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#### **POISONS**

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I, the Right Honourable William Craig, Minister of Home Affairs for Northern Ireland, in exercise of the powers vested in me by sections thirty and thirty-two of the Medicines, Pharmacy and Poisons Act (Northern Ireland) 1945 do hereby make the following Regulations:—

#### Citation and commencement

1. These Regulations may be cited as the Poisons Regulations (Northern Ireland) 1967 and shall come into operation on the 23rd June 1967.

## Interpretation

2.—(1) In these Regulations unless the context otherwise requires, the following expressions have the meanings hereby respectively assigned to them,

that is to say:—
"the Act" means the Medicines, Pharmacy and Poisons Act (Northern

Ireland) 1945;

"Animal" includes poultry;

"Antimonial poisons" means chlorides of antimony, oxides of antimony, sulphides of antimony, antimonates, antimonites, and organic compounds of antimony;

"Arsenical poisons" means halides of arsenic, oxides of arsenic, sulphides

of arsenic, arsenates, arsenites, copper acetoarsenites, sodium thioarsenates, and organic compounds of arsenic; "British National Formulary", "British Pharmacopoeia", "British Pharmaceutical Codex" and "British Veterinary Codex" include addenda and supplements thereto respectively;

"Food" includes a beverage;

"Medicine for the internal treatment of human ailments" includes any medicine to be administered by hypodermic injection but does not include any mouth-wash, eye-drops, eye-lotion, ear-drops, douche or similar article; "Police Authority" means the District Inspector of the Royal Ulster

Constabulary;

"Registered Seller" means a person entitled, subject to the provisions of the Act and of these Regulations, to sell poisons included in Part II of the Poisons Schedule by virtue of being registered by a local authority in pursuance of section 30 of the Act;

- "Sale exempted by section 29 of the Act" means a sale made in such circumstances as to be entitled, except as provided by these Regulations, to exemption under section 29 of the Act from the foregoing provisions of Part III of the Act;
- "Transaction exempted by section 28 of the Act" means the supply of a medicine in such circumstances as to be entitled to exemption under section 28 of the Act from the provisions of section 27 of the Act.
- (2) Any reference in the Schedules to these Regulations to the percentage of a poison contained in any substance or preparation shall, unless otherwise expressly provided, be construed in the following manner, that is to say, a reference to a substance or preparation containing one per cent. of any poison means:—
  - (a) in the case of a solid, that one gramme of the poison is contained in every hundred grammes of the substance or preparation;
  - (b) in the case of a liquid, that one millilitre of the poison, or, if the poison itself is a solid, one gramme of the poison, is contained in every hundred millilitres of the substance or preparation;

and so in proportion for any greater or less percentage.

## Metric system and imperial system

- 3.—(1) For the purposes of these Regulations a poison shall not be regarded as sold, issued or supplied otherwise than in accordance with a prescription or other order by reason only that the prescription or order specifies a quantity of the poison in terms of the imperial system and the quantity sold, issued or supplied is the equivalent of that amount in the metric system, or by reason only that the prescription or order specifies a quantity of the poison in terms of the metric system and the quantity sold, issued or supplied is the equivalent of that amount in the imperial system.
- (2) For the purposes of these Regulations the quantity of a poison in the imperial system which is the equivalent of a particular quantity in the metric system, and the quantity of a poison in the metric system which is the equivalent of a similar quantity in the imperial system shall be deemed to be that set out as such in the Tables of Equivalents contained in the British Pharmacopoeia, the British Pharmaceutical Codex or the British Veterinary Codex.

#### APPLICATION AND RELAXATION OF PART III OF THE ACT

Restriction of sales from retail business premises

4. It shall not be lawful for any person to sell poisons on any premises used for or in connection with his retail business, notwithstanding that the sale is exempted by section 29 of the Act, unless he complies with the provisions of paragraph (a) or paragraph (b), as the case may be, of section 27(1) of the Act.

Provided that the substances included in the Seventeenth Schedule may be sold by retail, for the purposes shown in that Schedule, from premises licensed under the Poultry Hatcheries Act (Northern Ireland) 1950.

Extension of labelling provisions and relaxation with respect to poisons in the Second Schedule and consignments to Great Britain

5.—(1) Subject as hereinafter provided, the provisions of paragraph (d) of subsection (1) of section 27 of the Act and of Regulations 17 to 22 (which provisions relate to the labelling of poisons) shall apply to sales exempted by section 29 of the Act other than sales of poisons to be exported to purchasers outside the United Kingdom; and shall also apply to the supply of poisons

(otherwise than on sale) in like manner as if references in the said provisions to the sale and the seller of poisons included references to the supply and the supplier of poisons respectively.

- (2) The said provisions, except the provisions of Regulation 21 and of paragraph (d)(iv) of subsection (1) of section 27 of the Act as modified by Regulation 22 shall not apply to the sale or supply of any of the poisons included in the Second Schedule to a person who:—
  - (a) carries on a business in the course of which poisons are regularly sold by way of wholesale dealing or are regularly used in the manufacture of other articles; and
  - (b) requires the poison for the purposes of that business; if the outside of the package in which the poison is sold or supplied is labelled conspicuously with words indicating the dangerous properties of the poison.
- (3) The provisions of paragraph (d)(iii) of subsection (1) of section 27 of the Act and of Regulation 20 shall not apply to sales exempted by section 29 of the Act of any of the poisons included in Part B of the Fourth Schedule to these regulations.
- (4) The said provisions shall not apply to the sale or supply of poisons to be consigned to purchasers in Great Britain if the poisons are labelled in accordance with the corresponding provisions of the law in force in Great Britain relating to the labelling of poisons.

# Limitation of section 27(2) to certain substances

6. The provisions of subsection (2) of section 27 of the Act (which makes provisions as to persons to whom poisons may be sold to the keeping of records of sales) shall apply with respect to all substances included in the First Schedule whether or not the poison sold is a poison included in Part I of the Poisons Schedule, and shall not apply with respect to any other substance:

Provided that paragraph (a) of the said subsection (2) of section 27 of the Act shall, in its application to sales by persons registered to sell Part II poisons, be deemed to be satisfied if the person to whom the poison is sold is known by the person in charge of the premises on which the poison is sold or of the department of the business in which the sale is effected to be a person to whom the poison may properly be sold.

Provided also that the provisions of the said subsection (2) of section 27 of the Act shall not apply, so far as the poison specified in the first column of the Fifteenth Schedule is concerned, to sales of substances specified in the second column of that Schedule.

Extension of section 27(2) to sales wholesale, etc., and relaxation of the said subsection

7.—(1) The provisions of the said section 27(2) modified by the last foregoing Regulations shall apply to sales exempted by section 29 of the Act. except sales of poisons to be exported to purchasers outside the United Kingdom; and shall also apply to the supply in the form of a commercial sample, otherwise than on sale, of any substance included in the First Schedule to these Regulations in like manner as if references in the said provisions to the sale and seller of poisons respectively included references to the supply and the supplier of poisons in the form of commercial samples:

Provided that the said provisions shall not apply to the sale or supply of any article by the manufacturer thereof or by a person carrying on a business in the course of which poisons are regularly sold by way of wholesale dealing, if:—

- (a) the article is sold or supplied to a person carrying on a business in the course of which poisons are regularly sold or are regularly used in the manufacture of other articles; and
- (b) the seller or supplier is reasonably satisfied that the purchaser requires the articles for the purpose of that business.
- (2) Paragraph (a) of the said subsection (2) of section 27 shall, in its application to sales exempted by section 29 of the Act and to the supply in the form of commercial samples of substances included in the First Schedule, be deemed to be satisfied if the person to whom the poison or sample is sold or supplied is known by the person in charge of the department of the business through which the sale or supply is effected to be a person to whom the poison or sample may properly be sold or supplied.
- (3) So much of paragraph (b) of the said subsection (2) of section 27 as requires an entry in a book to be signed by the purchaser of a poison shall not, as respects the sale of a poison to a person for the purpose of his trade, business or profession, apply if the following requirements are satisfied:—
  - (a) the seller must obtain before the completion of the sale an order in writing signed by the purchaser stating his name and address, trade, business or profession, and the following particulars in regard to the article to be purchased, that is to say, the name, the purpose for which it is required and the total quantity to be purchased, or, in the case of an article packed in ampoules, either the said total quantity or the total quantity intended to be administered or injected;
  - (b) the seller must be reasonably satisfied that the signature is that of the person purporting to have signed the order, and that that person carries on the trade, business or profession stated in the order, being one in which the poison to be purchased is used;
  - (c) the seller must insert in the entry prescribed by Regulation 35 the words "signed order" and a reference number by which the order can be identified:

Provided that where a person represents that he urgently requires a poison for the purpose of his trade, business or profession, the seller may, if he is reasonably satisfied that the person so requires the poison and is by reason of some emergency unable before delivery either to furnish to the seller an order in writing duly signed or to attend and sign the entry in the book, deliver the poison to the purchaser on an undertaking by the purchaser to furnish such an order within the twenty-four hours next following.

If any purchaser by whom any such undertaking has been given fails to deliver to the seller a signed order in accordance with the undertaking, or if any person for the purpose of obtaining delivery of any poison under the foregoing proviso makes a statement which is to his knowledge false, he shall be deemed to have contravened the provisions of this Regulation.

- (4) Where the seller of a poison is reasonably satisfied that the poison is required for the purpose of medical, dental or veterinary treatment, there shall not apply:—
  - (a) in the case of a sale to a hospital, infirmary, dispensary or clinic, such of the provisions of this Regulation as require the purchaser to state his trade, business or profession and the seller to be satisfied with respect thereto;
  - (b) in the case of a sale of the poison not being a poison to which the Dangerous Drugs Act 1951(a) applies to a duly qualified medical

practitioner, registered dentist or registered veterinary surgeon or registered veterinary practitioner or to a hospital, infirmary, dispensary or clinic, such of the provisions of this Regulation as require the purchaser to state the purpose for which the poison is required.

# Relaxation of section 28(3) in the case of certain medicines

- 8. The requirements mentioned in section 28(3) of the Act (which requires particulars of medicines supplied or dispensed under that section to be entered in a book) need not be satisfied in the case of:—
  - (a) any medicine, not being a substance included in the First Schedule to these Regulations, which is supplied by:—
    - (i) a duly qualified medical practitioner for the purposes of medical treatment, or
    - (ii) an authorised seller of poisons on and in accordance with a prescription given by a duly qualified medical practitioner or a registered dentist; or
  - (b) any medicine, notwithstanding that it is a substance included in the First Schedule to these Regulations, which is supplied on and in accordance with a prescription given by a duly qualified medical practitioner or a registered dentist upon a form issued by a local authority (whether a local authority as defined in the Act or not) for use in connection with a health service of that authority, provided that the following requirements are complied with:—
    - (i) the prescription or a true copy thereof must be kept upon the premises upon which the medicine was dispensed for a period of at least two years in such a manner as to be readily available for inspection; and
    - (ii) the prescription or copy must bear on it particulars of the date of dispensing, the ingredients and quantity of the medicines supplied and the name of the person by whom, the name and address of the person to whom, and the date on which the prescription was given;
  - (c) any medicine, notwithstanding that it is a substance included in the First Schedule, which is supplied on and in accordance with a prescription given by a registered dentist under and in accordance with the National Health Service Act 1946(a), the National Health Service (Scotland) Act 1947(b), the Health Services Act (Northern Ireland) 1948(c) or the National Health Service (Isle of Man) Act 1948.

# General exemption of section 28 transactions

9. Nothing in these Regulations shall apply, except as expressly provided therein, to transactions exempted by section 28 of the Act.

