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## POISONS

ORDER, DATED 26TH JULY 1971, MADE BY THE MINISTER OF HOME AFFAIRS UNDER SECTION 26A(6) OF THE MEDICINES, PHARMACY AND POISONS ACT (NORTHERN IRELAND) 1945.

Whereas the Poisons Board, constituted in accordance with Section 26 of the Medicines, Pharmacy and Poisons Act (Northern Ireland) 1945(a), has recommended to me that the list of substances which are to be treated as poisons for the purposes of the Pharmacy and Poisons Acts (Northern Ireland) 1925 to 1955(b) and known as "the Poisons Schedule" for the purposes of those Acts should be amended so that certain additional substances should be included in Part I of the said Schedule (which Part consists of those Poisons which, subject to the provisions of the said Acts are not to be sold except by a person who is an authorised seller of poisons).

Now, therefore, I, the Right Honourable Brian Faulkner, D.L., Minister of Home Affairs, in exercise of the powers conferred on me by Section 26A(6) of the Medicines, Pharmacy and Poisons Act (Northern Ireland) 1945 and of all other powers enabling me in that behalf do hereby order as follows:

*Citation and commencement*

1. This Order may be cited as the Poisons List Order (Northern Ireland) 1971 and shall come into operation on 1st September 1971.

*Amendments*

2. Part I of the "Poisons Schedule"(c) shall be amended and varied in the manner specified in the First Schedule to this Order and accordingly the list of substances which are to be treated as poisons for the purposes of the Pharmacy and Poisons Acts (Northern Ireland) 1925 to 1967(d) shall be as set out in the Second Schedule.

Dated this 26th July 1971.

*Brian Faulkner,*  
Minister of Home Affairs  
for Northern Ireland.

(a) 1945. c. 9.

(b) 15 & 16 Geo. 5. c. 8 (N.I.) & 1955. c. 31.

(c) See the Second Schedule to the Poisons List Order (N.I.) 1969 (S.R. & O. 1969, No. 166).

(d) 1967. c. 12 (N.I.).

## FIRST SCHEDULE

## Amendments and Variations in the Poisons Schedule

## 1. In Part I of the Poisons Schedule—

- (a) there shall be inserted, at the appropriate points in the list therein, set out in alphabetical order, the following items, that is to say:—
- “Bezitramide; its salts”
  - “Dihydrocodeinone *O*-carboxymethyloxime; its salts; its esters; their salts”
  - “3-(3, 4-Dihydroxyphenyl) alanine; its salts”
  - “Dothiepin; its salts”
  - “Quinine; its salts”
  - “Salbutamol; its salts”;
- (b) in the item beginning with the word “Antimony” the words “oxides of antimony; sulphides of antimony;” shall be omitted;
- (c) in the item beginning with the word “ $\alpha$ -Methylphenethylamine” for the words “ephedrine and its optical isomers”; there shall be substituted the words “ephedrine, its optical isomers and”.

## 2. In Part II of the Poisons Schedule—

- (a) the item “Calcium arsenate”, under the heading “Arsenical substances”, shall be omitted;
- (b) in the item beginning with the words “Hydrofluoric acid”, after those words there shall be inserted the words “alkali metal bifluorides; ammonium bifluoride”.

