STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

1968 No. 74

POISONS

The Poisons List Order 1968

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Whereas the Poisons Board has recommended to me that the list of substances which are to be treated as poisons for the purposes of the Pharmacy and Poisons Act 1933(a) should be amended so that certain additional substances should be included in Part I of the said list (which Part specifies those poisons which, subject to the provisions of the said Act, are not to be sold except by a person who is an authorised seller of poisons):

Now, therefore, in pursuance of section 17(5) of the said Act, I hereby order as follows :—

1. Part I of the Poisons List(b) shall be amended and varied in the manner specified in Schedule 1 to this Order, and accordingly the list of substances which are to be treated as poisons for the purposes of the Pharmacy and Poisons Act 1933 shall be as set out in Schedule 2 to this Order.

2. This Order may be cited as the Poisons List Order 1968 and shall come into operation on 8th February 1968.

James Callaghan,
One of Her Majesty's Principal Secretaries of State.

Home Office,
Whitehall.
17th January 1968.

(a) 1933 c. 25.
(b) See Schedule 2 to the Poisons List Order 1967, S.I. 1967/525 (1967 I, p. 1710).

SCHEDULE 1

AMENDMENTS AND VARIATIONS IN PART I OF THE POISONS LIST

1. In Part I of the Poisons List—

(*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:—

"Acetorphine ; its salts ; its esters and ethers ; their salts"
"Etorphine ; its salts ; its esters and ethers ; their salts"
"Flufenamic acid ; its salts ; its esters ; their salts"
"Hydroxyurea"
"Lysergide ; its salts, simple or complex ; its quaternary compounds"
"Mebutamate"
"Meclofenoxate ; its salts"
"Mefenamic acid ; its salts ; its esters ; their salts"
"Metoclopramide ; its salts"
"Paraldehyde"
"Piritramide ; its salts"
"Verapamil ; its salts";

(*b*) for the item "Chlorphenoxamine" there shall be substituted the item "Chlorphenoxamine ; its salts";

(*c*) for the item beginning with the words "Hydrocyanic acid" there shall be substituted the item "Hydrocyanic acid ; cyanides, other than ferrocyanides and ferricyanides" (being a different description of the same substances) ;

(*d*) for the item beginning with the words "Oxycinchoninic acid" there shall be substituted the item "Oxycinchoninic acid ; its derivatives ; their salts ; their esters".

SCHEDULE 2

THE POISONS LIST

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 List
Alkaloids, the following; their salts, simple or complex; their quaternary compounds :—

Aconite, alkaloids of
Atropine
Belladonna, alkaloids of
Brucine
Calabar bean, alkaloids of
Coca, alkaloids of
Cocaine
Codeine
Colchicum, alkaloids of
Coniine
Cotarnine
Curare, alkaloids of ; curare bases
Ecgonine; its esters
Emetine
Ephedra, alkaloids of
Ergot, alkaloids of, whether hydrogenated or not ; their homologues ; any salt of any substance falling within this item
Gelsemium, alkaloids of
Homatropine
Hyoscine

Hyoscyamine
Jaborandi, alkaloids of
Lobelia, alkaloids of
Morphine
Papaverine
Pomegranate, alkaloids of
Quebracho, alkaloids of, other than the alkaloids of red quebracho
Rauwolfia, alkaloids of ; their derivatives
Sabadilla, alkaloids of
Solanaceous alkaloids not otherwise included in this List
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*-aminobenzenesulphonamide 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

β-Aminopropylbenzene and β-aminoisopropylbenzene and any compound structurally derived from either of those substances by substitution in the side chain or by ring closure therein (or by both such substitution and such closure), except ephedrine, its optical isomers, *N*-methylephedrine, *N*-diethylaminoethylephedrine, phenylpropanolamine and prenylamine ; any salt of any substance falling within this item

Amitriptyline; its salts

Amyl nitrite

Androgenic, oestrogenic and progestational substances, the following :—
Benzoestrol
Derivatives of stilbene, 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-tryhydroxyphthalide
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 ; oxides of antimony ; sulphides of antimony ; antimonates ; antimonites ; organic compounds of antimony

Apomorphine ; its salts

Arsenical substances, the following, except those specified in Part II of this List ; 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 List

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

Bromvaletone

Busulphan ; its salts

Butylchloral 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, 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

Corticotrophins, natural and synthetic

Creosote obtained from wood

Croton, oil of

Cyclarbamate

Cycrimine ; its salts

Dehydroemetine ; its salts

Demecarium bromide

Desipramine ; its salts

Desomorphine ; its salts

Dextromethorphan ; its salts

Dextromoramide ; its salts

Dextrorphan; 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 to any degree; their salts
Digitalis, glycosides of; other active principles of digitalis
Dihydrocodeine; its salts
Dihydrocodeinone; its salts; its esters; their salts
Dihydromorphine; its salts; its esters; their salts
Dimenoxadole; its salts
Dimepheptanol; its salts
Dinitronaphthols; dinitrophenols; dinitrothymols
Dioxaphetyl butyrate; its salts
Diperodon; its salts
Diphenoxylate; its salts
Dipipanone; its salts
Disulfiram
Dithienylallylamines; dithienylalkylallylamines; their salts
Dyflos
Ecothiopate iodine
Ectylurea
Elaterin
Embutramide
Emylcamate
Erythrityl tetranitrate
Ethacrynic acid; its salts
Ethchlorvynol
Ethinamate
Ethionamide
Ethoheptazine; its salts
Ethylmorphine; its salts
Etonitazene; its salts
Etorphine; its salts; its esters and ethers; their salts
Etoxeridine; 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*-phenetylguanidine
Haloperidol and other 4-substituted derivatives of *N*-(3-*p*-fluorobenzoylpropyl) piperidine
Hexapropymate
Hydrazines, benzyl, phenethyl and phenoxyethyl; their α-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
Hydromorphone; its salts; its esters; their salts
Hydroxy-*N*,*N*-dimethyltryptamines; their esters or ethers; any salt of any substance falling within this item
Hydroxypethidine; its salts
Hydroxyurea
Hydroxyzine; its salts