# Exemption from the provisions applying solely to the First Schedule

- 10. Such of the provisions of these Regulations, and of Part III of the Act as modified by these Regulations, as apply solely with respect to the substances included in the First Schedule, shall not apply with respect to:—
  - (a) machine-spread plasters; or
  - (b) surgical dressings; or
  - (c) articles containing barium carbonate and prepared for the destruction of rats and mice; or

<sup>(</sup>a) 9 & 10 Geo. 6. c. 81.

<sup>(</sup>c) 1948, c, 3,

- (d) corn paints in which the only poison is a poison included in the Poisons Schedule under the heading of "Cannabis"; or
- (e) articles containing zinc phosphate and prepared for the destruction of rats and mice.

Complete exemption for articles and substances in the Third Schedule

- 11. Nothing in Part III of the Act or these Regulations shall apply:—
- (a) with respect to any article included in Group I of the Third Schedule, or
- (b) so far as any poison specified in the first column of Group II of that Schedule is concerned, with respect to any of the articles or substances specified in the second column opposite the description of the poison.

## ADDITIONAL RESTRICTIONS ON THE SALE OF POISONS

12.—(1) It shall not be lawful to sell any poison included in the Fourth Schedule except on and in accordance with a prescription given by a duly qualified medical practitioner, registered dentist, registered veterinary surgeon or registered veterinary practitioner or, so far as the poisons specified in Part C of this Schedule are concerned, also on the order of a certified midwife in the form prescribed by this Regulation:

Provided that where an authorised seller of poisons is reasonably satisfied that a person ordering any such poison is a duly qualified medical practitioner who is by reason of some emergency unable to furnish such a prescription immediately, he may, notwithstanding that no such prescription has been given, if the said person undertakes to furnish him within twenty-four hours next following with such a prescription, deliver the poison ordered in accordance with the directions of the said person, so, however, that, notwithstanding anything in any such directions, the supply shall not be repeated unless such a prescription has been given.

If any person by whom any such undertaking has been given fails to deliver to the seller a prescription in accordance with the undertaking, or if any person for the purpose of obtaining delivery of any poison under the foregoing proviso, makes a statement which is to his knowledge false, he shall be deemed to have contravened the provisions of this Regulation.

- (2) This Regulation shall apply to the sale of any such poison, notwithstanding that it is a transaction exempted by section 28 of the Act but, except as provided in paragraph (2A), shall not apply to any sale exempted by section 29 of the Act.
- (2A) This Regulation shall apply to the sale of any of the following poisons:—

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

to such a person as is referred to in paragraph (5)(a)(1) of section 29 of the Act.

(3) For the purpose of this Regulation a prescription shall, in the case of a poison included in Part A or Part B of the Fourth Schedule:—

- (a) be in writing and be signed by the person giving it with his usual signature and be dated by him;
- (b) when the medicine is packed otherwise than in ampoules, indicate, except in the case of a preparation contained in the British National Formulary, the total amount to be supplied;
- (c) when the medicine is packed in ampoules, indicate, except in the case of a preparation contained in the British National Formulary, either the total amount to be supplied or the total amount intended to be administered or injected;

and in the case of any poison included in Part A of the Fourth Schedule shall:—

- (a) except in the case of a health prescription, specify the address of the person giving it;
- (b) specify the name and address of the person for whose treatment it is given or, if the prescription is given by a veterinary surgeon or practitioner, of the person to whom the medicine is to be delivered;
- (c) have written thereon, if given by a dentist, the words "For dental treatment only" or, if given by a veterinary surgeon or practitioner, the words "For animal treatment only";
- (d) when the medicine is packed otherwise than in ampoules, indicate, except in the case of a preparation which is to be used for external treatment only, the dose to be taken;
- (e) when the medicine is packed in ampoules, indicate in any case, the amount intended to be administered or injected in each dose.
- (4) The person dispensing the prescription shall comply with the following requirements:—
  - (a) the prescription must not be dispensed more than once, unless the prescriber has directed thereon that it may be dispensed a stated number of times or that it may be dispensed at stated intervals;
  - (b) if the prescription contains a direction that it may be dispensed a stated number of times or at stated intervals, it must not be dispensed otherwise than in accordance with the direction:
  - (c) a prescription which contains a direction that it may be dispensed a stated number of times but no direction as to intervals at which it may be dispensed shall not be dispensed more often than once in three days, and a prescription which contains a direction that it is to be dispensed at stated intervals but no direction as to the number of times that it may be dispensed shall not be dispensed more often than three times;
  - (d) at the time of dispensing, or, where a poison has been delivered under the proviso to paragraph (1) on the subsequent receipt of the prescription, there must be noted on the prescription above the signature of the prescriber the name and address of the seller, and the date on which the prescription is dispensed, or, as the case may be, the poison was delivered;
  - (e) except in the case of a health prescription or a prescription which may be dispensed again, the prescription must, for a period of two years, be retained and kept on the premises on which it was dispensed in such manner as to be readily available for inspection.
  - (5) (a) For the purpose of this Regulation—an order of a certified midwife shall:—
    - (i) be in writing and be signed by the person giving it with her usual signature and be dated by her;

- (ii) specify the address of the person giving it;
- (iii) indicate the total amount of the poison to be supplied.
- (b) The person supplying the order of a certified midwife shall comply with the following requirements:—
  - (i) the order must not be supplied more than once;
  - (ii) at the time of supply there must be noted on the order the name and address of the seller and the date on which it was supplied;
  - (iii) the order must for a period of two years be retained and kept on the premises on which it was supplied and in such manner as to be readily available for inspection.
- (6) In this Regulation "health prescription" means a prescription given by a duly qualified medical practitioner or registered dentist under and in accordance with the National Health Service Act 1946, the National Health Service (Scotland) Act 1947, the National Health Service (Isle of Man) Act 1948 or the Health Services Act (Northern Ireland) 1948 or given by a duly qualified medical practitioner upon a form issued by a local authority (whether a local authority as defined in the Act or not) for use in connection with a health service of that authority.

# Additional restriction of sales by authorised sellers of poisons

13. It shall not be lawful for any authorised seller of poisons to sell any substance included in the First Schedule to these Regulations, notwithstanding that the substance is a poison included in Part II of the Poisons Schedule, unless the sale is effected by, or under the supervision of, a registered person.

# Restriction of sales by registered sellers of Part II poisons

- 14.—(1) No person shall be entitled by virtue of being a registered seller of Part II poisons to sell:—
  - (a) any poison, other than ammonia, except in a closed container as closed by the manufacturer or other person from whom the poison was obtained:
  - (b) any substance included in the First Schedule to these Regulations unless the sale is effected by himself or a responsible deputy.

In this paragraph the expression "responsible deputy" means a person nominated as a deputy on the seller's form of application, as hereinafter prescribed, for entry as a registered seller of Part II poisons, or any person substituted, by notice in writing to the local authority, for a person so nominated, and not more than two deputies shall be nominated at the same time in respect of one set of premises.

- (2) No person shall be entitled by virtue of being a registered seller of Part II poisons to sell:—
  - (a) any poison included in the first column of Part A of the Fifth Schedule unless the article or substance sold is one of the articles or substances specified against the description of the poison in the second column of that Schedule, and the container of the substance is, in addition to any other direction of the Act or of these Regulations with respect to labelling, labelled clearly with a notice of the special purpose for which the article or substance is intended, and a warning that it is only to be used for that purpose;
  - (b) any poison included in Part B of the Fifth Schedule unless the purchaser thereof is engaged in the trade or business of agriculture or horticulture and requires the poison for the purpose of that trade or business.

Addition of dye to certain poisons used in agriculture or horticulture (Sixteenth Schedule)

15. It shall not be lawful to sell any poison included in the Sixteenth Schedule which is intended for use as a weed-killer or in the prevention or treatment of infestation by animals, plants or other living organisms unless there has been added to the poison a dye or other substance which renders it a distinctive colour whether dry or wet or in solution:

Provided that this Regulation shall not apply in the case of:—

- (a) poisons which are themselves of a distinctive colour;
- (b) sheep dips which are already of a distinctive colour; or
- (c) articles to be exported to purchasers outside the United Kingdom.

Restriction of sale of strychnine and certain other substances

**16.**—(1) It shall not be lawful to sell or supply strychnine except as an ingredient in a medicine:

Provided that this Regulation shall not apply to the sale of strychnine: —

- (a) by way of wholesale dealing; or
- (b) to be exported to purchasers outside the United Kingdom; or
- (c) for the purpose of being compounded in medicines prescribed or administered by a duly qualified medical practitioner, registered veterinary surgeon or registered veterinary practitioner; or
- (d) to a person or institution concerned with scientific education or research or chemical analysis, for the purposes of that education, research or analysis;
- (e) to a person producing a written authority in the form set out in the Thirteenth Schedule issued within the preceding three months by the County Agricultural Executive Officer authorising the purchase of strychnine for the purposes of killing foxes so, however, that the quantity sold shall not exceed the quantity, being not more than one ounce, specified in the authority.
- (2) It shall not be lawful to sell or supply any substance to which this paragraph applies. Provided that this Regulation shall not apply to the sale of a substance to which this paragraph applies:—
  - (a) by way of wholesale dealing; or
  - (b) to be exported to purchasers outside the United Kingdom; or
  - (c) to a person or institution concerned with scientific education or research or chemical analysis, for the purposes of that education or research or analysis; or
  - (d) to a person producing a certificate in form "A" of the forms set out in the Fourteenth Schedule issued within the preceding three months by the medical officer of health of a health authority or port sanitary authority certifying that a substance to which this paragraph applies named in the certificate is required for use by employees of that health authority or port sanitary authority as a rodenticide in ships or sewers in such places as are identified in the certificate; so however that the quantity sold shall not exceed the quantity specified in the certificate; or
  - (e) to a person producing a certificate in form "B" of the forms set out as aforesaid issued within the said period by:—
    - (i) the medical officer of health of a health authority, or port sanitary authority, or

(ii) the County Agricultural Executive Officer,

certifying that a substance to which this paragraph applies named in the certificate is required for use by such person or by the employees of such body of persons carrying on a business of pest control as is named in the certificate as a rodenticide in ships or sewers in such places as are identified in the certificate; so however that the quantity sold shall not exceed the quantity specified in the certificate.

In this paragraph the expression "health authority" means a health authority as defined in the Public Health and Local Government (Administration Provisions) Act (Northern Ireland) 1946 and the expression "port sanitary authority" means a sanitary authority constituted under section nine of the Public Health (Ireland) Act 1896.

This paragraph applies to monofluoroacetic acid, any salt thereof, fluoroacetamide and fluoroacetanilide.

