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APPLICATION OF ARTICLES 8 AND 10  
OF THE INTERNATIONAL OPIUM CONVENTION

Signed at Geneva on February 19th, 1925.

I.

In accordance with the procedure laid down by Article 8 of the Geneva International Opium Convention, the Health Committee, after having taken the opinion of the Office international d'Hygiène publique and examined the lists submitted by the Governments of France, the German Reich, India, Roumania, Bulgaria, the Irish Free State, Poland and Great Britain, adopted, during its extraordinary session of March 1929, the following resolution:

"The Health Committee adopts all the conclusions of the Report of the Office international d'Hygiène publique, on the application of Article 8 of the Opium Convention signed at Geneva on February 19th, 1925, to the preparations proposed by the Governments of British India, Bulgaria, France, Germany, Great Britain, the Irish Free State, Poland and Roumania, as they appear in document C.H. 843."

APPLICATION OF ARTICLE 8 OF THE INTERNATIONAL OPIUM CONVENTION  
SIGNED AT GENEVA ON FEBRUARY 19th, 1925.

PREPARATIONS EXEMPTED FROM THE PROVISIONS OF THE GENEVA OPIUM CONVENTION  
BY APPLICATION OF ARTICLE 8 OF THAT CONVENTION AND BY DECISION OF THE HEALTH COMMITTEE  
OF MARCH 8th, 1930.

State	Preparation	Composition or Pharmacopœia
France:	<i>Emplastrum opii.</i>	Extract of opium . . . . . 25 gr. Refined elemi . . . . . 25 gr. Diachylon plaster with gum. 50 gr.
German Reich:	<i>Pulvis ipecacuanhæ opiatuſ (Pulvis Doveri P.I.)</i> and all other preparations of opium or drugs with a content of not less than 10 per cent of ipecacuanha root.	<i>Deutsches Arzneibuch, 6.</i>
India:	Dover's powder ( <i>Pulvis Ipecacuanhæ Compositus</i> , compound powder of ipecacuanha).	Ipecacuanha root, in powder. 10 gr. Opium, in powder. . . . . 10 gr. Potassium sulphate, in powder . . . . . 80 gr. British Pharmacopœia, 1914.
	<i>Unguentum Gallæ cum Opio</i> (gall and opium ointment).	Gall ointment. . . . . 92.5 gr. Opium, in powder. . . . . 7.5 gr. British Pharmacopœia, 1914.

State	Preparation	Composition or Pharmacopœia
Roumania:	<i>Pulvis Doveri (Pulvis Opii et Ipecacuanhæ Com.)</i> .	<i>Radix Ipeca. pulv.</i> . . . . . 1 gr. <i>Pulvis Opii.</i> . . . . . 1 gr. <i>Sacchar. Lactis</i> . . . . . 8 gr.
Bulgaria:	<i>Pulvis Doveri.</i>	<i>Radix Ipecacuanhæ pulverata</i> . . . . . 1 gr. <i>Opium pulveratum (10% Morph.)</i> . . . . . 1 gr. <i>Kalium Sulphuricum pulveratum</i> . . . . . 8 gr.
Irish Free State:	<i>Pulvis Ipecacuanhæ Compositus</i> (compound powder of ipecacuanha, synonym: Dover's powder).	Ipecacuanha root, in powder . . . . . 10 gr. Opium, in powder . . . . . 10 gr. Potassium sulphate, in powder . . . . . 80 gr.
	<i>Pilula Ipecacuanhæ cum Scilla</i> (Pill of Ipecacuanha with Squill).	Compound powder of ipecacuanha . . . . . 50 gr. Squill, in powder . . . . . 10 gr. Ammoniacum, in powder . . . . . 10 gr. Syrup of glucose . . . . . a sufficient quantity.
	<i>Pulvis Kino Compositus</i> (compound powder of kino).	Kino, in powder . . . . . 75 gr. Opium, in powder . . . . . 5 gr. Cinnamon bark, in powder . . . . . 20 gr.
	<i>Unguentum Gallæ cum Opio</i> (gall and opium ointment).	Gall ointment . . . . . 92.5 gr. Opium, in powder . . . . . 7.5 gr.
Poland:	<i>Emplastrum Opii.</i>	<i>Elemi</i> . . . . . 8 gr. <i>Terebinthinæ communis</i> . . . . . 15 gr. <i>Ceræ flavæ</i> . . . . . 5 gr. <i>Olibani pulveratæ</i> . . . . . 8 gr. <i>Benzoes pulveratæ</i> . . . . . 4 gr. <i>Opii pulverati.</i> . . . . . 2 gr. <i>Balsami peruviani.</i> . . . . . 1 gr.
Great Britain:	Mixtures of Dover's powder with mercury and chalk, aspirin, phenacetin, quinine and its salts, and sodium bicarbonate.	
	<i>Linimentum opii</i> and <i>Linimentum opii ammon.</i> , if mixed with any other British Pharmacopœia or British Pharmaceutical Codex liniment.	British Pharmacopœia. British Pharmaceutical Codex.
	<i>Ung. Gallæ c. opio.</i>	British Pharmacopœia.
	<i>Ung. Gallæ Co.</i> and <i>Emp. opii</i> , if mixed with other ointments and plasters contained in the British Pharmacopœia or British Pharmaceutical Codex.	British Pharmaceutical Codex. British Pharmacopœia, 1898.

II.

In accordance with the procedure laid down by Article 10 of the Geneva International Opium Convention, the Health Committee, after having taken the opinion of the Office international d'Hygiène publique, adopted, at its extraordinary session of March 1930, the following resolution:

" The Health Committee,

" Considers that preparations which contain esters of morphine, di-hydro-oxycodine, di-hydro-codeinone (dicodide), di-hydro-morphinone (dilaudide) should be treated in the same manner as those which contain diacetylmorphine, that is to say, they should come within the scope of the Convention, whatever the percentage of narcotic substances contained may be.

" It also considers that all salts of these substances should come within the scope of the Convention according to the provisions of Article 10 of the said Convention."