- the Chief Superintendent of Police, Head NCB-Interpol;
- the Inspector of Import and Excise Duties;
- the Public Prosecutor;
- the Director of the Foreign Relations Bureau.

4. The Council shall have:

1. an international committee;
2. a national committee to combat the illicit trade in and abuse of narcotic drugs;
3. a national committee to assist, treat and rehabilitate drug addicts.

5. The international committee shall provide the Council, on request or of its own accord, with advice concerning the

policy with relation to the international collaboration in the fight against the trade in and transport of narcotic drugs and the chemical preparations needed for the compounding of such drugs.

Sitting on the international committee shall be:

the Attorney General, chairman;
the Director of Pharmaceutical Affairs, secretary;
the Chief Superintendent of Police, Head NCB-Interpol;
the Director of Taxes;
the Inspector of Import and Excise Duties;
the Director of the Foreign Relations Bureau.

6. A. the national committee to combat the illicit trade in and the abuse of narcotic drugs is charged with the task of advising the Council, whether or not on request, as to all matters relating to the fight against the trade in and the use of narcotic drugs and psychotropic drugs and the treatment and rehabilitation of the drug addicts;

This committee shall particularly be charged with:

1. the conduct of the necessary research and studies for the preparation of the policy;
2. the preparation of the legal measures necessary for the policy;
3. the providing of instruction and factual information both to authorities involved in the fight against drugs and to the population;
4. the publication each year of reports concerning the nature, the magnitude and the seriousness of drugs abuse, the treatment and social reintegration of the drugs users.

- B. Sitting on this committee shall be:

the Attorney General, chairman;
the Director of Pharmaceutical Affairs, secretary;
the Chief Superintendent of Police, Head NCB-Interpol;
the Director of Taxes;
the Inspector of Import and Excise Duties;
the Director of the Foreign Relations Bureau;
the Superintendent of Police at Curacao;
the Head of the Narcotics Control Service at Curacao;
the Head of the Central Bureau for Juridical and General Affairs.

7. A. The national committee to assist, treat and rehabilitate drug addicts shall have the task of advising the Council, on request or of its own accord, with regard to the medical-social aspects of the drugs problem.

- B. It shall be charged among others with:

- the research into the nature, magnitude and seriousness of the problems of the drug addicts;
- the making of proposals as to the proper forms of aiding the addicts, both as regards their treatment and their rehabilitation;
- the preparation of proposals for legislation that are of important relevance to its task;

- the giving of information to the population in general and youth in particular.
- C. This committee shall be composed of:
- the Director of the Department of Public Health and Environmental Hygiene, coordinator;
 - the Head of the Department of Public Mental Health at Curacao, secretary;
 - the Head of the Health Service, Bonaire;
 - the Head of the Medical and Health Service, Curacao;
 - the Head of the Health Service, St. Maarten;
 - the Head of the Health Service, St. Eustatius;
 - the Head of the Health Service, Saba;
 - the Director of the Dr. David Ricardo Capriles Clinic;
 - the Director of the Convict Prison and House of Detention;
 - the Director of the Department of Education;
 - the Head of the Discharged Prisoners' Aid Foundation of Curacao;
 - the Head of the "Criminology Office" in formation.
8. - The Council shall meet at least four times a year, and shall then do so in plenary session.
- the Council may also hold work-meetings, which meetings need not be plenary sessions;
 - the work-meetings shall be convened by the secretary on behalf of the coordinator of the Council;
 - the agenda for the work-meetings shall be determined by the coordinator, who shall at the same time preside over all work-meetings;
 - the meetings of the Council shall be presided over by the chairman or, in his absence, by the coordinator;
 - the secretary shall see to adequate reporting of all sessions of the Council and of the work-meetings;
 - further rules concerning the course of procedure of the Council shall be laid down in a code of rules;
 - a committee shall meet as often as and whenever the coordinator of the committee shall deem this necessary;
 - the meetings of a committee shall be presided over by the coordinator and shall be recorded by the secretary of the committee;
 - the members of a committee shall appoint a member from their midst at a plenary session, which member shall replace the coordinator of the committee in his absence, insofar as this shall concern the presiding over the sessions;
 - further rules concerning the course of procedure shall be laid down in a code of rules;
 - the Council shall see to it that there be sufficient means, material and manpower available to the secretaries, as shall be required for a good execution of the tasks entrusted to them;
 - at the invitation of the chairman of the Council, the coordinator of the Council or any one of the coordina-

tors of a committee, other persons may attend (work-) meetings or parts thereof, in which case such persons shall have a consultative voice only.