- (3) It shall not be lawful to sell or supply potassium or sodium arsenites except as an ingredient in:—
  - (i) a medicine; or
  - (ii) a sheep dip or sheep wash in a container clearly labelled with, in addition to any other direction of the Act or of these Regulations with respect to labelling, a notice of the special purposes for which the substance is intended, and a warning that it is only to be used for that purpose:

Provided that this Regulation shall not apply to the sale of potassium arsenites or sodium arsenites:—

- (a) by way of wholesale dealing; or
- (b) to be exported to purchasers outside the United Kingdom; or
- (c) for the purpose of being compounded in medicines prescribed or administered by a duly qualified medical practitioner, registered veterinary surgeon or registered veterinary practitioner; or
- (d) to a person or institution concerned with scientific education or research or chemical analysis, for the purposes of that education or research or analysis.
- (4) It shall not be lawful to sell or supply lysergide or its salts or psilocybin;

Provided that this paragraph shall not apply to the sale of lysergide or its salts or psilocybin:—

- (a) by way of wholesale dealing; or
- (b) to be exported to purchasers outside the United Kingdom; or
- (c) to a person or institution concerned with scientific education or research or chemical analysis, for the purposes of that education or research or analysis; or
- (d) to a duly qualified medical practitioner for the purpose of his profession as such.
- (5) It shall not be lawful to sell or supply embutramide or mebezonium iodide:

Provided that this paragraph shall not apply to the sale of embutramide or mebezonium iodide:—

- (a) by way of wholesale dealing; or
- (b) to be exported to purchasers outside the United Kingdom; or
- (c) to a person or institution concerned with scientific education or research or chemical analysis, for the purposes of that education or research or analysis; or

- (d) to a registered veterinary surgeon or registered veterinary practitioner for the purpose of killing animals or birds in the course of his profession as such.
- (6) Any authority or certificate issued under the provisions of this Regulation shall be retained by the seller of poisons to which the authority or certificate relates.

# SUPPLEMENTARY PROVISIONS WITH RESPECT TO LABELLING AND CONTAINERS

Manner of labelling containers

- 17.—(1) Subject to the provisions of these Regulations particulars with which the container of a poison is required to be labelled under paragraph (d) of subsection (1) of section 27 of the Act and under these Regulations must appear in a conspicuous position on the container in which the poison is sold and on every box or other covering of whatever nature enclosing the container, and the particulars must be clearly and distinctly set out and not in any way obscured or obliterated.
- (2) Where the poison is contained in an ampoule, cachet or similar article, it shall not be necessary to label the article itself if every box, or other covering in which the article is enclosed, is duly labelled.
- (3) Nothing in the said paragraph (d) or in Regulations 17 to 22 shall require the labelling of any transparent cover or any wrapper, hamper, packing case, crate or other covering used solely for the purposes of transport or delivery.

Labelling of name of poison

- 18.—(1) Subject as hereinafter provided, for the purposes of paragraph (d)(i) of subsection (1) of section 27 of the Act and of paragraph (3)(a) of Regulation 27 the name of a poison shall be:—
  - (a) where the term under which a poison is included in the Poisons Schedule describes the poison specifically,

(i) the said term; or

(ii) the name published by the General Medical Council as the approved

name of the poison; or

(iii) if the poison is the subject of a monograph in the British Pharmacopoeia, the British Pharmaceutical Codex, or the British Veterinary Codex, one of the names or synonyms or abbreviated names set out at the head of the monograph;

(b) where the said term describes a group of poisons and not the poison specifically.

- (i) if the poison is the subject of a monograph in the British Pharmacopoeia, the British Pharmaceutical Codex, or the British Veterinary Codex, one of the names or synonyms or abbreviated names set out at the end of the monograph; and
- (ii) in any other case, the accepted scientific name or the name descriptive of the true nature and origin of the poison, or the name published by the General Medical Council as the approved name of the poison.

(2) For the purposes aforesaid it shall, in the case of:—

(a) a substance which is the subject of a monograph in the British Pharmacopoeia, the British Pharmaceutical Codex, or the British Veterinary Codex, or any dilution, concentration or admixture of such a substance:

- (b) a preparation contained in the British Pharmacopoeia, the British Pharmaceutical Codex, the British National Formulary, or the British Veterinary Codex, or any dilution, concentration or admixture of such a preparation; or
- (c) a surgical dressing for which a standard is prescribed in the British Pharmaceutical Codex,

be sufficient, notwithstanding anything in the foregoing paragraph of this Regulation, to state the name, synonym or abbreviated name used to describe the substance, preparation or surgical dressing in the British Pharmacopoeia, the British Pharmaceutical Codex, the British National Formulary, or the British Veterinary Codex, with the addition of the letters "B.P.", "B.P.C.", "B.N.F.", or "B.Vet.C.", as the case may be.

- (3) For the purposes aforesaid it shall, in the case of a preparation containing a poison specified in the first column of the Sixth Schedule, be sufficient, notwithstanding anything in the first paragraph of this Regulation, to state the name of the poison or substances mentioned in the second column of the said Schedule in respect of which the proportion of the poison to the total ingredients of the preparation is in accordance with the provisions paragraph (2) of Regulation 19 expressed.
- (4) For the purposes aforesaid it shall, in the case of a preparation derived from nux vomica or from opium and containing one or more alkaloids of nux vomica or of opium named in the Poisons Schedule, be sufficient notwith-standing anything in the first paragraph of this Regulation to state the name of strychnine or morphine, as the case may be, or one of the names or abbreviated names of strychnine or morphine, as the case may be, set out at the head of the monographs in the British Pharmacopoeia, the British Pharmaceutical Codex, or the British Veterinary Codex.

Labelling of particulars as to proportion of the poison

- 19.—(1) For the purposes of paragraph (d)(ii) of subsection (1) of section 27 of the Act (which requires preparations containing poisons to be labelled with the prescribed particulars as to the proportion of poison therein) the label of the container of any preparation containing a poison as one of the ingredients shall, subject as hereinafter provided, include a statement of the proportion which the poison bears to the total ingredients of the preparation.
- (2) In the case of a preparation containing a poison specified in the first column of the Sixth Schedule, it shall be sufficient to state on the label the particulars specified in the second column of that Schedule against the description of the poison.
- (3) In the case of a preparation derived from nux vomica or from opium and containing one or more alkaloids of nux vomica or of opium named in the Poisons Schedule, it shall be sufficient so far as those alkaloids are concerned to state on the label the proportion of strychnine or of morphine, as the case may be, contained in the preparation.
- (4) In the case of a substance, preparation or surgical dressing which is named in accordance with paragraph (2) of the last foregoing Regulation, it shall not be necessary to state on the label the proportion of the poison contained in the substance, preparation or surgical dressing and, in the case of any dilution, concentration or admixture of such a substance or preparation, it shall be sufficient to state the proportion which the substance or preparation bears to the total ingredients of the dilution, concentration or admixture.

- (5) Where the poison is in tablets, pills, cachets, capsules, lozenges or similar articles, or in ampoules, it shall be sufficient to state on the label of the box or other covering in which the articles are enclosed the number of the articles and the amount of the poison, or in the case of such a preparation as is mentioned in the last foregoing paragraph, the amount of the preparation, contained in each article.
- (6) Where any preparation is stated as a percentage, the statement shall indicate whether the percentage is calculated on the basis of weight in weight, weight in volume, or volume in volume.

# Indication of character of the poison

- 20.—(1) In pursuance of paragraph (d)(iii) of section 27(1) of the Act (which requires the containers of poisons to be labelled with the word "Poison" or other prescribed indication of character) the container of any article specified in the Seventh Schedule shall instead of being labelled with the word "Poison" be labelled with the words specified in the said schedule as applicable to that article.
- (2) The said words or the word "Poison", as the case may be, must not be modified in meaning by the addition of any other words or marks, and:—
  - (a) in the case of a substance included in the First Schedule, must either be in red lettering or be set against a red background; and
  - (b) in all cases must either be on a separate label or be surrounded by a line within which there must be no other words except words with which the container of the poison is required to be labelled under the Act or these Regulations.

# Special cautions in the case of certain articles

- 21.—(1) It shall not be lawful to sell or supply any poison:—
- (a) in the case of a liquid other than a medicine, contained in a bottle of a capacity of not more than 120 fluid ounces, unless the bottle is labelled with the words "Not to be taken";
- (b) in the case of an embrocation, liniment, lotion, liquid antiseptic or other liquid medicine for external application, unless the container is labelled with the name of the article and the words "For external use only".
- (2) It shall not be lawful to sell or supply any compressed hydrogenic acid, unless the container is labelled with the words "Warning. This container holds poisonous gas and should only be opened and used by persons having expert knowledge of the precautions to be taken in its use".
- (3) This Regulation shall be in addition to the other requirements of the Act and of these Regulations with respect to labelling and shall apply to transactions exempted by section 28 of the Act, but shall not apply to the sale or supply of poisons to be exported to purchasers outside the United Kingdom.

## Name of seller and address of premises

- 22.—(1) The provisions of paragraph (d)(iv) of subsection (1) of section 27 of the Act (which requires the container of a poison to be labelled with the name of the seller and the address of the premises on which it was sold) shall not apply in the case of an article sold for the purpose of being sold again in the same container.
- (2) The requirements of the said paragraph shall be deemed to be satisfied, in the case of a poison supplied from a warehouse or depot, if the container

of the poison is labelled with the address of the supplier's principal place of business or, in the case of a limited company, of the registered office of the company.

- (3) Where any poison is sold in a container and outer covering, being the container and covering in which it was obtained by the seller, it shall be sufficient if the name of the seller and the address of the premises on which it was sold appear only on the outer covering.
- (4) Where the names of more than one person or more than one address appear on any label, there must also be words on the label indicating clearly which person is the seller and at which of the addresses the poison was sold.

## Forms of containers

- 23.—(1) It shall not be lawful to sell, whether wholesale or retail, or supply any poison unless:—
  - (a) it is contained in a container impervious to the poison and sufficiently stout to prevent leakage arising from the ordinary risks of handling and transport; and
  - (b) in the case of a liquid contained in a bottle of a capacity of not more than one hundred and twenty fluid ounces, not being:—
    - (i) a medicine made up ready for the internal treatment of human or animal ailments, or
    - (ii) a local anaesthetic for injection in the treatment of human or animal ailments, or
    - (iii) a sterile ophthalmic solution in a single dose sterile bottle enclosed in a sealed container,
    - the outer surface of the bottle is fluted vertically with ribs or grooves recognisable by touch.
- (2) Sub-paragraph (a) of the foregoing paragraph shall apply to transactions exempted by section 28 of the Act, and sub-paragraph (b) shall not apply to the sale or supply of poisons to be exported to purchasers outside the United Kingdom or the sale or supply of poisons to a person or institution concerned with scientific education or research or chemical analysis, for the purposes of that education, research or analysis.

## STORAGE AND TRANSPORT

#### Storage of poisons

- 24.—(1) It shall not be lawful to store any poison except in a container impervious to the poison and sufficiently stout to prevent leakage from the container arising from the ordinary risks of handling.
- (2) It shall not be lawful to store any substance included in the First Schedule in any retail shop or premises used in connection therewith unless the substance is stored:—
  - (a) in a cupboard or drawer reserved solely for the storage of poisons; or
  - (b) in a part of the premises which is partitioned off or otherwise separated from the remainder of the premises and to which customers are not permitted to have access; or
  - (c) on a shelf reserved solely for the storage of poisons and:—
    - (i) no food is kept directly under the shelf; and
    - (ii) the container of the substance is rendered distinguishable by touch from the containers of articles and substances other than poisons stored upon the same premises:

Provided that, in the case of any such substance to be used in agriculture or horticulture, it shall not be lawful to store the substance on any shelf or in any such part of the premises as aforesaid if food is kept in that part, or in any cupboard or drawer unless the cupboard or drawer is reserved solely for the storage of poisons to be used as aforesaid.

Transport of poisons

25. It shall not be lawful to consign any poison for transport unless it is sufficiently stoutly packed to avoid leakage arising from the ordinary risks of handling and transport.

