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Address a Changing World*

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Committee: Commission on Narcotic Drugs

Subject: Combating the Proliferation of Chemically Enhanced Illicit Drugs

The Commission on Narcotic Drugs,

*Deeply concerned* about the global use of chemically enhanced illicit drugs,

*Recalling* the importance of Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs) numbers 3, 4, and 12,

*Alarmed by* the increase in drug trafficking via online platforms,

*Understanding* that abandoned buildings can be hosts to clandestine laboratories in high crime areas,

*Expressing* the importance of Member States' drug enforcement agencies in the effort to stop the sale and purchase of illicit substances,

*Recognizing* that drug analogues are substances that mimic illicit narcotics by altering the chemical composition,

*Taking into account* the differential needs in addressing health issues and manufacturing of pure narcotics and synthetic or adulterated narcotics,

*Fully recognizing* and respecting the sovereignty of Member States,

*Having studied* the conditions for a successful recovery of those addicted to synthetic drugs,

*Taking note* of the urgency and severity of the synthetic drug trade,

*Acknowledging* the danger chemically-enhanced drugs pose towards the public,

*Noting* that developing Member States may not have the funds for a strong drug enforcement agency;

- 1. Encourages* Member States to review and monitor abandoned buildings and structures (due to the illegal use of them for the creation of chemically enhanced drugs) and work to repurpose the buildings as community centers, housing, or any purpose the Member States deem useful;

2. *Approves* the assignment of drug analogues of illicit narcotics to the same schedule as the drug they are most pharmacologically similar to;
3. *Recommends* the creation of mass media campaigns that raise public awareness of the health consequences and risks of chemically enhanced drug use;
4. *Proposes* engagement of Member States with regional online sales platforms to prevent drug trafficking via the internet by increasing supply chain control and introducing customer safety surveys;
5. *Encourages* the creation of an international committee for the purposes of identifying and restricting the materials used in the creation and modification of illicit substances, including but not limited to missions such as:
  - a. The identification of substances used in the adulteration of extant illicit substances unbeknownst to the consumer,
  - b. The identification and restriction of chemicals used in the creation of synthetic narcotics,
  - c. The mitigation of health risks, such as overdoses, caused by the use of adulterated and synthetic narcotics through the promotion of medical developments towards counteracting the effects of chemically enhanced and adulterated substances, and,
  - d. The fostering of increased availability and proliferation of information regarding emergent trends in illicit substance adulteration and creation in order to create an educated and safe populace in regard to narcotics through the use of:
    - i. Community based campaigns utilizing citizen volunteers,
    - ii. State and regional media information and prevention campaigns, and,
    - iii. International internet and mass media information campaigns;
6. *Suggests* Member States create infrastructure focused on the prevention of chemically enhanced drug use by dependent persons, through the implementation of:
  - a. Clinics that provide tests to show the purity of certain drugs, and,
  - b. Clinics that provide harm reduction programs, such as needle exchange programs, and, opioid substitution therapy;
7. *Suggests* that developed Member States create bilateral agreements for the provision of financial incentives to developing Member States through funding for drug enforcement mechanisms in order to prevent:
  - a. The circulation of illicit chemically enhanced drugs,
  - b. The commercialization of illicit chemically enhanced drugs, and,
  - c. The abuse of chemically enhanced illicit drugs;
8. *Recommends* individual Member States increase their drug enforcement agency budgets to crack down on:
  - a. Domestic drug cartels,

- b. Illegal drug creation labs,
- c. Synthetic drug creation labs, and,
- d. Other narcotics as classified by the Commission on Narcotic Drugs as Schedule 1 and Schedule 4;

9. *Recommends* utilizing voluntary donations of up to \$5 million USD from Member States and funds from NGOs at their discretion to provide funding for the creation of informational media campaigns and an international committee for researching chemically enhanced and synthetic drugs;

10. *Encourages* Member States to enhance existing recovery centers to emphasize wellbeing by focusing on researching effective treatments and training staff to be familiar with high emotional intelligence that is needed for a successful recovery; and,

11. *Suggests* Member States enforce higher fees and punishments to curb unlawful proliferation of:

- A. Large-scale supplies of chemicals commonly abused to create synthetic drugs,
- B. Domestic drug cartels,
- C. Laboratory supplies and chemical equipment suspected to be used for the creation of enhanced artificial drugs, and,
- D. General drug trafficking between nations.