## SECOND SCHEDULE

## The Poisons Schedule

## PART I

- Acetanilide; alkyl acetanilides  
 Acetohexamide  
 Acetorphine; its salts; its esters and ethers; their salts  
 Acetylcarbromal  
 Acetyldihydrocodeine; its salts  
 Alcuronium chloride  
 Alkali fluorides other than those specified in Part II of this Schedule  
 Alkaloids, the following; their quaternary compounds; any salt, simple or complex,  
 of any substance falling within the following:—  
   Aconite, alkaloids of  
   Atropine  
   Belladonna, alkaloids of  
   Brucine  
   Calabar bean, alkaloids of  
   Coca, alkaloids of  
   Cocaine  
   Codeine; its esters and ethers  
   Colchicum, alkaloids of  
   Coniine  
   Cotarnine  
   Curare, alkaloids of; curare bases  
   Ecgonine; its esters and ethers  
   Emetine  
   Ephedra, alkaloids of  
   Ergot, alkaloids of, whether hydrogenated or not; their homologues  
   Gelsemium, alkaloids of  
   Homatropine  
   Hyoscine  
   Hyoscyamine  
   Jaborandi, alkaloids of  
   Lobelia, alkaloids of  
   Morphine; its esters and ethers  
   Papaverine  
   Pomegranate, alkaloids of  
   Quebracho, alkaloids of, other than the alkaloids of red quebracho  
   Rauwolfia, alkaloids of; their derivatives  
   Sabadilla, alkaloids of  
   Solanaeous alkaloids not otherwise included in this Schedule  
   Stavesacre, alkaloids of  
   Strychnine  
   Thebaine  
   Veratrum, alkaloids of  
   Yohimba, alkaloids of  
 Allylisopropylacetylurea  
 Allylprodine; its salts  
 Alphameprodine; its salts  
 Alphaprodine; its salts  
 Amidopyrine; its salts; amidopyrine sulphonates; their salts  
 Amino-alcohols esterified with benzoic acid, phenylacetic acid, phenylpropionic  
 acid, cinnamic acid or the derivatives of these acids; their salts  
*p*-Aminobenzenesulphonamide; its salts; derivatives of *p*-aminobenzenesulphona-  
 mide having any of the hydrogen atoms of the *p*-amino group or of the  
 sulphonamide group substituted by another radical; their salts  
*p*-Aminobenzoic acid, esters of; their salts  
 Aminorex; its salts  
 Amitriptyline; its salts  
 Amyl nitrite

Androgenic, oestrogenic and progestational substance, the following:—

Benzoestrol

Derivatives of stillbene, dibenzyl or naphthalene with oestrogenic activity; their esters

Steroid compounds with androgenic or oestrogenic or progestational activity; their esters

Anileridine; its salts

Anti-histamine substances, the following; their salts; their molecular compounds:—

Antazoline

Bromodiphenhydramine

Buclizine

Carbinoxamine

Chlorcyclizine

Chlorpheniramine

Cinnarizine

Clemizole

Cyclizine

Cyproheptadine

3-Di-*n*-butylaminomethyl-4, 5, 6-trihydroxyphthalide

Diphenhydramine

Diphenylpyraline

Doxylamine

Isothipendyl

Mebhydrolin

Meclozine

Phenindamine

Pheniramine

Phenyltoloxamine

Promethazine

Pyrrobutamine

Thenalidine

Tolpropamine

Triprolidine

Substances being tetra-*N*-substituted derivatives of ethylenediamine or propylenediamine

Antimony, chlorides of; except antimony trichloride; antimonates; antimonites; organic compounds of antimony

Apiol and oil of parsley

Apomorphine; its salts

Arsenical substances, the following, except those specified in Part II of this Schedule; halides of arsenic; oxides of arsenic; arsenates; arsenites; organic compounds of arsenic

Azacyclonol; its salts

Barbituric acid; its salts; derivatives of barbituric acid; their salts; compounds of barbituric acid; its salts; its derivatives; their salts, with any other substance

Barium, salts of, other than barium sulphate and the salts of barium specified in Part II of this Schedule

Benactyzine; its salts

Benzethidine; its salts

Benzhexol; its salts

Benzoylmorphine; its salts

Benztropine and its homologues; their salts

Benzylmorphine; its salts

Betameprodine; its salts

Betaprodine; its salts

**Bezitramide; its salts**

Bromvaletone

Busulphan; its salts

Butychloral hydrate

Cannabis (the dried flowering or fruiting tops of *Cannabis sativa* Linn.); the resin of cannabis; extracts of cannabis; tinctures of cannabis; cannabin tannate