Special provisions with respect to the transport of poisons in the Eighth Schedule

- 26.—(1) It shall not be lawful to consign for transport by carrier any poison included in the Eighth Schedule unless the outside of the package containing the article is labelled conspicuously with the name or description of the poison as set forth in the said Schedule and a notice indicating that it is to be kept separate from food and from empty containers in which food has been contained.
- (2) It shall not be lawful for any person knowingly to transport any such poison as aforesaid, either on his own behalf or for another person, in any vehicle in which food is being transported, unless the food is carried in a part of the vehicle effectively separated from that containing the poison, or is otherwise adequately protected from the risk of contamination.
  - (3) This Regulation shall not apply with respect to medicines.

# SPECIAL PROVISIONS WITH RESPECT TO HOSPITALS

Supply of medicines to out-patients from certain hospitals, etc.

27.—(1) The provisions of Part III of the Act and of these Regulations, except the provisions of Regulation 21 shall not apply with respect to:—

- (a) any medicine for the treatment of human ailments dispensed from a hospital, infirmary or dispensary maintained by any public authority, or out of public funds, or by a charity;
- (b) any medicines for the treatment of animals supplied from a veterinary hospital which is under the superintendence of a registered veterinary surgeon or a registered veterinary practitioner;

if the requirements contained in the following provisions of this Regulation are satisfied in relation thereto.

- (2) The medicine must not be supplied except by, or on and in accordance with a prescription of, a duly qualified medical practitioner for the purposes of medical treatment, or a registered dentist for the purposes of dental treatment, or a registered veterinary surgeon or a registered veterinary practitioner for the purposes of animal treatment.
- (3) In a case where a substance included in the First Schedule is supplied, a record must be kept on the premises in such a way that there can readily be traced at any time during a period of two years after the date on which the substance was supplied the following particulars:—
  - (a) the name and quantity of the poison supplied; and
  - (b) the date on which the poison was supplied; and
  - (c) the name and address of the person to whom the poison was supplied; and

(d) the name of the person who supplied the poison or who gave the prescription upon which it was supplied:

Provided that this paragraph shall not apply to a medicine supplied on and in accordance with a prescription given by a duly qualified medical practitioner or registered dentist under and in accordance with the Health Services Act (Northern Ireland) 1948.

- (4) The container of the medicine must be labelled:—
- (a) with a designation and address sufficient to identify the hospital, infirmary, dispensary or institution from which it was supplied;
- (b) except in the case of a medicine made up ready for treatment, with the word "Poison";
- (c) in the case of a poison supplied from a veterinary hospital, with the words "For animal treatment only";

and in the case of a medicine to which Regulation 21 applies the requirements of that Regulation shall be satisfied in addition to the requirements aforesaid.

Supply of medicines for use in hospitals, etc.

- 28.—(1) This and the next following Regulation apply to any hospital, infirmary, dispensary, clinic, nursing home, or other institution at which human ailments are treated (hereinafter referred to as "an institution").
- (2) In any institution in which medicines are dispensed in a dispensing or pharmaceutical department in charge of a person appointed for that purpose, no medicine containing a poison shall be supplied from that department for use in the wards, operating theatres or other sections of the institution, except in accordance with the requirements contained in the following provisions of this Regulation.
- (3) The medicines must not be supplied except upon a written order signed by a duly qualified medical practitioner, registered dentist, or by a sister or nurse in charge of a ward, theatre or other section of the institution:

Provided that in the case of emergency a medicine containing a poison may be supplied, notwithstanding that no such written order is produced, on an undertaking by the person ordering the medicine to furnish such a said written order within twenty-four hours next following.

- (4) The container of the medicine must be labelled:—
- (a) with words describing its contents;
- (b) in the case of substances included in the First Schedule, with a distinguishing mark or other indication indicating that the poison is to be stored in a cupboard reserved solely for the storage of poisons.

# Storage of poisons in institutions

- 29.—(1) In any institution in which medicines are dispensed in a dispensing or pharmaceutical department in charge of a person appointed for the purpose, all poisons other than those issued for use within the institution must be stored in that department.
- (2) In any institution to which the foregoing paragraph does not apply all poisons other than those issued for use within the institution must be stored:—
  - (a) in charge of a person appointed for the purpose by the governing body or person in control of the institution; and

(b) in the case of substances which are included in the First Schedule, either in a cupboard or drawer, or on a shelf, reserved solely for the storage of poisons and other dangerous substances.

In the case where a poison is stored on a shelf, the container of the poison must be rendered distinguishable by touch from the containers of articles other than poisons stored on the same premises.

- (3) In every institution, every substance included in the First Schedule which is stored in the wards must be stored in a cupboard reserved solely for the storage of poisons and other dangerous substances.
- (4) All places in which poisons are required by this Regulation to be stored must be inspected at regular intervals of time not exceeding three months by a pharmaceutical chemist or by some other person appointed for the purpose by the governing body or person in control of the institution.

## SALE OF POISONS INCLUDED IN PART II OF THE POISONS SCHEDULE BY REGISTERED SELLERS

Form of application to a local authority for registration (Ninth Schedule)

- **30.**—(1) Every application made to a local authority for registration in pursuance of section 30 of the Act shall be made in the form set out in the Ninth Schedule.
- (2) A person registered by a local authority shall not be entitled to sell or keep open shop for the sale of poisons, except from or on the premises specified in the form of application within the area of that authority.

Fees to be paid by registered sellers

- 31. The following fees shall be paid to a local authority by every person whose name is entered on the register kept by that authority:—
  - (a) in respect of the entry of his name on the register, a fee of ten shillings:
  - (b) in respect of making any alteration in the register in relation to the premises on which he is entitled to sell, a fee of two shillings and sixpence; and
  - (c) in respect of the retention of his name on the register in any year subsequent to the year in which his name is first entered therein, a fee of five shillings:

Provided that, in the case of a person whose name is entered in or retained on the list as a person entitled to sell on more than one set of premises, the fees payable shall be increased:—

(i) in the case of the entry of his name, by the sum of ten shillings for each additional set of premises on which he is entitled to sell; and

(ii) in the case of the retention of his name, by the sum of five shillings for each such additional set of premises.

Form of Register (Tenth Schedule)

32. Every local authority shall keep a register in the form set out in the Tenth Schedule.

## MISCELLANEOUS

Manufacture of pharmaceutical preparations

33.—(1) In all establishments in which pharmaceutical preparations containing any poison are manufactured for the purpose of the internal treatment of human ailments, the preparation must be manufactured by, or under the supervision of:—

- (a) a registered pharmaceutical chemist, chemist and druggist or druggist, or
- (b) a person holding the degree of Bachelor of Science (Pharmaceutics), or
- (c) a person having one of the following qualifications in chemistry,
  - (i) the Fellowship of the Royal Institute of Chemistry;
  - (ii) the Associateship of the Royal Institute of Chemistry:

Provided that this Regulation shall not apply to the manufacture by or under the supervision of a duly qualified medical practitioner of preparations containing pituitary, suprarenal or thyroid glands, the active principles of any of those glands or the salts of the active principles of thyroid gland.

(2) In all establishments in which poisons for the treatment of human ailments are sold by way of wholesale dealing and wherein the breaking of bulk, or repacking and relabelling of the poisons takes place, the department in which the poisons are stored must be in the charge of a person holding any of the qualifications set out in the foregoing paragraph (1) and this person must supervise the labelling of all poisons sold or supplied.

Certificates of persons to whom poisons may be sold (Eleventh Schedule)

- 34.—(1) A certificate given for the purposes of paragraph (a) of subsection (2) of section 27 of the Act, being a certificate certifying a person to be a person to whom a poison may properly be sold, shall be in the form and shall contain the particulars set out in the Eleventh Schedule.
- (2) All householders are hereby authorised to give such certificates as aforesaid:

Provided that a certificate given by a householder who is not known to the seller of the poison to be a responsible person of good character shall not be a sufficient certificate for the purposes of the said paragraph unless it is endorsed in the manner specified in the said Eleventh Schedule by a police officer in charge of a police station.

(3) On any sale of a poison upon such a certificate as aforesaid, the certificate shall be retained by the seller.

Form of record of sales (Twelfth Schedule)

35. The particulars of sales of poisons which are required by paragraph (b) of subsection (2) of section 27 of the Act to be entered in a book shall be entered in the form set out in the Twelfth Schedule.

# Preservation of records

36. All books kept for the purposes of Part III of the Act shall be preserved on the premises on which the sales recorded therein were made for a period of two years from the date on which the last entry was made therein.

#### Revocation

- 37.—(1) The Regulations specified in the Eighteenth Schedule to these Regulations are hereby revoked.
  - (2) Notwithstanding anything in paragraph (1) of this Regulation:
  - (a) any authority or certificate issued before the coming into operation of these Regulations under Regulation 15 of the Poisons Regulations (Northern Ireland) 1960(a) and still in force shall continue in force for

- the same time as if these Regulations had not been made and shall be deemed to have been issued under the corresponding provisions of Regulation 16 of these Regulations.
- (b) any record required to be kept under Regulation 26(3) of the Poisons Regulations (Northern Ireland) 1960 and any book required under Regulation 35 of those Regulations to be preserved in accordance therewith shall be kept or preserved in the same manner and for the same period as if these Regulations had not been made.

Dated this 23rd day of May 1967.

Wm. Craig,
Minister of Home Affairs.

#### **SCHEDULES**

# FIRST SCHEDULE

Regulations 6 and 13

Substances falling within the Poisons Schedule to which special restrictions apply unless exempted by Regulation 10

Acetyldihydrocodeine; its salts

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

Aconite, alkaloids of, except substances containing less than 0.02 per cent. of the alkaloids of aconite

Atropine except substances containing less than 0.15 per cent. of atropine or not more than one per cent. of atropine methonitrate

Belladonna alkaloids of, except substances containing less than 0.15 per cent. of the alkaloids of belladonna, calculated as hyoscyamine

Brucine except substances containing less than 0.2 per cent. of brucine Calabar bean, alkaloids of

Coca, alkaloids of, except substances containing less than 0.1 per cent. of the alkaloids of coca

Cocaine except substances containing less than 0.1 per cent. of cocaine Codeine except substances containing less than 1.5 per cent. of codeine

Colchicum, alkaloids of, except substances containing less than 0.5 per cent. of the alkaloids of colchicum calculated as colchicine

Coniine except substances containing less than 0.1 per cent. of coniine Cotarnine except substances containing less than 0.2 per cent. of cotarnine

Curare, alkaloids of; curare bases Ecgonine: its esters; except substances containing less than the equivalent of 0.1 per cent. of ecgonine

Emetine except substances containing less than one per cent, of emetine

Ergot, alkaloids of, whether hydrogenated or not; their homologues; any salt of any substances falling within this item

Gelsemium, alkaloids of, except substances containing less than 0.1 per cent. of the alkaloids of gelsemium

Homatropine except substances containing less than 0.15 per cent. of homatropine

Hyoscine except substances containing less than 0.15 per cent. of hyoscyamine except substances containing less than 0.15 per cent. of hyoscyamine

Jaborandi, alkaloids of, except substances containing less than 0.5 per cent. of the alkaloids of jaborandi

Lobelia, alkaloids of, except substances containing less than 0.5 per cent. of the alkaloids of lobelia

Morphine except substances containing less than 0.2 per cent. of morphine calculated as anhydrous morphine

Vicotine

Papaverine except substances containing less than one per cent. of papaverine Pomegranate, alkaloids of, except substances containing less than 0.5 per cent. of the alkaloids of pomegranate

Quebracho, alkaloids of

Sabadilla, alkaloids of, except substances containing less than one per cent. of the alkaloids of sabadilla

Solanaceous alkaloids, not otherwise included in this Schedule, except substances containing less than 0.15 per cent, of solanaceous alkaloids calculated as hyoscyamine

