STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

1973 No. 796

DANGEROUS DRUGS
The Misuse of Drugs (Designation) Order 1973

Made - - - -	19*th April* 1973
Laid before Parliament	7*th May* 1973
Coming into Operation	1*st July* 1973

In pursuance of section 7(4) and (7) of the Misuse of Drugs Act 1971**(a)**, on the recommendation of the Advisory Council on the Misuse of Drugs, I hereby make the following Order:—

1.—(1) This Order may be cited as the Misuse of Drugs (Designation) Order 1973 and shall come into operation on 1st July 1973.

(2) The Interpretation Act 1889**(b)** shall apply for the interpretation of this Order as it applies for the interpretation of an Act of Parliament.

2. The controlled drugs specified in the Schedule hereto are hereby designated as drugs to which section 7(4) of the Misuse of Drugs Act 1971 applies.

Robert Carr,
One of Her Majesty's Principal Secretaries of State.

Home Office,
Whitehall.
19th April 1973.

(a) 1971 c. 38. **(b)** 1889 c. 63.

Regulation 2.

SCHEDULE

CONTROLLED DRUGS TO WHICH SECTION 7(4) OF THE MISUSE OF DRUGS ACT 1971 APPLIES

1. The following substances and products, namely:—

Bufotenine.
Cannabinol.
Cannabinol derivatives.
Cannabis.
Cannabis resin.
Coca leaf.
Concentrate of poppy-straw.
Lysergamide.
Lysergide and other *N*-alkyl derivatives of lysergamide.
Mescaline.
Psilocin.
Raw opium.
N,*N*-Diethyltryptamine.
N,*N*-Dimethyltryptamine.
2,5-Dimethoxy-α,4-dimethylphenethylamine.

2. Any stereoisomeric form of a substance specified in paragraph 1 above.

3. Any ester or ether of a substance specified in paragraph 1 or 2 above.

4. Any salt of a substance specified in any of paragraphs 1 to 3 above.

5. Any preparation or other product containing a substance or product specified in paragraphs 1 to 4 above.

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 however apply to any drug designated by order under section 7(4) as a drug to which section 7(4) is to apply. This Order designates for this purpose the drugs specified in the Schedule to the Order.

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