Cantharidin; cantharidates

Captodiame; its salts

Caramiphen; its salts

Carbachol  
Carbromal  
Carisoprodol  
Carperidine; its salts  
Chloral; its addition and its condensation products; their molecular compounds  
Chlordiazepoxide; its salts  
Chlormethiazole; its salts  
Chloroform  
Chlorothiazide and other derivatives of benzo-1, 2, 4-thiadiazine-7-sulphonamide;  
1-dioxide, whether hydrogenated or not  
Chlorphenoxamine; its salts  
Chlorphentermine; its salts  
Chlorpropamide; its salts  
Chlorprothixene and other derivatives of 9-methylenethiaxanthen; their salts  
Chlorthalidone and other derivatives of *o*-chlorobenzene sulphonamide  
Clonitazene; its salts  
Clorexolone  
Clorprenaline; its salts  
Corticotrophins, natural and synthetic  
Creosote obtained from wood  
Croton, oil of  
4-Cyano-2-dimethylamino-4, 4-diphenylbutane; its salts  
4-Cyano-1-methyl-4-phenylpiperidine; its salts  
Cyclarbamate  
Cycrimine; its salts  
Dehydroemetine; its salts  
Demecarium bromide  
Desipramine; its salts  
Desomorphine; its salts; its esters and ethers; their salts  
Dextromethorphan; its salts  
Dextromoramide; its salts  
Dextrophan; its salts  
Diacetylmorphine; its salts  
Diacetylnalorphine; its salts  
Diampromide; its salts  
Diazepam and other compounds containing the chemical structure of dihydro-1,  
4-benzodiazepine substituted in any degree; their salts  
Digitalis, glycosides of; other active principles of digitalis  
Dihydrocodeine; its salts; its esters and ethers; their salts  
Dihydrocodeinone; its salts  
**Dihydrocodeinone *O*-carboxymethoxime; its salts; its esters; their salts**  
Dihydromorphine; its salts; its esters; their salts; its ethers; their salts  
**3-(3, 4-Dihydroxyphenyl)alanine; its salts**  
Dimenoxadole; its salts  
Dimepheptanol; its salts; its esters and ethers; their salts  
Dinitronaphthols; dinitrophenols; dinitrothymols  
Dioxaphetyl butyrate; its salts  
Diperodon; its salts  
Diphenoxylate; its salts  
Dipipanone; its salts  
Disulfiram  
Dithienylallylamines; dithienylalkylallylamines; their salts  
**Dothiepin; its salts**  
Dyflon  
Ecothiopate iodide  
Ectylurea  
Elaterin  
Embutramide  
Emylcamate  
Erythryl tetranitrate  
Ethacrynic acid; its salts  
Ethchlorvynol  
Ethinamate

Ethionamide  
 Ethoheptazine; its salts  
 Ethylmorphine; its salts; its esters and ethers; their salts  
 Ethylnoradrenaline; its salts  
 Etonitazene; its salts  
 Etorphine; its salts; its esters and ethers; their salts  
 Etoxidine; its salts  
 Fenfluramine; its salts  
 Fentanyl; its salts  
 Fluanisone  
 Flufenamic acid; its salts; its esters; their salts  
 Fluoroacetamide  
 Fluoroacetanilide  
 Furethidine; its salts  
 Gallamine; its salts; its quaternary compounds  
 Glutethimide; its salts  
 Glyceryl trinitrate  
 Glymidine  
 Guanidines, the following:—  
     polymethylene diguanidines; di-*p*-anisyl-*p*-phenylguanidine  
 Haloperidol and other 4-substituted derivatives of *N*-(3-*p*-fluorobenzoyl-propyl) piperidine  
 Hexapropymate  
 Hydrochloric acid  
 Hydrazines, benzyl, phenethyl and phenoxyethyl; their  $\alpha$ -methyl derivatives; acyl derivatives of any of the foregoing substances comprised in this item; salts of any compounds comprised in this item  
 Hydrocyanic acid; cyanides; other than ferrocyanides and ferricyanides  
 Hydromorphinol; its salts; its esters and ethers; their salts  
 Hydromorphone; its salts; its esters; their salts; its ethers; their salts  
 Hydroxycinchoninic acids; derivatives of; their salts; their esters  
 Hydroxy-*N*, *N*-dimethyltryptamines; their esters or ethers; any salt or any substance falling within this item  
 Hydroxypethidine; its salts; its esters and ethers; their salts  
 Hydroxyurea  
 Hydroxyzine, its salts  
 Imipramine; its salts  
 Indomethacin; its salts  
 Insulin  
 Iprindole; its salts  
 Isoaminile; its salts  
 Isoetharine; its salts  
 Isomethadone (isoamidone); its salts  
 Isoprenaline; its salts  
 Ketobemidone; its salts; its esters and ethers; their salts  
 Laudexium; its salts  
 Lead acetates; compounds of lead with acids from fixed oils  
 Levomethorphan; its salts  
 Levomoramide; its salts  
 Levophenacetylmorphan; its salts; its esters and ethers; their salts  
 Levorphanol; its salts; its esters and ethers; their salts  
 Lysergide; its salts, simple or complex; its quaternary compounds  
 Mannityl hexanitrate  
 Mannomustine; its salts  
 Mebezonium iodide  
 Mebutamate  
 Meclofenoxate; its salts  
 Mefenamic acid; its salts; its esters; their salts  
 Mephesisin; its esters  
 Meprobamate  
 Mercaptopurine; its salts; derivatives of mercaptopurine; their salts

