

PROHIBITED DRUGS ORDINANCE 1969

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No. 7 of 1969

An Ordinance to amend the *Prohibited Drugs Ordinance 1963*

[Assented to 18 March, 1969]

BE it ordained by the Legislative Council for the Northern Territory of Australia as follows:—

1.—(1.) This Ordinance may be cited as the *Prohibited Drugs Ordinance 1969*. Short title and citation

(2.) The *Prohibited Drugs Ordinance 1963* is in this Ordinance referred to as the Principal Ordinance.

(3.) The Principal Ordinance, as amended by this Ordinance, may be cited as the *Prohibited Drugs Ordinance 1963-1969*.

2. This Ordinance shall come into operation on a date to be fixed by the Administrator by notice in the *Gazette*.* Commencement

3. Sections 2, 3 and 4 of the Principal Ordinance are repealed and the following section is inserted in their stead:—

“2. In this Ordinance—

‘Cannabis’ means a plant or a part of a plant of the genus *Cannabis*, an extract, resin or tincture of such a plant or a preparation or substance containing part of such a plant or such an extract, resin or tincture; Definitions

‘prohibited drug’ means—

- (a) a drug;
- (b) a substance; or
- (c) a substance containing a drug, specified in the Schedule to this Ordinance.”.

4. Section 5 of the Principal Ordinance is amended—

- (a) by omitting from sub-section (1.) the words “Four hundred pounds” and inserting in their stead the words “Eight hundred dollars”;
- Use, possession, &c. of prohibited drugs

* The date fixed was 16 April, 1969 (see *Northern Territory Government Gazette* No. 16 of 16 April, 1969, page 96).

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- (b) by omitting from sub-section (2.) the words "is declared to be" and inserting in their stead the word "becomes"; and
- (c) by adding at the end of sub-section (2.) the words "or that he disposed of the prohibited drug by so delivering it".

The Schedule

5. The Schedule to the Principal Ordinance is repealed and the following Schedule inserted in its stead:—

"THE SCHEDULE

Section 2

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Allylisopropylacetyl urea.
 Amidopyrine (aminopyrine) and derivatives of the drug amidopyrine (aminopyrine), including dipyrone.
 Buniodyl Sodium.
 Cannabis.
 Desomorphine or a salt of desomorphine.
 Diacetylmorphine (heroin) or a salt of diacetylmorphine (heroin).
 Ketobemidone or a salt of ketobemidone.
 Methyl cinchophen (methyl ester of phenyleinchoninic acid).
 Thalidomide.
 Triparanol."