Stavesacre, alkaloids of, except substances containing less than 0.2 per cent. of the alkaloids of stavesacre

Strychnine except substances containing less than 0.2 per cent. of strychnine Thebaine except substances containing less than one per cent. of thebaine Veratrum, alkaloids of, except substances containing less than one per cent.

of the alkaloids of veratrum

Yohimba, alkaloids of Allylisopropylacetylurea

Allylprodine; its salts Alphameprodine; its salts Alphaprodine; its salts

Amino-alcohols esterified with benzoic acid, phenylacetic acid, phenylpropionic acid, cinnamic acid or the derivatives of these acids, except substances containing less than ten per cent. of esterified amino-alcohols and except procaine when in a preparation containing any substance to which Part II of the Therapeutic Substances Act 1956(a) for the time being applies; their salts

Anileridine; its salts

Antimonial poisons except substances containing less than the equivalent of one per cent. of antimony trioxide

Apiol and Oil of Parsley

Apomorphine; its salts; except substances containing less than 0.2 per cent. of

apomorphine

Arsenical poisons except substances containing less than the equivalent of 0.01 per cent. of arsenic trioxide and except dentifrices containing less than 0.5 per cent. of acetarsol

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
Benzethidine; its salts
Benzoylmorphine; its salts
Benzylmorphine; its salts
Betameprodine; its salts
Betaprodine; its salts
Busulphan; its salts

Cannabis; the resin of cannabis; extracts of cannabis; tinctures of cannabis; cannabin tannate

Cantharidin except substances containing less than 0.01 per cent. of cantharidin Cantharidates except substances containing less than the equivalent of 0.01 per cent. of cantharidin

Carbachol

Carperidine; its salts Clonitazene; its salts Dehydroemetine; its salts Demecarium bromide Desomorphine: its salts

Dextromethorphan; its salts; except substances containing less than 1.5 per cent.

of dextromethorphan Dextromoramide; its salts Dextrorphan; its salts Diacetylmorphine; its salts Diacetylnalorphine; its salts Diampromide; its salts

Digitalis; glycosides and other active principles of except substances containing less than one unit of activity (as defined in the British Pharmacopoeia) in two grammes of the substance

Dihydrocodeine; its salts

Dihydrocodeinone; its salts; its esters; their salts Dihydromorphine; its salts; its esters; their salts Dimenoxadole; its salts

Dimepheptanol; its salts

Dinitrocresols (DNOC); their compounds with a metal or a base; except winter washes containing not more than the equivalent of five per cent. of dinitrocresols Dinitronaphthols; dinitrophenols; dinitrothymols

Dinosam; its compounds with a metal or a base Dinoseb; its compounds with a metal or a base

Dioxaphetyl butyrate; its salts

Diphenoxylate; its salts; except (a) pharmaceutical preparations in solid or liquid form containing not more than 2.5 milligrammes of diphenoxylate calculated as base and not less than 25 microgrammes of atropine calculated as atropine

sulphate per dosage unit and containing no other substance to which any Part of the Dangerous Drugs Act 1965(a) applies and (b) liquid preparations containing 0.5 milligrammes diphenoxylate hydrochloride 0.005 milligrammes atropine sulphate, 0.16 millilitres ethyl alcohol, 0.002 millilitres imitation cherry flavour, 0.45 millilitres glycerine, 0.4 millilitres sorbital solution (70 per cent.), 0.01 milligrammes red dye colour index No. 14700 (F.D. 4C. Red No. 4), 0.0008 millilitres water

Dipipanone: its salts

Disulfiram

Dithienylallylamines; dithienylalkylallylamines; their salts

Dyflos

Ecothiopate iodide

Endosulfan

Endothal: its salts

Endrin

Ethylmorphine; its salts; except substances containing less than 0.2 per cent. of ethylmorphine

Etonitazene; its salts Etoxeridine; its salts Fentanyl; its salts

Fluoroacetamide; fluoroacetanilide

Furethidine; its salts

Gallamine; its salts; its quaternary compounds

Guanidines, the following:-

polymethylene diguanidines; di-p-anisyl-p-phenetylguanidine

Hydrocyanic acid except substances containing less than 0.15 per cent., weight in weight, of hydrocyanic acid (HCN); cyanides except substances containing less than the equivalent of 0.1 per cent., weight in weight, of hydrocyanic acid (HCN); double cyanides of mercury and zinc

Hydromorphinol; its salts Hydromorphone; its salts; its esters; their salts

Hvdroxypethidine; its salts

Isomethadone (isoamidone); its salts

Ketobemidone; its salts Laudexium; its salts

Lead, compounds of, with acids from fixed oils

Levomethorphan; its salts Levomoramide; its salts

Levophenacylmorphan; its salts

Levorphanol; its salts Mannomustine; its salts Mebezonium iodide

Mercaptopurine; its salts; derivatives of mercaptopurine; their salts

Mercuric chloride execpt substances containing less than one per cent, of mercuric chloride; mercuric iodide except substances containing less than two per cent, of mercuric iodide; nitrates of mercury except substances containing less than the equivalent of three per cent., weight in weight of mercury (Hg); potassiomercuric iodides except substances containing less than the equivalent of one per cent. of mercuric iodide; organic compounds of mercury except substances, not being aerosols, containing less than the equivalent of 0.2 per cent., weight in weight, of mercury (Hg)

Metazocine; its salts Methadone (amidone); its salts Methadyl acetate; its salts Methyldesorphine; its salts Methyldihydromorphine; its salts

1-Methyl-4-phenylpiperidine-4-carboxylic acid, esters of; their 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 Normethadone; its salts m-Nitrophenol; n-nitrophenol; p-nitrophenol Noracymethadol; its salts Norcodeine; its salts Norlevorphanol; its salts Normorphine; its salts Norpipanone Nux Vomica except substances containing less than 0.2 per cent. of strychnine Opium except substances containing less than 0.2 per cent. of morphine calculated as anhydrous morphine Organo-tin compounds, the following: Compounds of fentin Ouabain Oxycinchoninic acid, derivatives of; their salts; their esters Oxycodone; its salts; its esters; their salts Oxymorphone; its salts Pennyroyal and its oil Phenacemide Phenadoxone; its salts Phenampromide; its salts Phenampromide; its salts
Phenazocine; its salts
Phencyclidine; its salts
Phenomorphan; its salts
Phenomorphan; its salts Phenoperidine; its salts Phenylcinchoninic acid; salicylcinchoninic acid; their salts; their esters Pholodine; its salts, except substances containing less than 1.5 per cent. of Phosphorus compounds, the following:— Amiton Azinphos-ethyl Azinphos-methyl Demeton-O Demeton-S Demeton-O-methyl Demeton-S-methyl Dichlorvos Diethyl 4-methyl-7-coumarinyl phosphorothionate Diethyl p-nitrophenyl phosphate Dimefox Disulfoton Ethyl-p-nitrophenyl phenylphosphonothionate Mazidox Mecarbam Mevinphos Mipafox · Oxydemeton-methyl Parathion Phenkapton Phorate Phosphamidon Schroden Schradan Sulfotep TEPP (HETP) Thionazin Triphosphoric pentadimethylamide Vamidothion

Picrotoxin

Piminodine; its salts

Polymethylenebistrimethylammonium salts

Proheptazine; its salts Propoxyphene; its salts Racemethorphan; its salts Racemoramide; its salts Racemorphan; its salts Savin, oil of

Strophanthus, glycosides of

Thallium, salts of

Thebacon: its salts: its esters: their salts 2-Thiouracil; its alkyl derivatives

Thiourea; its salts Tretamine; its salts Triaziquone Trimeperidine; its salts Zinc phosphide

#### SECOND SCHEDULE

## Poisons exempted by Regulation 5(2) from labelling provisions when sold or supplied in certain circumstances

Alkali fluorides

Ammonia

Antimony, chlorides of; oxides of antimony; sulphides of antimony; antimonates; antimonites

Chloroform •

Dinitrocresols (DNOC)

Dinitronaphthols; dinitrophenols

Formaldehyde

Formic acid Glyceryl trinitrate Hydrochloric acid

Hydrofluoric acid; sodium silicofluoride

Lead acetates; compounds of lead with acids from fixed oils

Mercuric chloride; mercuric iodide; organic compounds of mercury Mercury; oxides of; nitrates of mercury Nitric acid

Nitrobenzene

m-Nitrophenol; o-nitrophenol; p-nitrophenol

Oxalic acid; metallic oxalates

Phenols; compounds of phenol with a metal

Phosphorus, yellow

Picric acid

Potassium hydroxide . Sodium hydroxide

Sulphuric acid

#### THIRD SCHEDULE

# Articles exempted by Regulation 11 from the provisions of the Act and of these Regulations

#### GROUP I

#### GENERAL EXEMPTIONS

Adhesives; anti-fouling compositions; builders' materials; ceramics; distempers; electrical valves; enamels; explosives; fillers; fireworks; fluorescent lamps; glazes; glue; inks; lacquer solvents; loading materials; matches; motor fuels and lubricants; paints other than pharmaceutical paints; photographic paper; pigments; plastics; propellants; rubber; varnishes.

#### GROUP II

#### SPECIAL EXEMPTIONS

Poison
Acetanilide; alkyl acetanilides

Alkaloids the following:— Brucine

Emetine

Ephedra, alkaloids of

Jaborandi, alkaloids of

Lobelia, alkaloids of

Nicotine

Pomegranate, alkaloids of Solanaceous alkaloids

Stavesacre, alkaloids of

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

Ammonia

Substance or article in which exempted Substances not being preparations for the treatment of human ailments

Surgical spirit containing not more than 0.015 per cent. of brucine

Ipecacuanha; extracts and tinctures of ipecacuanha; substances containing less than 0.05 per cent. of emetine Substances containing less than one per cent. of the alkaloids of ephedra

Substances containing less than 0.025 per cent. of the alkaloids of jaborandi

Preparations for the relief of asthma in the form of cigarettes, smoking mixtures or fumigants; substances containing less than 0.1 per cent. of the alkaloids of lobelia

Tobacco; preparations with a soap base, containing not more than 7.5 per cent. of nicotine, weight in weight; aerosols containing not more than 0.2 per cent. of nicotine, weight in weight

Pomegranate bark

Stramonium contained in preparations for the relief of asthma in the form of cigarettes, smoking mixtures or fumigants

Soaps; ointments; lotions for external

Feeding stuffs containing not more than 0.5 per cent. of total sulphonamides; sulphaquinoxaline when contained, to a concentration not exceeding 0.5 per cent., in preparations for the destruction of rats and mice

Substances not being solutions of ammonia or preparations containing solutions of ammonia; substances containing less than five per cent., weight in weight, of ammonia (NH<sub>3</sub>); refrigerators; smelling bottles

Androgenic, oestrogenic and progestational substances, the following: -

Benzoestrol

Derivatives of stilbene, dibenzyl or naphthalene with oestro-genic activity; their esters Steroid compounds with andro-

genic or oestrogenic or progestational activity; esters

Anti-histamine substances, the following; their salts; their molecular compounds:-

Antazoline

Bromodiphenhydramine

Buclizine

Carbinoxamine

Chlorcyclizine

Chlorpheniramine

Cinnarizine Clemizole

Cyclizine

**3-Di-***n***-butylaminomethyl-4**, 5,

6-trihydroxyphthalide

Diphenhydramine Diphenylpyraline

Doxylamine

Isothipendyl

Mebhydrolin

Meclozine

Phenindamine

Pheniramine

Phenyltoloxamine

Promethazine

Pyrrobutamine

Thenalidine

Tolpropamine Triprolidine

Substances being tetra-substituted N derivatives of ethylene-

diamine or propylenediamine

Antimony chlorides of Arsenical poisons

Barium, salts of

Carbarsone

Chloroform

Creosote obtained from wood

Diamines, the following; their salts: - phenylene diamines; tolylene diamines; other alkylatedbenzene diamines

