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

Substance: 3-Ethoxymethamphetamine

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

- Controlled X
- Not Controlled ☐

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

- The substance is an analogue of 4-methoxyamphetamine and is captured under item 1 of Schedule III to the CDSA.

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This status was requested by: Lehli Pour, DAS
Drug Status Report

Drug: 3-Ethoxymethamphetamine

Drug Name Status: 3-Ethoxymethamphetamine is the common name.

Chemical Name: 1-(3-ethoxyphenyl)-N-methylpropan-2-amine

Chemical structure:

Molecular Formula: C_{12}H_{19}NO

Pharmacological class/Application: Amphetamine analogue

CAS-RN: N/A

International status:

US: 3-Ethoxymethamphetamine is not listed specifically in the Schedules to the US Controlled Substances Act (CSA) and is not mentioned anywhere on the DEA website. However, it may be considered included in schedule I under the analogue provision of the CSA.

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: 3-Ethoxymethamphetamine is not listed specifically in the Schedules to the CDSA. However, the substance has a substantially similar chemical structure to 4-methoxyamphetamine which is currently included under item 1(7) of Schedule III to the CDSA under the heading “Amphetamines, their salts, derivatives, isomers and analogues and salts of derivatives, isomers and analogues including”. For the purpose of forming status decisions, a substance which displays substantial structural similarity to a controlled substance is considered an analogue. Therefore, 3-ethoxymethamphetamine must be included under item 1 of Schedule III to the CDSA as an amphetamine analogue.

Recommendation: 3-Ethoxymethamphetamine is included under item 1 of Schedule III to the CDSA and is a controlled substance.

Date: July 23rd, 2012.