Implementing the Scheduling Decisions of the Commission on Narcotic Drugs

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Implementation of the scheduling decisions

CND DECISION

WHO Review Process
- Expert Advice
- ECDD Observer Status

Standards Setting
- Multilingual Dictionaries
- Recommended Methods of Analysis

Technical Assistance
- Law Enforcement
- Drug Seizure Analysis labs
- Toxicology Labs

Prioritization
- Global SMART
- UNODC EWA
- Knowledge products

Research & Trends Analysis

UNODC
**Timeline of Implementation following scheduling decision**

**CND Scheduling Decision**

13-17 March 2017

21 April 2017

**Note Verbale sent to Member States**

Substances added to the Single Convention on Narcotic Drugs of 1961 are effective immediately.

E.g. Butyrfentanyl (Sch. I)
E.g. U-47700 (Sch. I)

18 October 2017

Substances added to the **1971 & 1988 Conventions** enter into force (i.e. 180 days post-notification).

E.g. 4-MEC (Sch. II)
E.g. SF-APINACA (Sch. II), etc.
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Normative Work/Standard Setting
Update of tools: Multilingual Dictionary (all UN languages) Recommended Methods of Analysis Reference Standards Proficiency Testing, etc.

Parallel UNODC activities
Capacity building Training Country preparedness
Multilingual Dictionary of Narcotic Drugs and Psychotropic Substances under International Control

Mephedrone - Miphedrone - Mefedrona

Synthetic substance - Substance synthétique - Sustancia sintética

C₁₁H₁₃NO
mol. wt. 177.3
% b. aq. 100
Sch. II (1971)
CAS 1189805-46-6

(2S)-2-methylamino-1-(4-methylphenyl)propan-1-one
(2S)-2-methylamino-1-(4-methylphenyl)propan-1-one
(2S)-2-methylamino-1-(4-methylphenyl)propan-1-one

2-aminomethyl-1-tolyl-propan-1-one
4-methylmethcathinone (4-MMC)
4-MMC
4-methyllysergamide
4-methylmethcathinone
4-MMC
4,N-dimethylcathinone
β-keto-(4,N-dimethylamphetamine)
N-methylphendimethamine
p-methyl-methcathinone

Euphoria
Flower Power
Magic
Muf
Mauvais maeur
Star Dust
White Gold

(MS)-2-methylamino-1-(4-methylphenyl)propan-1-one
(MS)-2-methylamino-1-(4-methylphenyl)propan-1-one

Mephedrone hydrochloride - Chlorhydrate de mephedrone - Clorhidrato de mephedrona

C₁₁H₁₃NO · HCl
mol. wt. 213.7
% b. aq. 82.9

2-(methylamino)-1-(4-methylphenyl)-1-propanone monohydrochloride

CAS 1189726-22-4
Laboratory Training

Laboratory training
Vienna, Austria
Support for Laboratory Capacity

Dispatch of Reference Materials to Member States
Vienna, Austria

Seized materials and biological specimen
Strengthening law enforcement capacity

• Introducing modern hand-held technologies in field drug and precursor testing trainings

• Field-based trainings and CBTs on field drug testing
UNODC support to countries for law enforcement and laboratory capacity building

**International Collaborative Exercises (ICE)**
- > 220 labs
- > 70 countries

**Global deployment of test kits**
- > 3,500 kits
- > 70 countries

**West Africa:** Benin, Cabo Verde, Cameroon, Cote d'Ivoire, Ghana, Guinea Bissau, Liberia, Mali, Nigeria, Senegal, Sierra Leone, the Gambia and Togo

**East Africa:** Kenya

**Mekong Region:** Myanmar, Cambodia, Lao PDR, Vietnam

**Oceania:** Cook Islands, Republic of Fiji, Republic of the Marshall Islands, Niue, Republic of Palau, Independent State of Papua New Guinea, Independent State of Samoa, Solomon Islands, Kingdom of Tonga and Republic of Vanuatu, New Zealand

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