Substance or article in which exempted Preparations intended for external application only

Preparations intended for external application only and preparations containing not more than one per cent. of anti-histamine substances for application in the nose or eve

Polishes

Pyrites ores or sulphuric acid containing arsenical poisons as natural

impurities

Witherite other than finely ground witherite; barium carbonate bonded to charcoal for case hardening; fire extinguishers containing barium chloride

Poultry feeding stuffs containing not more than 0.0375 per cent. of

carbarsone

Substances containing less than ten per cent. of chloroform

Substances containing less than fifty per cent, of creosote obtained from wood

Substances other than preparations for the dyeing of hair

Dinitrocresols (DNOC); their compounds with a metal or a base

## Dinitrophenols

Dinosam; its compounds with a metal or a base

Dinoseb; its compounds with a metal or a base

Diperodon; its salts

#### Disulfiram

Formaldehyde

Formic acid

Hydrochloric acid

Hydrocyanic acid Lead acetate

Lead, compounds of
Mercuric chloride
Mercuric chloride; mercuric iodide;
organic compounds of mercury
Nitric acid

Nitrobenzene

p-Nitrobenzyl cyanide

Organo-tin compounds, the following:—
Compounds of fentin

Oxalic acid; metallic oxalates

Oxycinchoninic acid, derivatives of; their salts; their esters

Substance or article in which exempted

Substances being neither preparations for the treatment of human ailments nor preparations for use in agriculture or horticulture

Substances not being preparations for the treatment of human ailments

Substances not being preparations for use in agriculture or horticulture

Substances not being preparations for use in agriculture or horticulture

Preparations intended for external application only, containing not more than one per cent. of diperodon, calculated as anhydrous base

Substances not being preparations for the treatment of human ailments

Substances containing less than five per cent., weight in weight, of formaldehyde (H.CHO); photographic glazing or hardening solutions

Substances containing less than five per cent., weight in weight, of formic acid (H.COOH)

Substances containing less than nine per cent., weight in weight, of hydrochloric acid (HC1)

Syrup of wild cherry B.P.C.

Substances containing less than four per cent. of lead acetate

Machine-spread plasters

**Batteries** 

Dressings on seeds or bulbs

Substances containing less than nine per cent., weight in weight, of nitric acid (HNO<sub>2</sub>)

Substances containing less than 0·1 per cent. of nitrobenzene; soaps containing less than one per cent. of nitrobenzene; polishes

Photographic solutions containing less than the equivalent of 0·1 per cent., weight in weight, of hydrocyanic acid (HCN)

Substances other than preparations for use in agriculture or horticulture

Laundry blue; polishes; cleaning powders containing the equivalent of not more than ten per cent. of oxalic acid dihydrate

Preparations for external application only, containing not more than the equivalent of three per cent. of oxycinchoninic acid

Phenols

Phenyl mercuric salts

Phosphoric acid

Phosphorus compounds, the follow-

ing: —

Amiton Azinphos-ethyl Azinphos-methyl Demeton-O Demeton-S

Dichlorvos.

Mipafox

Diethyl 4-methyl-7-coumarinyl phosphorothionate Diethyl p-nitrophenyl phosphate Dimefox' Disulfoton Ethion Ethyl p-nitrophenyl phenylphosphonothionate Mazidox Mecarbam Mevinphos

Substance or article in which exempted

Carvacrol:

creosote obtained from coal tar: essential oils in which phenols occur naturally:

medicines containing less than one per cent. of phenols;

nasal sprays, mouth washes, pastilles, lozenges, capsules, pessaries, oint-ments or suppositories containing less than 2.5 per cent. of phenols;

smelling bottles;

soaps for washing;

solid substances, other than pastilles, lozenges, capsules, pessaries, ointments and suppositories, containing less than sixty per cent. of phenols; tar (coal or wood), crude or refined;

p-tertiary amyl phenol;

tertiary butyl-cresol; p-tertiary buty phenol;

p-(1, 1, 3, 3-tetramethylbutyl) phenol;

thymol

Toilet, cosmetic and therapeutic preparations containing not more than 0.01 per cent. of phenyl mercuric salts as a preservative; antiseptic dressings on toothbrushes; in textiles containing not more than 0.01 per cent. of phenyl mercuric salts as a bacteriostat and fungicide

Fluids containing phosphoric acid, not being descaling preparations containing more than fifty per cent., weight in weight, of

phosphoric acid

Substances other than preparations for use in agriculture or horticulture

Substances other than preparations for use in agriculture or horticulture,

not being preparations in-(a) impregnated materials containnot more than twenty per cent., weight in weight, of dichlorvos in a resinous or plastic case, or

(b) aerosols containing not more than 0.4 per cent., weight in

weight, of dichlorvos

Substances other than preparations for use in agriculture or horticulture

# Oxydemeton-methyl

Parathion
Phenkapton
Phorate
Phosphamidon
Schradan
Sulfotep
TEPP (HETP)
Thionazin
Triphosphoric pentadimethylamide
Vamidothion

Picric acid

Potassium hydroxide

Procaine

Sodium ethyl mercurithiosalicylate

Sodium fluoride

Sodium hydroxide

Sodium nitrite

Sodium silicofluoride

Sulphuric acid

Substance or article in which exempted

Substances other than preparations for use in agriculture or, except in aerosol canisters containing not more than 0.25 per cent., weight in weight, of oxydemeton-methyl, for use in horticulture

Substances other than preparations for use in agriculture or horticulture

Substances containing less than five per cent. of picric acid

Substances containing less than twelve per cent. of potassium hydroxide; accumulators; batteries

Feeding stuffs containing any substance to which Part II of the Therapeutic Substances Act 1956 for the time being applies

Therapeutic substances containing less than 0.1 per cent. of sodium ethyl mercurithiosalicylate as a preservative

Substances containing less than three per cent. of sodium fluoride as a preservative; dentifrices containing not more than 0.3 per cent. of sodium fluoride; mouth wash tablets containing not more than 0.2 per cent. of sodium fluoride

Substances containing less than twelve per cent. of sodium hydroxide

Substances other than preparations containing more than 0.1 per cent. of sodium nitrite for the destruction of rats or mice

Substances containing less than three per cent. of sodium silicofluoride as a preservative

Substances containing less than nine per cent., weight in weight, of sulphuric acid (H<sub>2</sub>SO<sub>4</sub>); accumulators; batteries and sealed containers in which sulphuric acid is packed together with car batteries for use in those batteries; fire extinguishers

#### FOURTH SCHEDULE

Regulations 5(3) and 12

Substances required to be sold by retail only upon a prescription given by a duly qualified medical practitioner, registered dentist, registered veterinary surgeon or registered veterinary practitioner

#### PART A

Allylisopropylacetylurea

Apiol and Oil of Parsley

Barbituric acid; its salts; derivatives of barbituric acid; their salts; compounds of barbituric acid, its salts, its derivatives, their salts, with any other substance

Busulphan; its salts

Demecarium bromide

Dinitrocresols (DNOC); their compounds with a metal or a base, except preparations for use in agriculture or horticulture

Dinitronaphthols; dinitrophenols; dinitrothymols

Disulfiram

Dithienylallylamines; dithienylalkylallylamines; their salts; except diethylthiambutene, dimethylthiambutene and ethylmethylthiambutene

Gallamine; its salts; its quaternary compounds

Mannomustine; its salts

Mercaptopurine: its salts; derivatives of mercaptopurine: their salts

Mustine and any other N-substituted derivatives of di-(2-chloroethyl)amine; their

Pennyroyal and its oil

Phenacemide

Phencyclidine; its salts

Phenylcinchoninic acid; salicylcinchoninic acid; their salts; their esters

Polymethylenebistrimethylammonium salts

Savin and its oil

Tretamine; its salts

2-Thiouracil; its alkyl derivatives

Thiourea: its salts

Triaziquone

#### PART B

Acetanilide; alkyl acetanilides

Acetohexamide Acetylcarbromal

Amidopyrine; its salts; amidopyrine sulphonates; 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; except when contained in ointments or surgical dressings or in preparations for the prevention and treatment of diseases in poultry

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, N-methylephedrine, N-diethylaminoethylephedrine, phenyl-propanolamine and prenylamine; any salt of any substance falling within this item

Amitriptyline: its salts

Androgenic, oestrogenic and progestational substances, the following:

Benzoestrol

Derivatives of stilbene, dibenzyl or naphthalene with oestrogenic activity; their

Steroid compounds with androgenic or oestrogenic or progestational activity; their esters

Azacyclonol; its salts Benactyzine; its salts

Benzhexol; its salts

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Benztropine and its homologues; their salts

Bromvaletone

Captodiame; its salts

Caramiphen; its salts; except tablets containing not more than the equivalent of 7.5 milligrammes of caramiphen base, and liquid preparations containing not more than the equivalent of 0.1 per cent. of caramiphen base

Carbromal

Carisoprodol

Chloral; its addition and its condensation products; their molecular compounds; except when contained, in the form of chloral hydrate, in preparations intended for external application only

Chlordiazepoxide; its salts

Chlormethiazole; its salts

Chlorothiazide and other derivatives of benzo-1, 2, 4-thiadiazine-7-sulphonamide 1, 1-dioxide, whether hydrogenated or not

Chlorphenoxamine

Chlorphentermine; its salts Chlorpropamide; its salts

Chlorprothixene and other derivatives of 9-methylenethiaxanthen; their salts

Chlorthalidone

Clorexolone

Cyclarbamate

Cycrimine; its salts

Desipramine; its salts

Diazepam and other compounds containing the chemical structure of dihydro-1,

4-benzodiazepine substituted to any degree; their salts

Diphenoxylate and its salts contained in (a) pharmaceutical preparations in solid or liquid form containing not more than 2.5 milligrammes of diphenoxylate calculated as base and not less than 25 microgrammes of atropine calculated as atropine sulphate per dosage unit and containing no other substance to which any Part of the Dangerous Drugs Act 1965 applies or (b) liquid preparations containing 0.5 milligrammes diphenoxylate hydrochloride, 0.005 milligrammes atropine sulphate, 0.16 millilitres ethyl alcohol, 0.002 millilitres imitation cherry flavour, 0.45 millilitres glycerine, 0.4 millilitres sorbital solution (70 per cent.), 0.01 milligrammes red dye colour index No. 14700 (F.D. 40. Red No. 4), 0.0008 millilitres water

Ectylurea

Emylcamate

Ethchlorvynol

Ethinamate

Ethionamide

Ethoheptazine; its salts

Fenfluramine; its salts Glutethimide; its salts

Haloperidol and other 4-substituted derivatives of N-(3-p-fluoro-benzoylpropyl) piperidine

Hexapropymate

Hydrazines, benzyl phenethyl or 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

Hydroxy-N, N-dimethyltryptamines; their esters or ethers; any salt of any substance

falling within this item

Hydroxyzine; its salts

Imipramine; its salts

Indomethacin; its salts

Mephenesin; its esters

Meprobamate

Metaxalone

Metformin; its salts Methaqualone; its salts

Methixene; its salts

Methocarbamol

Methoxsalen

Methylpentynol; its esters and other derivatives :

Methyprylone

Nortryptyline; its salts Orphenadrine; its salts

Oxethazaine

Oxyphenbutazone
Paramethadione
Pargyline; its salts
Pemoline; its salts
Phenaglycodol