- Mercury, oxides of; nitrates of mercury; mercuric ammonium chlorides; potassium-mercuric iodides; organic compounds of mercury which contain a methyl (CH<sub>3</sub>) group directly linked to the mercury atom; mercuric oxycyanides; mercuric thiocyanate
- Mescaline and other derivatives of phenethylamine formed by substitution in the aromatic ring; their salts
- Metaxalone
- Metallic oxalates
- Metazocine; its salts; its esters and ethers; their salts
- Metformin; its salts
- Methadone (amidone); its salts
- Methadyl acetate; its salts
- Methaqualone; its salts
- Methixene; its salts
- Methocarbamol
- Methoxsalen
- Methoxyphenamine; its salts
- Methylaminoheptane; its salts
- Methyldesorphine; its salts; its esters and ethers; their salts
- Methyldihydromorphine; its salts; its esters and ethers; their salts
- 2-Methyl-3-morpholino-1, 1-diphenylpropanecarboxylic acid; its salts; its esters; their salts
- Methylpentynol; its esters and other derivatives
- $\alpha$ -Methylphenethylamine,  $\beta$ -methylphenethylamine and  $\alpha$ -ethylphenethylamine; any synthetic compound structurally derived from any of those substances by substitution in the aliphatic part or by ring closure therein (or by both such substitution and such closure) or by substitution in the aromatic ring (with or without substitution at the nitrogen atom), except ephedrine, its optical isomers and *N*-substituted derivatives, fenfluramine, hydroxyamphetamine, methoxyphenamine, phenylpropanolamine, pholedrine and prenylamine; any salt of any substance falling within this item
- 1-Methyl-4-phenylpiperidine-4-carboxylic acid, esters of; their salts
- Methyprylone
- Metoclopramide; its salts
- Metopon; its salts; its esters and ethers; their salts
- Mitopodozide; its salts
- Monofluoroacetic acid; its salts
- Morpheridine; its salts
- Mustine and any other *N*-substituted derivative of di-(2-chloroethyl) amine; their salts
- Myrophine; its salts
- Nalorphine; its salts
- Nicocodine; its salts
- Nitric acid
- m*-Nitrophenol; *o*-nitrophenol; *p*-nitrophenol
- Noracymethadol; its salts
- Norcodeine; its salts; its esters and ethers; their salts
- Norlevorphanol; its salts; its esters and ethers; their salts
- Normethadone; its salts
- Normorphine; its salts; its esters and ethers; their salts
- Norpipanone
- Nortryptiline; its salts
- Nux Vomica
- Opium
- Orciprenaline; its salts
- Orphenadrine; its salts
- Orthocaine; its salts
- Quabain
- Oxalic acid
- Oxethazaine
- Oxycodone; its salts; its esters; their salts; its ethers; their salts
- Oxymorphone; its salts; its esters and ethers; their salts

Oxyphenbutazone  
Oxytocins, natural and synthetic  
Paraldehyde  
Paramethadione  
Pargyline; its salts  
Pemoline; its salts  
Pennyroyal and its oil  
Pentazocine; its salts  
Phenacemide  
Phenadoxone; its salts  
Phenaglycodol  
Phenampramide; its salts  
Phenazocine; its salts; its esters and ethers; their salts  
Phenbutazate  
Phencyclidine; its salts  
Phenetidylphenacetin  
Phenformin; its salts  
Phenols (any member of the series of phenols of which the first member is phenol and of which the molecular composition varies from member to member by one atom of carbon and two atoms of hydrogen) except in substances containing less than sixty per cent., weight in weight, of phenols; compounds of phenol with a metal, except in substances containing less than the equivalent of sixty per cent., weight in weight, of phenols  
Phenomorphan; its salts; its esters and ethers; their salts  
Phenoperidine; its salts; its esters and ethers; their salts  
Phenothiazine, derivatives of; their salts; except dimethoxanate; its salts and promethazine, its salts and its molecular compounds  
Phenylbutazone; its salts  
2-Phenylcinchoninic acid; 2-salicylcinchoninic acid; their salts; their esters  
5-Phenylhydantoin; its alkyl and aryl derivatives; their salts  
4-Phenylpiperidine-4-carboxylic acid ethyl ester; its salts  
Pholcodine; its salts; its esters and ethers; their salts  
Phosphorus, yellow  
Picric acid  
Picrotoxin  
Piminodine; its salts  
Piritramide; its salts  
Pituitary gland, the active principles of  
Podophyllum resin  
Polymethylenebis(trimethylammonium salts  
Procainamide; its salts  
Procarbazine; its salts  
Procyclidine; its salts  
Proheptazine; its salts  
Promoxolan  
Propoxyphene; its salts  
Propylhexedrine; its salts  
Prothionamide  
Prothipendyl; its salts  
Quinethazone  
**Quinine; its salts**  
Racemethorphan; its salts  
Racemoramide; its salts  
Racemorphan; its salts; its esters and ethers; their salts  
**Salbutamol; its salts**  
Savin, oil of  
Strophanthus; glycosides of strophanthus  
Styramate  
Sulphinpyrazone  
Sulphonals; alkyl sulphonals  
Sulphuric acid  
Suprarenal gland medulla, the active principles of; their salts  
Syrosingopine