Imipramine; its salts
Indomethacin; its salts
Insulin
Isomethadone (isoamidone); its salts
Ketobemidone; its salts
Laudexium; its salts
Lead acetates; compounds of lead with acids from fixed oils
Levomethorphan; its salts
Levomoramide; its salts
Levophenacylmorphan; its salts
Levorphanol; its 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
Mephenesin; its esters
Meprobamate
Mercaptopurine; its salts; derivatives of mercaptopurine; their salts
Mercury, oxides of; nitrates of mercury; mercuric ammonium chlorides; potassio-mercuric iodides; organic compounds of mercury which contain a methyl (CH_3) group directly linked to the mercury atom; mercuric oxycyanides; mercuric thiocyanate
Mescaline; its salts
Metaxalone
Metazocine; its salts
Metformin; its salts
Methadone (amidone); its salts
Methadyl acetate; its salts
Methaqualone; its salts
Methixene; its salts
Methocarbamol
Methoxsalen
Methyldesorphine; its salts
Methyldihydromorphine; its salts
Methylpentynol; its esters and other derivatives
1-Methyl-4-phenylpiperidine-4-carboxylic acid; esters of; their salts
Methyprylone
Metoclopramide; its salts
Metopon; its salts
Monofluoroacetic acid; its salts
Morpheridine; its salts
Mustine and any other *N*-substituted derivatives of di-(2-chloroethyl)amine; their salts
Myrophine; its salts
Nalorphine; its salts
Nicocodine; its salts
m-Nitrophenol; *o*-nitrophenol; *p*-nitrophenol
Noracymethadol; its salts
Norcodeine; its salts
Norlevorphanol; its salts
Normethadone; its salts
Normorphine; its salts
Norpipanone
Nortryptyline; its salts
Nux Vomica
Opium
Orphenadrine; its salts
Orthocaine; its salts
Ouabain

Oxalic acid
Oxethazaine
Oxycinchoninic acid ; its derivatives ; their salts ; their esters
Oxycodone ; its salts ; its esters ; their salts
Oxymorphone ; its salts
Oxyphenbutazone
Paraldehyde
Paramethadione
Pargyline ; its salts
Pemoline ; its salts
Pentazocine ; its salts
Phenacemide
Phenadoxone ; its salts
Phenaglycodol
Phenampromide ; its salts
Phenazocine ; its salts
Phenbutrazate
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
Phenoperidine ; its salts
Phenothiazine, derivatives of ; their salts ; except dimethoxanate, its salts and promethazine, its salts and its molecular compounds
Phenylbutazone ; its salts
Phenylcinchoninic acid ; salicylcinchoninic acid ; their salts ; their esters
5-Phenylhydantoin ; its alkyl and aryl derivatives ; their salts
Pholcodine ; its salts
Phosphorus, yellow
Picric acid
Picrotoxin
Piminodine ; its salts
Piritramide ; its salts
Pituitary gland, the active principles of
Polymethylenebistrimethylammonium salts
Procarbazine ; its salts
Procyclidine ; its salts
Proheptazine ; its salts
Promoxolan
Propoxyphene ; its salts
Propylhexedrine ; its salts
Prothionamide
Prothipendyl ; its salts
Quinethazone
Racemethorphan ; its salts
Racemoramide ; its salts
Racemorphan ; its salts
Savin, oil of
Strophanthus ; glycosides of strophanthus
Styramate
Sulphinpyrazone
Sulphonal ; alkyl sulphonals
Suprarenal gland medulla, the active principles of ; their salts
Syrosingopine
Tetrabenazine ; its salts
Thalidomide ; its salts

Thallium, salts of
Thebacon; its salts; its esters; their 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
Verapamil; its salts
Zoxazolamine; its salts

PART II

Ammonia
Arsenical substances, the following:—
- Arsenic sulphides
- Arsenious oxide
- Calcium arsenates
- 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

Dinitrocresols (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
Hydrochloric acid
Hydrofluoric acid; potassium fluoride; sodium fluoride; sodium silicofluoride
Mercuric chloride; mercuric iodide; organic compounds of mercury except compounds which contain a methyl (CH_3) group directly linked to the mercury atom
Metallic oxalates
Nicotine; its salts
Nitric acid
Nitrobenzene
Organo-tin compounds, the following:—
- Compounds of fentin

Phenols as defined in Part I of this List 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*-nitrophenyl phenylphosphonothionate, mazidox, mecarbam, mevinphos, mipafox, oxydemeton-methyl, parathion, phenkapton, phorate, phosphamidon, schradan, sulfotep, TEPP (HETP), thionazin, triphosphoric pentadimethylamide, vamidothion
Potassium hydroxide
Sodium hydroxide
Sodium nitrite
Sulphuric acid
Zinc phosphide

EXPLANATORY NOTE

(This Note is not part of the Order.)

This Order adds certain substances to Part I of the Poisons List, the substances added being set out in Schedule 1. The complete list as amended by this Order is set out in Schedule 2, the poisons which appear in the list for the first time being printed in **heavy type.**