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**Control of Chemicals Ordinance (Amendment of
Schedule 2) Order 2020**

(Made by the Secretary for Security under section 18A(1) of the
Control of Chemicals Ordinance (Cap. 145))

1. Commencement

This Order comes into operation on 24 July 2020.

2. Control of Chemicals Ordinance amended

The Control of Chemicals Ordinance (Cap. 145) is amended as set out in section 3.

3. Schedule 2 amended

Schedule 2—

Add

- “21. Alpha-phenylacetoacetamide (α -乙酰乙酰苯胺) (*)
22. 3,4-MDP-2-P methyl glycidate (3,4-亞甲基二氧苯基-2-丙酮甲基縮水甘油) (*)
23. 3,4-MDP-2-P methyl glycidic acid (3,4-亞甲基二氧苯基-2-丙酮甲基縮水甘油酸) (*)”.

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Secretary for Security

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Explanatory Note

This Order amends Schedule 2 to the Control of Chemicals Ordinance (Cap. 145) in order to impose control on the following substances and their salts (whenever the existence of such salts is possible)—

- (a) Alpha-phenylacetoacetamide (commonly known as APAA);
 - (b) 3,4-MDP-2-P methyl glycidate (commonly known as PMK glycidate);
 - (c) 3,4-MDP-2-P methyl glycidic acid (commonly known as PMK glycidic acid).
2. APAA, PMK glycidate, PMK glycidic acid and their salts can be used for manufacturing dangerous drugs. For APAA and its salts, they can be used in the manufacture of amphetamine and methamphetamine. For PMK glycidate, PMK glycidic acid and their salts, they can be used in the manufacture of 3,4-methylenedioxymethamphetamine.