Phenbutrazate

Phenetidylphenacetin

Phenformin; its salts

Phenothiazine, derivatives of, their salts; except dimethoxanate, its salts and promethazine, its salts and molecular compounds

Phenylbutazone; its salts

5-Phenylhydantoin; its alkyl and aryl derivatives; their salts

Pituitary gland, the active principles of; except when contained in preparations intended for external application only or, except in the case of lysinevasopressin or oxytocin, in inhalants

Procyclidine: its salts

Promoxolan

Propylhexedrine; its salts; except when contained in inhalers

Prothipendyl; its salts

Quinethazone

Rauwolfia, alkaloids of; their salts; derivatives of the alkaloids of rauwolfia; their salts

Styramate

Sulphinpyrazone

Sulphonal; alkyl sulphonals

Suprarenal gland medulla, the active principles of; their salts; except when contained in preparations intended for external application only or in inhalants, rectal preparations or preparations intended for use in the eye

Syrosingopine

Tetrabenazine; its salts Thalidomide; its salts

Thyroid gland, the active principles of, their salts

Tolbutamide

Tribromethyl alcohol

2, 2, 2-Trichloroethyl alcohol, esters of; their salts

Trimipramine: its salts

Troxidone

Zoxazolamine; its salts

#### PART C

The following substances and their preparations to be sold only on the prescription of a duly qualified medical practitioner, registered dentist, registered veterinary surgeon or registered veterinary practitioner, and on the order of a certified midwife

Ergot, alkaloids of, whether hydrogenated or not; their homologues; any salt of any substance falling within this item

### FIFTH SCHEDULE

Regulation 14(2)

#### PART A

# Form to which the substances specified are restricted when sold by registered sellers of Part II poisons

Poison

Antimony trichloride

Arsenical substances-

Arsenious oxide Arsenic sulphides Calcium arsenates

Calcium arsenites

Copper acetoarsenite

Copper arsenates

Copper arsenites

Lead arsenates

Sodium arsenates Sodium thioarsenates

Barium carbonate

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

Mercurial substances— Mercuric chloride

Mercuric iodide

Organic compounds of mercury

Nitrobenzene

Organo-tin compounds, the following:—

Compounds of fentin

Form to which sale is restricted

Solutions containing 28% W/V antimony trichloride in collodion for deborning cattle

dehorning cattle

Sheep dips, sheep washes Sheep dips, sheep washes

Preparations for use in agriculture or horticulture

Agricultural and horticultural insecticides or fungicides

Sheep dips, sheep washes Sheep dips, sheep washes

Preparations for the destruction of rats or mice

Preparations for use in agriculture or horticulture

Agricultural and horticultural fungicides, seed and bulb dressings, insecticides

Agricultural and horticultural fungicides, seed and bulb dressings

Agricultural and horticultural fungicides, seed and bulb dressings, solutions containing not more than five per cent., weight in volume, of phenyl mercuric acetate for use in swimming baths

Agricultural and horticultural insecticides; substances for the treatment of bee disease; ointments for the

treatment of animals

Preparations for use in agriculture or horticulture

Phosphorus compounds, the follow-

ing:-Amiton -

Azinphos-ethyl

Azinphos-methyl

Demeton-O

Demeton-S

Dichlorvos

Diethyl 4-methyl-7-coumarinyl phosphorothionate

Diethyl p-nitrophenyl phosphate

Dimefox

Disulfoton

Ethion

Ethyl p-nitrophenyl phenylphos-phonothionate

Mazidox

Mecarbam

Mevinphos

Mipafox

Oxydemeton-methyl

Parathion

Phenkapton

Phorate

Phosphamidon

Schradan

Sulfotep

TEPP (HETP) Thionazin

Triphosphoric pentadimethyla-

mide

Vamidothion

Zinc phosphide

Form to which sale is restricted

Preparations for use in agriculture or

horticulture

Preparations for the destruction of rats or mice

### PART B

Poisons which may be sold by registered sellers of Part II poisons only to persons engaged in the trade or business of agriculture or horticulture and for the purpose of that trade or business

Arsenical poisons other than lead arsenates, calcium arsenates and copper acetoarsenite

Dinitrocresols (DNOC); their compounds with a metal or a base; except winter washes containing not more than the equivalent of five per cent. of dinitrocresols

Dinosam; its compounds with a metal or a base

Dinoseb; its compounds with a metal or a base

Mercuric chlorides; mercuric iodides; organic compounds of mercury; except solutions containing not more than five per cent., weight in volume, of phenyl mercuric acetate for use in swimming baths

Organo-tin compounds, the following:

Compounds of fentin

Phosphoric compounds, the following:—

Amiton

Azinphos-ethyl

Azinphos-methyl

Demeton-O

Demeton-S

Dichlorvos

Diethyl 4-methyl-7-coumarinyl phosphorothionate

Diethyl p-nitrophenyl phosphate

Dimefox

Disulfoton

Ethion

Ethyl p-nitrophenyl phenylphosphonothionate

Mazidox

Mecarbam

Mevinphos

Mipafox, except in the form of a cap on a stick or wire

Oxydemeton-methyl

Parathion

Phenkapton

Phorate

Phosphamidon

Schradan

Sulfotep

Thionazin

Triphosphoric pentadimethylamide

Vamidothion

### SIXTH SCHEDULE

# Statement of particulars as to proportions of the poison in certain cases permitted by Regulations 18(3) and 19(2)

Poison

Alkaloids

Aconite, alkaloids of

Belladonna, alkaloids of Calabar bean, alkaloids of Coca, alkaloids of Colchicum, alkaloids of Ephedra, alkaloids of Ergot, alkaloids of Gelsemium, alkaloids of Jaborandi, alkaloids of Lobelia, alkaloids of Pomegranate, alkaloids of Quebracho, alkaloids of, other than the alkaloids of red quebracho Sabadilla, alkaloids of Solanaceous alkaloids not otherwise included in the Poisons Schedule Stavesacre, alkaloids of Veratrum, alkaloids of Yohibma, alkaloids of Antimonial poisons

Arsenical poisons

Barium, salts of

Digitalis, glycosides of; other active principles of digitalis

Hydrocyanic acid; cyanides; double cyanides of mercury and zinc

Particulars

The proportion of any one alkaloid of aconite that the preparation would be calculated to contain on the assumption that all the alkaloids of aconite in the preparation were that alkaloid

The same as above, with the substitution for the reference to aconite of a reference to belladonna, calabar bean or such other of the said poisons as the case may require

The proportion of antimony trioxide  $(Sb_2O_3)$  or antimony pentoxide  $(Sb_2O_5)$  that the preparation would be calculated to contain on the assumption that the antimony (Sb) in the poison had been wholly converted into antimony trioxide or antimony pentoxide as the case may be

The proportion of arsenic trioxide (As<sub>2</sub>O<sub>3</sub>) or arsenic pentoxide (As<sub>2</sub>O<sub>5</sub>) that the preparation would be calculated to contain on the assumption that the arsenic (As) in the poison had been wholly converted into arsenic trioxide or arsenic pentoxide as the case may be

The proportion of one particular barium salt which the preparation would be calculated to contain on the assumption that the barium (Ba) in the poison had been wholly converted into that salt

The number of units of activity as defined in the British Pharmacopoeia contained in a specified quantity of the preparation

The proportion of hydrocyanic acid

The proportion of hydrocyanic acid (HCN) that the preparation would be calculated to contain on the assumption that the cyanides in the poison had been wholly converted into hydrocyanic acid

Form to which sale is restricted Insulin

Lead, compounds of, with acids from fixed oils

Mercury, organic compounds of Nux Vomica

Opium

Phenols

Compounds of a phenol with a metal

Pituitary gland, the active principles of

Potassium hydroxide

Sodium hydroxide

Poison

The number of units of activity as defined in the British Pharmacopoeia contained in a specified quantity of the preparation

quantity of the preparation
The proportion of lead oxide (PbO)
that the preparation would be
calculated to contain on the assumption that the lead in the poison had
been wholly converted into lead
oxide

The proportion of organically-combined mercury (Hg) contained in the preparation

The proportion of strychnine contained in the preparation

The proportion of morphine contained in the preparation

The proportion of phenols (added together) contained in the preparation

The proportion of phenols (added together) that the preparation would be calculated to contain on the assumption that the compounds of phenols with a metal had been wholly converted into the corresponding phenols

Either-

 (a) the number of units of activity as defined in the British Pharmacopoeia contained in a specified quantity of the preparation; or

(b) the proportion of pituitary gland, or of anterior or of posterior lobe of the gland, as the case may be, contained in the preparation;

(c) the amount of pituitary gland, or of anterior or posterior lobe of the gland, as the case may be, from which a specified quantity of the preparation was obtained, together with an indication whether the amount relates to fresh or to dried gland substance

The proportion of potassium monoxide (K<sub>2</sub>O) which the preparation would be calculated to contain on the assumption that the potassium hydroxide in the preparation had been wholly converted into potassium monoxide

The proportion of sodium monoxide (Na<sub>2</sub>O) which the preparation would be calculated to contain on the assumption that the sodium hydroxide in the preparation had been wholly converted into sodium monoxide

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their salts

Poison

Strophanthus, glycosides of · · i - · '

Suprarenal gland medulla, the active principles of; their salts

Thyroid gland, the active principles of:

Poison

The amount of Standard Tincture of Strophanthus as defined in the British Pharmacopoeia 1948 which possesses the same activity as a specified quantity of the preparation when assayed by the method described in the said Pharmacopoeia

Either-

(a) the proportion of suprarenal gland or of the medulla of the gland, as the case may be, contained in the pre-

paration; or

(b) the amount of suprarenal gland or of the medulla of the gland, as the case may be, from which a specified quantity of the preparation was obtained, together with an indication whether the amount relates to fresh or to dried gland substance

Either-

(a) the proportion of thyroid gland contained in the preparation; or

(b) the amount of thyroid. gland from which a specified quantity of the preparation was obtained, together with an indication whether the amount relates to fresh or to dried gland

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### SEVENTH SCHEDULE

# Indication of character prescribed by Regulation 20 for the purposes of section 27(1)(d)(iii) of the Act

1. To be labelled with the words "Caution. It is dangerous to take this preparation except under medical supervision.":—

Medicines made up ready for the internal treatment of human ailments and containing insulin.

2. To be labelled with the words "Caution. It is dangerous to exceed the stated dose.":—

Medicines (other than medicines containing insulin) made up ready for the internal treatment of human ailments except in the case of a substance included in the First Schedule.

- 3. To be labelled with the words "Poison. For animal treatment only.":—
  Medicines made up ready for the treatment of animals.
- 4. To be labelled with the words "Caution. This preparation may cause serious inflammation of the skin in certain persons and should be used only in accordance with expert advice.":—

Preparations for dyeing of hair containing phenylene diamines, tolylene diamines or other alkylated-benzene diamines or their salts.

- 5. To be labelled with the words "Caution. This substance is caustic.":—
  Potassium hydroxide, sodium hydroxide, and articles containing either of those substances.
- 6. To be labelled with the words "Caution. This substance is poisonous. The inhalation of its vapour, mist, spray or dust may have harmful consequences. It may also be dangerous to let it come into contact with the skin or clothing.":—

Dinitrocresols (DNOC); their compounds with a metal or a base; except preparations for the treatment of human ailments and except winter washes containing not more than the equivalent of five per cent. of dinitrocresols.

