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House of Representatives, January 25, 1990

Approved for introduction by a majority of the Legislative Council pursuant to Joint Rule 26.

Reference to the Committee on Judiciary suggested and ordered printed.

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads 'Ed Pert'.

EDWIN H. PERT, Clerk

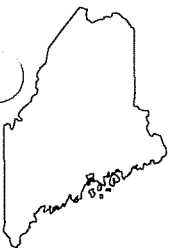
Presented by Representative RICHARDS of Hampden.

Cosponsored by Representative WEBSTER of Cape Elizabeth, Senator HOLLOWAY of Lincoln and Representative MACOMBER of South Portland.

STATE OF MAINE

IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD
NINETEEN HUNDRED AND NINETY

**An Act to Increase the Penalties for Possession of Certain Controlled
Substances.**



Be it enacted by the People of the State of Maine as follows:

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334, §2, is further amended to read:

6 I. Unless listed or described in another schedule, all
8 narcotic drugs, including, but not limited to, heroin
10 (diacetylmorphine), methadone, pethidine, morphine and
opium. As used in this chapter, "heroin" means any
compound, mixture or preparation containing heroin. ;

12 Sec. 2. 17-A MRSA §1102, sub-§1, ¶J, as enacted by PL 1977, c.
14 649, §1, is amended to read:

16 J. Phencyclidine;

18 Sec. 3. 17-A MRSA §1102, sub-§1, ¶¶K to M are enacted to read:

20 K. Lysergic acid diethylamide, and its salts, isomers and
salts of isomers;

22 L. Lysergic acid; and

24 M. Lysergic acid amide.

26 Sec. 4. 17-A MRSA §1102, sub-§2, ¶H, as enacted by PL 1975, c.
28 740, §100, is amended to read:

30 H. