

ARTICLE I

Use of terms

Except where otherwise expressly indicated, or where the context otherwise requires, the following terms in this Convention have the meanings given below:

- (a) "Council" means the Economic and Social Council of the United Nations.
- (b) "Commission" means the Commission on Narcotic Drugs of the Council.
- (c) "Board" means the International Narcotics Control Board provided for in the Single Convention on Narcotic Drugs 1961.
- (d) "Secretary-General" means the Secretary-General of the United Nations.
- (e) "Psychotropic substance" means any substance, natural or synthetic, or any natural material in Schedule I, II, III or IV.
- (f) "Preparation" means:
 - (i) any solution or mixture, in whatever physical state, containing one or more psychotropic substances, or
 - (ii) one or more psychotropic substances in dosage form.
- (g) "Schedule I", "Schedule II", "Schedule III" and "Schedule IV" mean the correspondingly numbered lists of psychotropic substances annexed to this Convention as altered in accordance with article 2.
- (h) "Export" and "import" mean in their respective connotations the physical transfer of a psychotropic substance from one State to another State.
- (i) "Manufacture" means all processes by which psychotropic substances may be obtained, and includes refining as well as the transformation of psychotropic substances into other psychotropic substances. The term also includes the making of preparations other than those made on prescription in pharmacies.
- (j) "Illicit traffic" means manufacture of or trafficking in psychotropic substances contrary to the provisions of this Convention.