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Agenda item 5 (a)
**Implementation of the international drug control
treaties: changes in the scope of control of
substances**

**Notification from the President of the International
Narcotics Control Board to the Chair of the Commission on
Narcotic Drugs at its sixty-eighth session concerning a
proposal to move the methyl ester of 3,4-MDP-2-P methyl
glycidic acid from the body of Table I of the United Nations
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in CND decision 67/25**

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The President of the International Narcotics Control Board presents his compliments to the Chair of the Commission on Narcotic Drugs and has the honour to inform him that the Board, in conformity with its role under article 12, paragraphs 2 and 4, of the United Nations Convention against Illicit Traffic in Narcotic Drugs and Psychotropic Substances of 1988 (hereafter referred to as the 1988 Convention), has found an inconsistency in which the esters of 3,4-MDP-2-P methyl glycidic acid are currently presented in Table I of the 1988 Convention.

The Board finds that while seven esters of 3,4-MDP-2-P methyl glycidic acid are included in a footnote following CND decision 67/25 in March 2024, the methyl ester, which was added to Table I in November 2019, is still included in the body of that table (as 3,4-MDP-2-P methyl glycidate (“PMK glycidate”). The Board is therefore proposing that the methyl ester be removed from the body of Table I of the 1988 Convention and included in the footnote together with the other seven esters (as “methyl ester”). This would also be consistent with the presentation of P-2-P methyl glycidic acid and its esters in Table I of the 1988 Convention (CND decision 67/17).

A schematic presentation of the Board’s proposal is attached hereto and has been prepared for submission to the Commission at its sixty-eighth session.

Vienna, 4 September 2024

Annex

Proposed amendments to Table I of the 1988 Convention

Tables of the United Nations Convention
against Illicit Traffic in Narcotic Drugs
and Psychotropic Substances of 1988,
as at 3 December 2024

Table I	Table II
Acetic anhydride	Acetone
<i>N</i> -Acetylthranilic acid	Anthranilic acid
4-Anilino- <i>N</i> -phenethylpiperidine (ANPP)	Ethyl ether
<i>tert</i> -Butyl 4-oxopiperidine-1-carboxylate (1-boc-4-piperidone)	Hydrochloric acid ⁴
<i>tert</i> -Butyl 4-(phenylamino)piperidine-1-carboxylate (1-boc-4-AP)	Methyl ethyl ketone
Ephedrine	Piperidine
Ergometrine	Sulphuric acid ⁴
Ergotamine	Toluene
Isosafrole	
Lysergic acid	
3,4-MDP-2-P methyl glycidate ("PMK glycidate")	
3,4-MDP-2-P methyl glycidic acid ("PMK glycidic acid") and selected esters	
3,4-Methylenedioxyphenyl-2-propanone (3,4-MDP-2-P)	
Methyl <i>alpha</i> -phenylacetoacetate (MAPA)	
Norephedrine	
Norfentanyl	
<i>N</i> -Phenethyl-4-piperidone (NPP)	
Phenylacetic acid	
<i>alpha</i> -Phenylacetoacetamide (APAA)	
<i>alpha</i> -Phenylacetoacetonitrile (APAAN)	
<i>N</i> -Phenyl-4-piperidinamine (4-AP)	
1-Phenyl-2-propanone (P-2-P)	
P-2-P methyl glycidic acid ("BMK glycidic acid") and selected esters ²	
4-Piperidone	
Piperonal	
Potassium permanganate	
Pseudoephedrine	
Safrole	

Proposal:
Delete **3,4-MDP-2-P methyl glycidate ("PMK glycidate")** from the body of Table I and add **Methyl** at the beginning of footnote 1.

Methyl,¹ Ethyl, propyl, isopropyl, butyl, isobutyl, *sec*-butyl, and *tert*-butyl esters of 3,4-MDP-2-P methyl glycidic acid.

² Methyl, ethyl, propyl, isopropyl, butyl, isobutyl, *sec*-butyl, and *tert*-butyl esters of P-2-P methyl glycidic acid.