



STATUS DECISION OF CONTROLLED AND NON-CONTROLLED SUBSTANCE(S)

Substance: 2-Chlorobenzoic acid

Based on the current information available to the Office of Controlled Substances, it appears that the above substance is:

Controlled []
Not Controlled [x]

under the schedules of the Controlled Drugs and Substances Act (CDSA) for the following reason(s):

- The substance is not similar to any of those included in the CDSA.

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Verified by: Marianne Tang Date:

Approved by: DIRECTOR, OFFICE OF CONTROLLED SUBSTANCES Date:

This status was requested by: "third party information removed as per agreement with applicant"

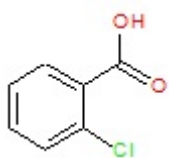
Drug Status Report

Drug: 2-Chlorobenzoic acid

Drug Name Status: o-Chlorobenzoic acid is the common name.

Chemical Name: 2-chlorobenzoic acid

Chemical structure:



Molecular Formula: $C_7H_5ClO_2$

CAS-RN: 118-91-2

Pharmacological class / Application: Fine chemical

International status:

US: 2-Chlorobenzoic acid is not currently listed in the Schedules to the *US Controlled Substances Act* and is not mentioned anywhere on the DEA website.

United Nations: The substance is not listed on the Yellow List - List of Narcotic Drugs under International Control, the Green List - List of Psychotropic Substances under International Control, nor the Red List - List of Precursors and Chemicals Frequently Used in the Illicit Manufacture of Narcotic Drugs and Psychotropic Substances Under International Control.

Canadian Status: 2-Chlorobenzoic acid is not listed in the CDSA. The substance is claimed to be a starting material in the synthesis of dehydronorketamine but is not structurally similar to any of the substances listed in the Schedules to the CDSA.

Recommendation: Triethanolamine is not included in the schedules to the CDSA and is not a controlled substance.

Date: 17 January 2011