

PHARMACY AND POISONS ORDINANCE

RESOLUTION

(Under section 29 of the Pharmacy and
Poisons Ordinance (Cap. 138))

RESOLVED that the following Regulations, made by the Pharmacy
and Poisons Board on 5 April 2000, be approved -

- (a) the Pharmacy and Poisons (Amendment)(No. 2)
Regulation 2000; and
- (b) the Poisons List (Amendment)(No. 2) Regulation
2000.

PHARMACY AND POISONS (AMENDMENT)(NO. 2) REGULATION 2000

(Made by the Pharmacy and Poisons Board under section
29 of the Pharmacy and Poisons Ordinance
(Cap. 138) subject to the approval of
the Legislative Council)

1. Commencement

Sections 2(a) and (c), 3 and 4(a) and (c) shall come into
operation on 10 July 2000.

**2. Substances falling within the
Poisons List to which special
restrictions apply under
regulations 3 and 5**

The First Schedule to the Pharmacy and Poisons Regulations
(Cap. 138 sub. leg.) is amended in part A -

(a) in the item relating to "Antihistamine substances",
by repealing -

"Fexofenadine";

(b) by adding -

"Abacavir; its salts

Amisulpride; its salts

Capecitabine; its salts

Daclizumab

Eptifibatide; its salts

Nelfinavir; its salts

Oxaliplatin; its salts

Rituximab

Zaleplon; its salts";

(c) by adding -

"Blood products derived from human blood or
manufactured by biotechnology, the
following -

Albumin

Antithrombins

Blood clotting factors

Fibrin

Fibrinogen

Plasma protein fractions

Thrombin

Bupivacaine; its salts

Carbimazole; its salts

Dihydroetorphine; its salts

Melitracen; its salts

Mepivacaine; its salts

Methimazole; its salts

Propylthiouracil; its salts

Tiapride; its salts

Tiratricol; its salts

Veralipride; its salts".

**3. Articles exempted by regulation 8 from
the provisions of the Ordinance
and of these regulations**

The Second Schedule is amended, in Group II, in part A, in
the item relating to "Alkaloids", by repealing -

Albumin

Antithrombins

Blood clotting factors

Fibrin

Fibrinogen

Plasma protein fractions

Thrombin

Bupivacaine; its salts

Carbimazole; its salts

Dihydroetorphine; its salts

Melitracen; its salts

Mepivacaine; its salts

Methimazole; its salts

Propylthiouracil; its salts

Tiapride; its salts

Tiratricol; its salts

Veralipride; its salts".

Chairman,
Pharmacy and Poisons Board

5 April 2000

Explanatory Note

This Regulation updates the First, Second and Third Schedules to the Pharmacy and Poisons Regulations (Cap. 138 sub. leg.) by -

- (a) adding 26 substances to the First and Third Schedules respectively (sections 2(b) and (c) and 4(b) and (c));
- (b) relaxing the control over the antihistamine substance known as fexofenadine and its salts (sections 2(a) and 4(a)); and
- (c) upgrading the control over alkaloids of ephedra (section 3).

POISONS LIST (AMENDMENT)(NO. 2) REGULATION 2000

(Made by the Pharmacy and Poisons Board under section
29 of the Pharmacy and Poisons Ordinance
(Cap. 138) subject to the approval of
the Legislative Council)

1. Commencement

Section 2(a)(ii) and (b) shall come into operation on 10 July
2000.

2. The Poisons List

The Schedule to the Poisons List Regulations (Cap. 138 sub.
leg.) is amended -

(a) in Part I, in part A -

(i) by adding -

"Abacavir; its salts
Amisulpride; its salts
Capecitabine; its salts
Daclizumab
Eptifibatide; its salts
Nelfinavir; its salts
Oxaliplatin; its salts
Rituximab
Zaleplon; its salts";

(ii) by adding -

"Apraclonidine; its salts

Blood products derived from human
blood or manufactured by
biotechnology, the following -

Albumin

Antithrombins

Blood clotting factors

Fibrin

Fibrinogen

Plasma protein fractions

Thrombin

Bupivacaine; its salts

Carbimazole; its salts

Dihydroetorphine; its salts

Melitracen; its salts

Mepivacaine; its salts

Methimazole; its salts

Propylthiouracil; its salts

Tiapride; its salts

Tiratricol; its salts

Tretoquinol; its salts

Veralipride; its salts";

(b) in Part II, in part A, by repealing the item
relating to "Pharmaceutical products" and
substituting -

"Pharmaceutical products retailed in the form
as supplied by the manufacturer, containing
a poison included in part A of Part I of

this List, where the proportion of the poison does not exceed the equivalent of -

- (a) 0.01% by weight of arsenic trioxide, cantharidin, cocaine, coniine, ecgonine, hydrocyanic acid, strychnine, alkaloids of aconite, alkaloids of coca or alkaloids of gelsemium;
- (b) 2%, weight in volume, of mercurochrome when contained in solutions for external use only; and
- (c) 0.1% by weight in the case of other poisons,

except pharmaceutical products containing any poison -

- (i) included in the Third Schedule to the Pharmacy and Poisons Regulations (Cap. 138 sub. leg.); or

- (ii) in the following list -

Acetyldihydrocodeine; its salts

Alkaloids of belladonna; their salts

Alkaloids of ephedra; their salts

Atropine; its salts

Bambuterol; its salts

Benzydamine; its salts

Butropium; its salts
Codeine; its salts
Dextromethorphan; its salts
Diclofenac; its salts
Dihydrocodeine; its salts
Ethylmorphine; its salts
Fenoterol; its salts
Formoterol; its salts
Homatropine; its salts
Hyoscine; its salts
Hyoscyamine; its salts
Ipratropium; its salts
Methylaminoheptane; its salts
Morphine; its salts
Nicocodine; its salts
Norcodeine; its salts
Orciprenaline; its salts
Papaverine; its salts
Phenylpropanolamine; its salts
Pholcodine; its salts
Procaterol; its salts
Salmeterol; its salts
Terbutaline; its salts
Tretoquinol; its salts".

Chairman,
Pharmacy and Poisons Board

5 April 2000

Explanatory Note

This Regulation updates the Schedule to the Poisons List Regulations (Cap. 138 sub. leg.) by -

- (a) adding 28 substances to part A of Part I of the Poisons List; and
- (b) revising the scope of pharmaceutical products containing poisons which a listed seller of poisons may retail.