Drug Status Report

Drug: Metamizol

Drug Name Status: Metamizol is the common name

Chemical Name: 
((2,3-Dihydro-1,5-dimethyl-3-oxo-2-phenyl-1H-pyrazol-4-yl)methylamino)methanesulphonic acid

Chemical structure:

Molecular Formula: C_{13}H_{17}N_{3}O_{4}S

Pharmacological class / Application: analgesic

International status:

US: The substance is not currently listed on 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. The drug is not listed on the Green List - List of Psychotropic Substances under International Control.

Canadian Status: The substance is currently not listed specifically on the CDSA and is not similar to any substance on the schedules to the CDSA. The substance is commonly used the the sodium salt; the salt is also not controlled.

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