

# LAWS AND REGULATIONS

PROMULGATED TO GIVE EFFECT TO THE PROVISIONS OF THE CONVENTION OF 13 JULY 1931 FOR LIMITING THE MANUFACTURE AND REGULATING THE DISTRIBUTION OF NARCOTIC DRUGS, AS AMENDED BY THE PROTOCOL OF 11 DECEMBER 1946

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Communicated by the Government of Hungary

NOTE BY THE SECRETARY-GENERAL.—In accordance with Article 21 of the Convention of 13 July 1931 for Limiting the Manufacture and Regulating the Distribution of Narcotic Drugs, as amended by the Protocol of 11 December 1946, the Secretary-General has the honour to communicate the following legislative texts.

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DECREE No. 70/1957 (XII.14)

of the Hungarian Revolutionary Workers' and Peasants' Government

on the publication of the list of narcotic drugs capable of causing drug addiction and on certain measures in connection with the sale of narcotic drugs

## Article 1

- 1. The list of drugs and pharmaceutical preparations liable to produce addiction (here-inafter called "narcotic drugs") shall be determined by the Minister of Health in conjunction with the ministers concerned.
- 2. The list of narcotic drugs liable to produce addiction and the changes made in the list of narcotic drugs shall be published in the Hungarian Gazette.

## Article 2

The regulations concerning the prescription of narcotic drugs for therapy and the dispensing of such narcotic drugs by pharmacies, the supplying of pharmacies and hospitals with narcotic drugs and the registration, storing and accounting of narcotic drugs by pharmacies and hospitals shall be regulated by the Minister of Health in conjunction with the ministers toncerned and with the National Association of Trade Unions.

### Article 3

- 1. Unless the act falls under a stricter penal regulation, a violation of regulations is committed and
- (a) a fine of up to 3,000 forints is to be imposed on anyone who makes available narcotic drugs, or narcotic drugs exceeding the permitted quantity to an unauthorised person in contravention of regulations issued by the Minister of Health,
- (b) a fine up to 500 forints is to be imposed on anyone who does not observe, or does not ensure the observation of regulations pertaining to the supply of narcotic drugs to pharmacies and hospitals and to the registration, storing and accounting of narcotic drugs by pharmacies and hospitals.

2. Proceedings for the violations of regulations stipulated under 1. fall under the authority of the police.

Article 4

The present Decree comes into force on the day of its publication.

(signed)

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