And Whereas it appears to His Majesty that the drugs specified in the Schedule to this Order are productive, if improperly used, or are capable of being converted into a substance which is or is likely to be productive, if improperly used, of ill effects substantially of the same character or nature as or analogous to those produced by morphine or cocaine:

Now, therefore, His Majesty, in pursuance of the power conferred upon Him by subsection (2) of section eight of the principal Act, as amended by subsection (2) of section one of the Dangerous Drugs Act, 1932, is pleased, by and with the advice of His Privy Council, to order and declare, and it is hereby ordered and declared, as follows:—

1. Part III of the principal Act (which provides that it shall not be lawful to import or export any drug to which that Part applies except under licence, and empowers the Secretary of State to make regulations for the purpose of preventing the improper use of such drugs) shall apply to the drugs specified in the Schedule to this Order in the same manner as the said Part III applies to the drugs mentioned in subsection (1) of section eight of that Act.

2. This Order may be cited as the Dangerous Drugs Act (Application Order, 1951, and shall come into operation on the ninth day of July, 1951.

E. C. E. Leadbitter.

SCHEDULE

Dihydrocodeine, its salts and any preparation, admixture, extract or other substance containing any proportion of dihydrocodeine.

Acetyldihydrocodeine, its salts and any preparation, admixture, extract or other substance containing any proportion of acetyldihydrocodeine.

4-Propionoxy-4-phenyl-1-methyl-3-ethylpiperidine, its salts and any preparation, admixture, extract or other substance containing any proportion of 4-propionoxy-4-phenyl-1-methyl-3-ethylpiperidine.

3-Hydroxy-N-methylmorphinan, it salts and any preparation, admixture, extract or other substance containing any proportion of 3-hydroxy-N-methylmorphinan.

The Dangerous Drugs Regulations, 1951

1951 No. 1495

Made - - - -	14*th August*, 1951
Laid before Parliament	15*th August*, 1951
Coming into Operation	1*st September*, 1951

In pursuance of the powers conferred upon me by section seven of the Dangerous Drugs Act, 1920(a), I hereby make the following Regulations:—

1.—(1) For sub-paragraph (*e*) of paragraph (2) of Regulation 8 of the principal Regulations (which requires that a prescription directing the supply of a drug shall specify, if it prescribes only certain recognised preparations of drugs, the total amount of the preparation or preparations, and, in any other case, the total amount of the drug to be supplied) there shall be substituted the following sub-paragraphs:—

"(*e*) if the preparation prescribed is a recognised preparation, or if all the preparations contained therein are recognised preparations, specify the total amount of the preparation or, as the case may be, of each

(a) 10 & 11 Geo. 5. c. 46.

preparation or, when the preparation is packed in ampoules, either specify as aforesaid, or specify the total amount of the preparation, or, as the case may be, of each preparation, intended to be administered or injected;

(*f*) if the preparation prescribed is not a recognised preparation, specify the total amount of the drug to be supplied, or, where the preparation is packed in ampoules, either the said total amount or the total amount intended to be administered or injected.",

and at the end of the said paragraph (2) there shall be added the following words:—

"In this paragraph the expression 'recognised preparation' means a preparation contained in the British Pharmacopoeia, the British Pharmaceutical Codex or any formulary issued by the Minister of Health for the purposes of the National Health Service Act, 1946(**a**), or, as the case may be, by the Secretary of State for the purposes of the National Health Service (Scotland) Act, 1947(**b**).".

