

[BOARD REGULATION NO. 3, March 15, 2018]

**AMENDING SECTION 3(2) OF BOARD REGULATION NO. 1,
SERIES OF 2014 AND CREATING THE COMMITTEE ON
RECLASSIFICATION, ADDITION OR REMOVAL OF ANY
DRUG/SUBSTANCE FROM THE LIST OF DANGEROUS
DRUGS/CONTROLLED PRECURSORS AND ESSENTIAL CHEMICALS**

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WHEREAS, Section 77 of Republic Act No. 9165 or the Comprehensive Dangerous Drugs Act of 2002 (the "Act") provides that the Dangerous Drugs Board (the "Board") shall be the policy making and strategy formulating body in the planning and formulation of policies and programs on drug prevention and control;

WHEREAS, Section 81 (b) of the Act vests upon the Board the power to promulgate rules as may be necessary to carry out the provisions of the law;

WHEREAS, Section 93 of the Act empowers the Board to reclassify, add to or remove substances from the list of Dangerous Drugs;

WHEREAS, Board Regulation No. 1, series of 2014 (the "Regulation") provides that the Board may convene a Technical Working Group (the "TWG") which shall gather and collate all data relative to public hearings that may be conducted for reclassification, addition or removal of substances from the list of dangerous drugs;

WHEREAS, under the identified new set of priorities of the Board, there is a need to further intensify, prioritize, and enhance the functions/effectivity of the TWG to address present day demands and concerns;

WHEREFORE, be it RESOLVED, as it is hereby RESOLVED:

1. That Section 3 (2) of Regulation No. 1, series of 2014 be amended and shall now read as follows:

" The Board shall be assisted by a Committee on Reclassification, Addition, or Removal of any Drug/Substance from the List of Dangerous Drugs/Controlled Precursors and Essential Chemicals composed of two (2) permanent Members of the Board, the NGO Representative, and representatives from the Department of Justice, Food and Drug Administration, Department of Health-Pharmaceutical Division, UP-PGH National Poison Management and Control Center, Philippine Drug Enforcement Agency, National Bureau of Investigation, and PNP Crime Laboratory. One Permanent Member shall act as Chairperson