STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

2016 No. 1126

DANGEROUS DRUGS

The Misuse of Drugs Act 1971 (Temporary Class Drug) (No. 2) Order 2016

Approved by both Houses of Parliament

Made - - - -	*21st November 2016*
Laid before Parliament	*23rd November 2016*
Coming into force - -	*27th November 2016*

The Secretary of State makes the following Order in exercise of the powers conferred by sections 2A(1) and (5), 7A(2), (3) and (6) and 31(1) of the Misuse of Drugs Act 1971(**1**).

None of the substances or products specified in article 2 of this Order is a Class A drug, a Class B drug or a Class C drug.

The Secretary of State has received a recommendation from the Advisory Council on the Misuse of Drugs under section 2B(1)(b)(**2**) of the Misuse of Drugs Act 1971 that this Order should be made.

Citation and commencement

1. This Order may be cited as the Misuse of Drugs Act 1971 (Temporary Class Drug) (No. 2) Order 2016 and comes into force on 27th November 2016.

Drugs subject to temporary control

2. The following substances and products are specified under section 2A(1) of the Misuse of Drugs Act 1971 as drugs subject to temporary control—

(a) N-methyl-1-(thiophen-2-yl)propan-2-amine (methiopropamine or MPA);

(b) any stereoisomeric form of N-methyl-1-(thiophen-2-yl)propan-2-amine;

(c) any salt of a substance specified in paragraph (a) or (b); and

(d) any preparation or other product containing a substance specified in any of paragraphs (a) to (c).

(**1**) 1971 c. 38. Sections 2A and 7A were inserted by section 151 of, and paragraphs 3 and 8 of Schedule 17 to, the Police Reform and Social Responsibility Act 2011 (c. 13).

(**2**) Section 2B was inserted by section 151 of, and paragraph 3 of Schedule 17 to, the Police Reform and Social Responsibility Act 2011.