



Unofficial Translation:

Delisting of Hemp & CBD as Schedule 5 Substances

Notification of the Ministry of Public Health

Re: The Determination of Schedule 5 Narcotics (No. 2)

B.E. 2562

By virtue of Section 6 (1) and Section 8 (1) (2) of the *Narcotics Act B.E. 2522 (1979)*, the Minister of Public Health, with consent from the Narcotics Control Board, hereby issues this notification.

1. The removal of the following substances from Schedule 5, no.1 of the *Notification of the Ministry of Public Health Re: The Designation of Schedule 5 Narcotics B.E. 2561 (2019)* dated 31st July 2561 (2019):

Substance	Chemical Name	Conditions
1. Cannabis	-	<p>The definition of cannabis in the aforementioned includes:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - All parts of the cannabis plant i.e. leaves, flowers, fruit, buds, and stems. - Substances derived from cannabis i.e. sap and oil. <p>This excludes:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Hemp which has been listed as a Schedule 5 substance in the Narcotics List. 2. Cannabidiol (CBD) extracts or products derived from CBD extracts that contain tetrahydrocannabinol (THC) that does not exceed 0.01% of its total weight.



Substance	Chemical Name	Conditions
		<p>3. CBD extracts or products derived from CBD extracts that contain THC not exceeding 0.2% of its total weight when used for medical or herbal products.</p> <p>However, within the first 5 years of this announcement, the aforementioned exemptions will only apply to those that have been produced locally by licensed producers.</p> <p>4. Barks, dried stems, dried fibers, and products derived from the said products.</p>

2. The following will be added as Schedule 5 substances in the appendix of the *Notification of the Ministry of Public Health Re: The Designation of Schedule 5 Narcotics B.E. 2561 (2019)* dated 31st July 2561 (2019):

Substance	Chemical Name	Conditions
1. Hemp	-	<p>Scientifically called <i>Cannabis Sativa L</i>, the definition refers to every part of the hemp plant i.e. leaves, flowers, fruits, buds, stems that contain THC as indicated in the Act.</p> <p>This excludes:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Cannabidiol (CBD) extracts from hemp that contains more than or equal to 99% tetrahydrocannabinol (THC) that does not exceed 0.01% of its total weight.



Substance	Chemical Name	Conditions
		<ol style="list-style-type: none">2. Extracts or products derived from CBD extracts that contain THC not exceeding 0.2% of its total weight when used for medical or herbal products.3. Hemp seeds or hemp seed oil on the condition that these are used for dietary purposes.4. Hemp seed oil or extracts from hemp seeds on the condition that these are used for cosmetic purposes. <p>Further to this, hemp seeds that have been modified for food or cosmetics must be non-viable seeds as specified by the Notification.</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none">5. Barks, dried stems, dried fibers, and products derived from the said products. <p>However, within the first 5 years of this announcement, the aforementioned exemptions for 2. to 4. will only apply to those that have been produced locally by licensed producers.</p>