Tetrabenazine; its salts  
 Thalidomide; its salts  
 Thallium, salts of  
 Thebacon; its salts  
 Thiocarbide; its salts  
 2-Thiouracil; its alkyl derivatives  
 Thiourea; its salts  
 Thyroid gland, the active principles of; their salts  
 Tolbutamide  
 Tretamine; its salts  
 Triaziquone  
 Tribromethyl alcohol  
 2, 2, 2-Trichloroethyl alcohol, esters of; their salts  
 Trimeperidine; its salts  
 Trimipramine; its salts  
 Troxidone  
 Tybamate  
 Vasopressins, natural and synthetic  
 Verapamil; its salts  
 Zoxazolamine; its salts

## PART II

## Ammonia

Antimony trichloride

Arsenical substances, the following:—

Arsenical sulphide

Arsenious oxide

Calcium arsenites

Copper acetoarsenite

Copper arsenates

Copper arsenites

Lead arsenates

Potassium arsenites

Sodium arsenates

Sodium arsenites

Sodium thioarsenates

Barium, salts of, the following:—

Barium carbonate

Barium silicofluoride

Diamines, the following; their salts:—

phenylene diamines; tolylene diamines; other alkylated-benzene-diamines

Dinitroresols (DNOC); their compounds with a metal or a base

Dinosam; its compounds with a metal or a base

Dinoseb; its compounds with a metal or a base

Endosulfan

Endothal; its salts

Endrin

Formaldehyde

Formic acid

Hydrofluoric acid; **alkali metal bifluorides; ammonium bifluoride**; potassium fluoride; sodium fluoride; sodium silicofluoride

Mercuric chloride; mercuric iodide; organic compounds of, mercury except compounds which contain a methyl (CH<sub>3</sub>) group directly linked to the mercury atom

Nicotine; its salts

Nitrobenzene

Organo-tin compounds, the following:—

Compounds of fentin

Paraquat; its salts

Phenols as defined in Part I of this Schedule in substances containing less than sixty per cent., weight in weight, of phenols; compounds of phenol with a metal in substances containing less than the equivalent of sixty per cent., weight in weight, of phenols

Phosphoric acid

Phosphorus compounds, the following:—

Amiton, azinphos-ethyl, azinphos-methyl, chlorfenvinphos, demeton-O, demeton-S, demeton-O-methyl, demeton-S-methyl, dichlorvos, diethyl 4-methyl-7-coumarinyl phosphorothionate, diethyl *p*-nitrophenyl phosphate, dimefox, disulfoton, ethion, ethyl *p*-nitrophenol phenylphosphonothionate, mazidox, mecarbam, mevinphos, mipafox, oxydemeton-methyl, parathion, phénakpton, phorate, phosphamidon, schradan, sulfotep, TEPP (HETP), thionazin, triphosphoric pentadimethylamide, vamidothion

Potassium hydroxide

Sodium hydroxide

Sodium nitrite

Zinc phosphide

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### EXPLANATORY NOTE

*(This Note is not part of the Order, but is intended to indicate its general purport.)*

This Order provides for the omission of certain substances from Parts I and II of the Poisons Schedule, the substances omitted being set out, respectively, in paragraph 1(b) and in paragraph 2(a) of the First Schedule.

It also makes other changes in the Poisons Schedule including the insertion therein of certain additional substances.

The Poisons Schedule as amended by this Order is set out in the Second Schedule, the changes referred to in the preceding paragraph being indicated by the use of **heavy type**.