

Table 1

CLASSIFICATION OF INCAPACITATING AGENTS
ACCORDING TO DIFFERENT SOURCES

Medical (Toxicological)
Classification

Equivalent Military (Service)
Classification

SHORT-TERM INCAPACITANTS

Sensory irritant agents
(Lachrymators - tear gases,
Sternutators, Vomiting or
Sickening agents, etc.)

Riot control agents

Harassing agents

LONG-TERM INCAPACITANTS

1. Peripherally-acting
physiochemicals

Physical incapacitants

Non-irritant agents

Immobilizing agents

Non-irritant physiochemicals

Physically incapacitating agents

2. Centrally-acting
physiochemicals

Mental incapacitants

Psychotomimetic agents

Psychochemicals

Mentally incapacitating agents