9. On the recommendation of the Council, the Government shall make funds available to cover the material costs to be incurred by the Council, the working groups and the committees.

On the recommendation of the Council, the Government may make personnel available to the Council, the working groups and the committees.

In the execution of its work, the Council shall be authorized to make use of moneys made available by other authorities, groups or organizations, both at home and abroad.

On the recommendation of the Council, the Government may permit the members of the Council, the working groups and the committees if necessary to state travel and accommodation expenses, as laid down for public officials when having to travel abroad in connection with the discharge of their duties;

said members may receive an advance to cover the said travel and accommodation expenses, subject to the rules in force for public officials in connection herewith, after having presented a statement and cost estimate regarding the travel-program to be drawn up by the Council or the committees, which shall require the approval in advance of the Prime Minister.

10. Does provide that the Council may be cited as "National Council concerning Consciousness Altering Drugs".
11. The provisions of the National Order Insurance Flight Risks 1952 (Official Gazette 1952, no. 10), as amended, shall be declared applicable in respect of the members of the Council.

Copy hereof to be sent to:

the Audit Office,
the Executive Councils of the Island Territories,
the Director of the Department of Finance, and
the appointees.

Curacao, January 29 1988
(was signed: R.A. Romer)

The Prime Minister,
(was signed: D.F. Martina)

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MINISTERIAL DECREE of August 10 1988 pursuant to article 3, paragraph 1 under g of the Opium National Ordinance 1960^{1/} (O.G. 1960, no. 65).

THE MINISTER OF PUBLIC HEALTH
AND ENVIRONMENTAL HYGIENE:

Having regard to:

Article 3, paragraph 1 under g of the Opium National Ordinance (O.G. 1960, no. 65), as amended, the last time by national ordinance of July 17 1986^{2/} (O.G. 1986, no. 88);

H A S R E S O L V E D :

Article 1

To designate as a preparation, referred to in article 3, paragraph 1 under g of the Opium National Ordinance (O.G. 1960, no. 65):

- acetyl-alpha-methylfentanyl (N-[1- α -methylphenethyl]-4-piperidyl] acetanilide);
- alpha-methylfentanyl (N-[α -methylphenethyl]-4-piperidyl] propionanilide);
- 3-methylfentanyl (N-(3-methyl-1-phenethyl-4-piperidyl) propionanilide);
- cis-N-[3-methyl-1-(2-phenylethyl)-4-piperidyl] propionanilide;
- trans-N-[3-methyl-1-(2-phenylethyl)-4-piperidyl] propionanilide;
- PEPAP (1-phenethyl-4-phenyl-4-piperidinol acetate (ester));
- MPPP (1-methyl-4-phenyl-4-piperidinol propionate (ester));
- secobarbital (5-allyl-5-(1-methylbutyl) barbituric acid);
- methamphetamine racemate (+N, α --dimethylphenethylamine).

Article 2

To provide that this decree, which shall be inserted in the Official Gazette, shall take effect as and from the day following that of the publication of the Official Gazette in which it has been inserted.

Willemstad, August 10 1988
The aforesaid Minister,
L.C. GUMBS

Issued on August 19 1988
The Minister of General Affairs, a.i.
L.C. GUMBS.

Notes by the Secretariat

1/ E/NL.1985/9.

2/ E/NL.1980/134, E/NL.1985/15, E/NL.1986/26.

3/ E/NL.1986/42.