Dinosam, its compounds with a metal or a base

Dinoseb, its compounds with a metal or a base

Endothal: its salts

Endrin

Endosulfan

Fluoroacetamide; fluoroacetanilide

Organic compounds of mercury in aerosols

Organo-tin compounds, the following:

Compounds of fentin

Phosphorus compounds, the following:—

Amiton

Azinphos-ethyl

Azinphos-methyl

Demeton-O

Demeton-S

Dichlorvos

Diethyl 4-methyl-7-coumarinyl phosphorothionate

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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

7. To be labelled with the words "Caution. This preparation should be administered only under medical supervision. The vapour is dangerous.":—

Medicines made up ready for the internal or external treatment of human ailments and containing dyflos.

8. To be labelled with the words "Caution. This substance is poisonous. Inhalation of the powder is dangerous. It is also dangerous to let the substance come into contact with the skin or clothing.":—

Monofluoroacetic acid: its salts.

9. To be labelled with the words "Caution. This may cause drowsiness. If affected, do not drive or operate machinery.":-

Medicines made up ready for the internal treatment of human ailments if the poison is one of the following:-

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-trihydroxyphthalide

Diphenhydramine

Diphenylpyraline

Doxylamine

Isothipendyl

Mebhydrolin

Meclozine

Phenindamine

Pheniramine

Phenyltoloxamine

Promethazine

**Pyrrobutamine** 

Thenalidine

Tolpropamine

Triprolidine

Substances being tetra-substituted N derivatives of ethylenediamine or propylenediamine

### EIGHTH SCHEDULE

Regulation 26

## Poisons required to be specially labelled for transport

Arsenical poisons

Barium, salts of

Dinitrocresols (DNOC); their compounds with a metal or a base, when contained in preparations for use in agriculture or horticulture, except winter washes containing not more than the equivalent of five per cent. of dinitrocresols.

Dinosam, its compounds with a metal or a base, when contained in preparations

for use in agriculture or horticulture.

Dinoseb, its compounds with a metal or a base, when contained in preparations for use in agriculture or horticulture.

Endosulfan

Endothal; its salts

Endrin

Fluoroacetamide; fluoroacetanilide

Hydrocyanic acid; cyanides

Monofluoroacetic acid; its salts

Nicotine, except in solid preparations containing less than four per cent. of nicotine.

Organo-tin compounds, the following: --

Compounds of fentin

Phosphorus compounds, the following: -

Amiton

Azinphos-ethyl

Azinphos-methyl

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

Phenkapio Phorate

Phosphamidon

Schradan

Sulfotep

TEPP (HETP)

Thionazin

Triphosphoric pentadimethylamide

Vamidothion

Strychnine

Thallium, salts of

# NINTH SCHEDULE

Regulation 30

Form of application have h	to be made to the nis name registered u	Local Authority by inder Section 30 of	a person desiring to the Act
FORM OF APPLIC	CATION TO LOCAL	L AUTHORITY FO	R REGISTRATION
THE MEDICINES	, PHARMACY AND POL	SONS ACT (NORTHER	n Ireland) 1945
I,		of	
hereby apply to ha	being engage ve my name entere e above Act in resp	d in the register ke	ept in pursuance of
as a person entitled the Poisons Schedul	to sell from those	premises poisons in	cluded in Part II of
I hereby nominate	a		•••••
Regulation 14 of the I undertake to c	ty (deputies) for the Poisons Regulations omply with the proven Ireland) 1945, and	(Northern Ireland) wisions of the Medic	in accordance with 1965. sines, Pharmacy and
	Signed	Date	
	TENTH SC	HEDULE	Regulation 32
Form of the Registe	er to be kept by loca of the		uance of Section 30
THE MEDICINES,	PHARMACY AND POIS	SONS ACT (NORTHER	n Ireland) 1945
List of persons en	ntitled to sell poison	s in Part II of the	Poisons Schedule
Full name	Address of premises	Description of business carried on at the premises	Name of deputy (or deputies) permitted to sell
	,		

# ELEVENTH SCHEDULE

# Certificate required by Regulation 34 for the purchase of a poison

For the purposes of sub-section $(2)(a)(i)$ of Section 27 of the Medicines, Pharmacy and Poisons Act (Northern Ireland) 1945, I, the undersigned, a householder occupying $(a)$
I further certify that (d) is the signature of the said (b)
Signature of householder giving Certificate.
Date
<ul> <li>(a) Insert full postal address.</li> <li>(b) Insert full name of intending purchaser.</li> <li>(c) Insert name of poison.</li> <li>(d) Intending purchaser to sign his name here.</li> </ul>
Endorsement required by para. (2) of Regulation 34 of the Poisons Regulations (Northern Ireland) 1965 to be made by a police officer in charge of a police station, when, but only when, the householder giving the certificate is not known to the seller of the poison to be a responsible person of good character.
I hereby certify that in so far as is known to the police of the district in which * resides he is a responsible person of good character.
Signature of Police Officer
Rank
In charge of Police Station at
Date
Office Stamp of Police Station.

<sup>\*</sup>Insert full name of householder giving the certificate.

Form of entry required by Regulation 35 to be made in the book to be kept by sellers of poisons in accordance with Section 27(2)(b) of the Medicines, Pharmacy and Poisons Act (Northern Ireland) 1945

	Name and		Purchaser	's	Purpose for		Name and	Signature of purchaser, or where a signed	
Date of Sale	quantity of poison supplied	Name	Business trade or occupatio		which stated to be required	Date of certificate (if any)	Address of person giving certificate (if any)	order is permitted by the Poisons Regulations, the date of the signed order	

### THIRTEENTH SCHEDULE

## MINISTRY OF AGRICULTURE

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THE MEDICINES, PHARMACY AND POISONS ACT (NORTHERN IRELAND) 1945	
Authority issued by a County Agricultural Executive Officer for the purcha of strychnine in pursuance of paragraph 1(e) of Regulation 16	ase
I hereby authorise (a)	
County Agricultural Executive Officer for the County of	• •
Date	
Insert (a) full name of intended purchaser; (b) full postal address, at (c) quantity which shall not exceed one ounce.	nd
Note:—This Authority is valid for one purchase only and must be retained by the authorised seller of poisons.	ıed
: : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : :	
FOURTEENTH SCHEDULE Regulation	16
Forms of certificate authorising the purchase of monofluoroacetic acid, a statement, fluoroacetamide or fluoroacetanilide as a rodenticide	alt
FORM A	
Certificate authorising the purchase of monofluoroacetic acid, a salt thereofluoroacetamide or fluoroacetanilide as a rodenticide for use by employees a local authority or a port sanitary authority.	
For the purposes of Regulation 16 of the Poisons Regulations (Northe Ireland) 1965 I hereby certify that (a)	of
situated at (e)	
Signature of Medical Officer Health of (c)	

(a) Insert quantity required.

Date .....

- (b) Insert "monofluoroacetic acid" or the salt thereof, or fluoroacetamide or fluoroacetanilide as the case may require.
  - (c) Insert the name of the authority in question.
  - (d) State "ships" or "sewers" as the case may require.
    - (e) State the situation of the ships or sewers as the case may require.

#### FORM B

	Certificate	autho	rising	the	purchas	se o	f	monofluoroa	cetic	acid,	a salt	there	eof,
flu	oroacetami	de or	fluor	acet	anilide	as	a	rodenticide	by p	persons	carry	ing	on,
or	by the emp	loyees`	of a b	ody (	of perso	ns c	ar	rying on, a b	ousine	ess of p	est cor	ıtrol.	

For	the	purposes	of	Regulation	16	of	the	Poisons	Regulations	(Northern
Ireland)	196	5 I hereb	у се	rtify that (	a) .					
									se by $(c)$ [em	
				(d	) as	a re	oden	ticide in	(e)	
situated	at (ƒ	·)								

Signature of	Medical	Officer	of
Health of (g).			
or County A	griculture	Execu	
Officer for the	County o	$\mathbf{f}$	
(h)			
or person duly	y authori	sed by	the
Minister of Ag	riculture		

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- (a) Insert quantity required.
- (b) Insert "monofluoroacetic acid" or the salt thereof, or fluoroacetamide or fluoroacetanilide as the case may require.
  - (c) Delete where necessary.
- (d) Insert name of person, or, as the case may be, body of persons, carrying on a business of pest control.
  - (e) State "ships" or "sewers" as the case may require.
  - (f) State the situation of the ships or sewers as the case may require.
  - (g) Insert the name of the authority in question.
  - (h) Insert name of County.

### FIFTEENTH SCHEDULE

# Substances in which Poison is exempted by Regulation 6 from Section 27(2) of the Act

Poison

. Substances in which exempted

Nicotine

Agricultural and horticultural insecticides consisting of nicotine dusts containing not more than four per cent. of nicotine.

Thionazin Vamidothion

### SIXTEENTH SCHEDULE

Regulation 15

## Poisons required to be coloured in certain cases

Arsenical poisons
Fluoroacetamide; fluoroacetanilide
Monofluoroacetic acid; its salts
Organo-tin compounds, the following:—
Compounds of fentin
Phosphorus compounds, the following:—
Azinphos-ethyl
Azinphos-methyl
Dichlorvos
Ethion
Mecarbam
Mevinphos
Oxydemeton-methyl
Phenkapton
Phosphamidon

### SEVENTEENTH SCHEDULE

# Substances which may be sold by licensed hatcheries and the purpose for which they may be sold in pursuance of Regulation 4

Para-aminobenzenesulphonamide; its salts; derivatives of para-aminobenzene-sulphonamide having any of the hydrogen atoms of the para-amino group or of the sulphonamide group substituted by another radical; their salts.

For the treatment of coccidiosis in poultry.

#### EIGHTEENTH SCHEDULE

Regulation 37

## Regulations Revoked

Regulations	References
The Poisons Regulations (Northern Ireland) 1965 The Poisons (No. 2) Regulations (Northern Ireland) 1965 The Poisons Regulations (Northern Ireland) 1966	S.R. & O. (N.I.) 1965, No. 27

### **EXPLANATORY NOTE**

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

These Regulations consolidate with amendments the Regulations specified in the Eighteenth Schedule. The principal amendments are consequential upon the addition of various substances in the Poisons Schedule now made by the Poisons List Order (Northern Ireland) 1967 (S.R. & O. (N.I.) 1967, No. 142), appropriate insertions being made in the relevant Schedules. In addition, provision is made for prohibiting the sale or supply by retail of lysergide and psilocybin except to medical practitioners, and of embutramide and mebezonium iodide except to registered veterinary surgeons and practitioners, and except in each case to certain other persons and institutions (Regulation 16(4) and (5)). Bottles containing a single dose of ophthalmic solution are in certain circumstances not required to be fluted (Regulation 23(1)(b)). The substances in which nicotine is exempted from the Medicines, Pharmacy and Poisons Act (Northern Ireland) 1945 and these Regulations are extended to include soap based preparations and aerosols with a small nicotine content (Third Schedule).

#### 1967. No. 144

This Order has been exempted from printing by the Statutory Rules Act (Northern Ireland) 1958. A summary is given in the List of Statutory Rules and Orders of a Local Character under the heading LOCAL GOVERNMENT.

## 1967. No. 145

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### 1967. No. 146

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## ROYAL ULSTER CONSTABULARY

#### Allowances

Order, dated 19th June 1967, made by the Minister of Home Affairs under section 4(1) of the Constabulary and Police (Ireland) Act 1919 and section 2 of the Constabulary Act (Northern Ireland) 1922.

I, the Right Honourable William Craig, Minister of Home Affairs for Northern Ireland, in exercise of the powers conferred on me by Section 4(1)