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**Control of Chemicals Ordinance (Amendment of
Schedule 2) Order 2025**

(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 11 April 2025.

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

(1) Schedule 2—

Repeal items 22 and 23.

(2) Schedule 2—

Add

“28. 1-boc-4-piperidone (1-boc-4-哌啶酮) (*)

29. 3,4-MDP-2-P methyl glycidic acid and its methyl,
ethyl, propyl, isopropyl, butyl, isobutyl, sec-butyl
and tert-butyl esters (3,4-亞甲基二氧苯基-2-丙酮甲
基縮水甘油酸及其甲酯、乙酯、丙酯、異丙酯、丁
酯、異丁酯、仲丁酯及叔丁酯) (*)

30. 4-piperidone (4-哌啶酮) (*)

31. P-2-P methyl glycidic acid and its methyl, ethyl, propyl, isopropyl, butyl, isobutyl, sec-butyl and tert-butyl esters (1-苯基-2-丙酮甲基縮水甘油酸及其甲酯、乙酯、丙酯、異丙酯、丁酯、異丁酯、仲丁酯及叔丁酯) (*)”.

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Acting Secretary for Security

10 February 2025

Explanatory Note

The main object of this Order is to amend 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) (*new controlled chemicals*)—

- (a) 1-boc-4-piperidone;
- (b) the ethyl, propyl, isopropyl, butyl, isobutyl, sec-butyl and tert-butyl esters of 3,4-MDP-2-P methyl glycidic acid;
- (c) 4-piperidone;
- (d) P-2-P methyl glycidic acid and its methyl, ethyl, propyl, isopropyl, butyl, isobutyl, sec-butyl and tert-butyl esters.

2. The new controlled chemicals can be used in the manufacture of certain dangerous drugs specified in Part I of the First Schedule to the Dangerous Drugs Ordinance (Cap. 134), as explained below—

- (a) the substances mentioned in paragraph 1(a) and (c) and their salts can be used in the manufacture of fentanyl and certain fentanyl analogues;
- (b) the substances mentioned in paragraph 1(b) and their salts can be used in the manufacture of 3,4-methylenedioxymethamphetamine; and
- (c) the substances mentioned in paragraph 1(d) and their salts can be used in the manufacture of amphetamine and methamphetamine.