(2) After paragraph (7) of Regulation 11 of the principal Regulations (which Regulation, in paragraph (1), relates to the entry in a register of particulars concerning drugs obtained or supplied, and, in paragraph (2), relates, amongst other things, to the entry by a medical practitioner in a day book of similar particulars concerning drugs supplied) there shall be added the following paragraph:—

"(8) Where a duly qualified medical practitioner, registered dentist, registered veterinary surgeon or person registered in the Supplementary Veterinary Register in pursuance of the Veterinary Surgeons Act, 1948(**c**), obtains or supplies any drug or preparation packed in ampoules, he shall be deemed to have complied with the requirements—

(*a*) of paragraph (1) of this Regulation in regard to entry in the register required to be kept under the said paragraph of true particulars with respect to every quantity of every drug or preparation obtained or supplied, or

(*b*) in the case of a medical practitioner supplying drugs or preparations to any person, of paragraph (2) of this Regulation in regard to entry in the day book referred to in the said paragraph of particulars of any drug or preparation supplied by him,

if he enters as the amount which he has obtained, or, as the case may be, supplied, true particulars as to either the total quantity of the drug or preparation, or the total quantity thereof intended to be administered or injected.".

2. In these Regulations the expression "the principal Regulations" means the Dangerous Drugs Regulations, 1937(**d**), as amended by the Dangerous Drugs Regulations, 1948(**e**), and the Dangerous Drugs Regulations, 1950(**f**).

3. These Regulations may be cited as the Dangerous Drugs Regulations, 1951, and shall come into operation on the first day of September, 1951.

J. Chuter Ede,
One of His Majesty's Principal Secretaries of State.

Home Office,
Whitehall.
14th August, 1951.

(**a**) 9 & 10 Geo. 6. c. 81.
(**b**) 10 & 11 Geo. 6. c. 27.
(**c**) 11 & 12 Geo. 6. c. 52.
(**d**) S.R. & O. 1937 (No. 560) p. 630.
(**e**) S.I. 1948 (No. 2653) I, p. 670.
(**f**) S.I. 1950 (No. 380) I, p. 528

EXPLANATORY NOTE

(This Note is not part of the Regulations, but is intended to indicate their general purport.)

Regulation 8 of the Dangerous Drugs Regulations, 1937, requires that a prescription shall specify the total quantity of drugs prescribed and Regulation 11 requires the entry in certain records of the quantity of drugs obtained or supplied. Under the Regulations as now amended the quantity to be stated, when the drug is contained in ampoules, is either the total quantity or the quantity intended to be administered or injected.

DEATH DUTIES

The Death Duties (Northern Ireland) (Relief against Double Duty) (Cyprus) Order, 1951

1951 No. 969

Made - - - - 31*st May*, 1951

At the Court at Buckingham Palace, the 31st day of May, 1951

Present,

The King's Most Excellent Majesty in Council

Whereas by subsection (3) of Section 20 of the Finance Act, 1894(**a**), it is enacted that His Majesty may, by Order in Council, apply that Section to any British possession where His Majesty is satisfied that, by the law of such possession, either no duty is leviable in respect of property situate in the United Kingdom when passing on death, or that the law of such possession as respects any duty so leviable is to the like effect as the foregoing provisions of that Section:

And Whereas by Article 14 of the Government of Ireland (Adaptation of the Taxing Acts) Order, 1922(**b**), it is provided that the reference to the United Kingdom in the said subsection (3), shall, in the application of the provisions of that subsection to Northern Ireland, be construed as a reference to Northern Ireland:

And Whereas His Majesty is satisfied that the law of the Colony of Cyprus as respects the duty leviable in respect of property situate in Northern Ireland when passing on death is to the like effect as the provisions of subsection (1) of the aforesaid Section 20 of the Finance Act, 1894:

And Whereas it is expedient that Section 20 of the Finance Act, 1894, should be applied as respects death duties payable in Northern Ireland to the Colony of Cyprus accordingly:

Now, therefore, His Majesty, by virtue and in exercise of the powers vested in Him by the enactment and Order aforesaid, is pleased, by and with the advice of His Privy Council, to order, and it is hereby ordered, as follows:—

1. This Order may be cited as the Death Duties (Northern Ireland) (Relief against Double Duty) (Cyprus) Order, 1951.

(**a**) 57 & 58 Vict. c. 30. (**b**) S.R. & O. 1922 (No. 80) p. 701.