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# DANGEROUS DRUGS, ENGLAND AND WALES

# DANGEROUS DRUGS, SCOTLAND

## The Misuse of Drugs (Designation) (Amendment) (No. 2) (England, Wales and Scotland) Order 2014

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| *Made - - - -* | *27th May 2014* |
| *Laid before Parliament* | *3rd June 2014* |
| *Coming into force - -* | *24th June 2014* |

The Secretary of State, in exercise of the powers conferred by section 7(4) of the Misuse of Drugs Act 1971(**a**), and after consultation with the Advisory Council on the Misuse of Drugs in accordance with section 7(7) of that Act, makes the following Order:

**Citation, commencement and extent**

**1.**—(1) This Order may be cited as the Misuse of Drugs (Designation) (Amendment) (No. 2) (England, Wales and Scotland) Order 2014 and comes into force on 24th June 2014.

(2) This Order extends to England and Wales and Scotland.

**Amendment to the Misuse of Drugs (Designation) Order 2001**

**2.**—(1) The Misuse of Drugs (Designation) Order 2001(**b**) is amended as follows.

(2) In paragraph 1(a) of Part 1 of the Schedule, after "Gamma-butyrolactone" insert—

"Khat".

Home Office
27th May 2014

*Karen Bradley*
Parliamentary Under Secretary of State

(**a**) 1971 c. 38.
(**b**) S.I. 2001/3997 as amended by S.I. 2005/1652, S.I. 2009/3135, S.I. 2010/1143, S.I. 2010/1800, S.I. 2011/447, S.I. 2012/1310, S.I. 2013/177, S.I. 2013/624 and S.I. 2014/1274.

## EXPLANATORY NOTE

*(This note is not part of the Order)*

Section 7(3) of the Misuse of Drugs Act 1971 requires regulations to be made to allow the use for medical purposes of the drugs which are subject to control under that Act. Section 7(3) does not apply to any drug designated by order under section 7(4) as a drug to which section 7(4) is to apply. This Order amends the Misuse of Drugs (Designation) Order 2001 by inserting khat into Part 1 of the Schedule to that Order.

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