

PRODUCTION

1. Each State Party which produces chemicals in Schedule 1 for research, medical, pharmaceutical or protective purposes shall carry out the production at a single small-scale facility approved by the State Party, the only exceptions being those set forth in paragraphs 2 and 3 below.

The production at a single small-scale facility shall be carried out in reaction vessels not designed for continuous operation with a volume not in excess of [1] [10] [100] litres.

2. Production of Schedule 1 chemicals in quantities of more than 100 g per year may be carried out for [pharmaceutical] [research, medical or pharmaceutical] purposes outside a single small-scale facility in aggregate quantities not exceeding 10 kg per year per facility. ^{1/}

Such facilities shall be approved by the State Party.

3. (a) Synthesis of Schedule 1 chemicals for protective purposes may be carried out in aggregate quantities less than 100 g per year per laboratory at [a laboratory] [laboratories] approved by the State Party [if no single small-scale facility is established in the State Party]. [The number of laboratories shall not exceed [20]].

(b) Synthesis of Schedule 1 chemicals for research, medical or pharmaceutical purposes may be carried out [at laboratories approved by the State Party] in aggregate quantities less than 100 g per year per facility.

SINGLE SMALL-SCALE FACILITY

I. Declarations

A. Initial declarations

Each State Party which plans to operate such a facility shall provide the Technical Secretariat with the location and a detailed technical description of the facility, including an inventory of equipment and detailed diagrams. For existing facilities, this information shall be provided not later than 30 days after the Convention enters into force for the State Party. Information on new facilities shall be provided six months before operations are to begin.

^{1/} A view was expressed that ultratoxic substances (to be determined) shall not be allowed to be produced in excess of 10 g per year.