## Drug Status Report

Drug: Retigabine

**Drug Name Status**: Retigabine is the proper (USAN) name

Chemical Name: 2-Amino-4-(((4-fluorophenyl)methyl)amino)phenyl-carbamic acid, ethyl ester

## **Chemical structure:**

## **Molecular Formula:**

 $C_{16}H_{18}FN_3O_2$ 

Pharmacological class / Application: anticonvulsant

## **International status:**

US: The substance is not currently listed on the schedules to the US Controlled Substances Act and is not mentioned on the DEA website.

United Nations: The substance is not listed on the Yellow List - List of Narcotic Drugs under International Control nor the Green List - List of Psychotropic Substances under International Control.

Canadian Status: Retigabine is not structurally similar to any substance currently listed on the schedules to the CDSA.

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

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