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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

ARGENTINA

COMMUNICATED BY THE GOVERNMENT OF
ARGENTINA

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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REPUBLIC OF ARGENTINA
NATIONAL MINISTRY OF PUBLIC HEALTH

Buenos Aires, 7 December 1951

Having regard to the report of the Directorate-General of Health, Litoral District of Buenos Aires (Division of Social Psychopathology, Narcotic Drugs Control) and

Considering that in accordance with article 1, paragraph 2 of the Protocol signed in Paris on 19 November 1948, bringing under international control drugs outside the scope of the 1931 Opium Convention, the World Health Organization has found that the synthetic drugs listed herein are capable of producing addiction;

that, in accordance with paragraph 4 of the said article 1, the States parties to the 1948 Protocol undertake to apply to such drugs the appropriate regime laid down by the 1931 Convention;

that, the Republic of Argentina being a signatory of the said Protocol, the drugs listed should be bought under the provision of Decree No. 126.351/38 regulating the traffic in narcotic drugs,

that, under article 2, paragraph 1 of Decree No. 126.351/38 this Ministry is empowered to add the said narcotic substances to the list contained in article 1 of that decree;

THE NATIONAL MINISTRY OF PUBLIC HEALTH
orders as follows:

Article 1 - The drugs listed below shall be considered as narcotic drugs and under article 1 of Decree 126.351/38:

- 1-methyl-4-phenyl-piperidine-4-carboxylic acid ethyl ester
(Pethidine, Antiduol, Avlon, Centralgine, D-140, Demerol, Dispadol, Dodonal, Dolantal, Dolantol, Dolaren, Dolatol, Dolental, Dolinal, Dolosal, Dolvanol, Eudolat, Felidin, Gratidina, Isonipeccaine, Meperidin, Nephedine, Pantalgine, Piridosal, Precedyl, Sauteralgyl);
- 4-(3-hydroxyphenyl)-1-methyl-4-piperidyl ethyl ketone hydrochloride
(Keto-Bemidone, Cliradon);
- ~~also~~ 1,3-dimethyl-4-phenyl-4-propionoxy piperidine
(known as NU-1196, Alphaprodine, Nisentil);
- ~~also~~ 1,3-dimethyl-4-phenyl-4-propionoxy piperidine
(also known as NU-1779, betaprodine);
- 4,4-diphenyl-5-methyl-6-dimethylamino-hexanone-3
(iso-methadone, iso-amidone)
- 6-dimethylamino-4,4-diphenyl-3-heptanol
(identified by the symbol N.I.H. 2933, known as Methadol)
- 6-dimethylamino-4,4-diphenyl-3-acetoxyheptane
(otherwise identified by symbol N.I.H. 2953)
- 6-morpholino-4,4-diphenyl-3-heptanone
(also known as CB-11 Phenadoxone, Hepagin, Heptalgin, Heptalin, Heptazone)
- 1-methyl-3-ethyl-4-phenyl-4-propionoxy piperidine
(otherwise known by the symbol NU-1932);

3-hydroxy-N-methyl-morhinan

(otherwise identified by the symbol NU-2206);

Dihydrocodeine (Paracodine) and its salts;

Acetyldihydrocodeine (Acetylcodone) and its salts;

1-methyl-4-metahydroxyphenyl-piperidine-4-carboxylic acid ethyl ester
(known as Bemidone);

Article 2 - Medicinal preparations containing the drugs listed in article 1 shall be included under article 36, paragraph (c) of Decree No. 126.351/38.

Article 3 - With the exception of the medicinal preparations covered by article 42, paragraph (d) of Decree No. 126.351/38, they shall be supplied on the basis of the official form for the prescription of narcotic drugs as provided in article 36 of that decree.

Article 4 - For registration, publication and communication to the Directorate-General of Health, Litoral District of Buenos Aires (Division of Social Psychopathology, Narcotic Drugs Control) and the Directorate-General of Medical and Pharmaceutical Industries, for information and action in accordance with articles 2 and 3 of the present order and to the Ministry of Foreign Affairs and Public Worship for transmission to the World Health Organization.

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