

STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

1966 No. 1599

DANGEROUS DRUGS

The Dangerous Drugs Act 1965 (Modification) (No. 2) Order 1966

Made - - - 21st December 1966
Coming into Operation 9th January 1967

At the Court at Buckingham Palace, the 21st day of December 1966

Present,

The Queen's Most Excellent Majesty in Council

Whereas it appears to Her Majesty that decisions of the Commission on Narcotic Drugs of the Economic and Social Council of the United Nations to alter Schedule I to the Single Convention on Narcotic Drugs signed at New York on 30th March 1961 so as to add the substances acetorphine and etorphine thereto requires the addition of those substances to Part I of the Schedule to the Dangerous Drugs Act 1965(a):

Now, therefore, Her Majesty, in pursuance of the powers conferred on Her by section 12 of the Dangerous Drugs Act 1965 is pleased, by and with the advice of Her Privy Council, to order, and it is hereby ordered, as follows:—

1. In paragraph 1 in Part I of the Schedule to the Dangerous Drugs Act 1965 (which specifies substances dealings in which are subject to control under Part III of the Act) before the word "Acetyldihydrocodeine" there shall be inserted the word "Acetorphine" and after the word "Etonitazene" there shall be inserted the word "Etorphine".

2. This Order may be cited as the Dangerous Drugs Act 1965 (Modification) (No. 2) Order 1966 and shall come into operation on 9th January 1967.

N. E. Leigh.

EXPLANATORY NOTE

(This Note is not part of the Order.)

This Order brings under control under Part III of the Dangerous Drugs Act 1965 the substances acetorphine and etorphine and their salts, and any preparation, admixture, extract or other substance containing any proportion of acetorphine or etorphine or their salts. The result of such control will be that it will not be lawful to import or export any of those substances except under licence, and that those substances will be subject to control under Part II of the Dangerous Drugs (No. 2) Regulations 1964 (S.I. 1964/1811).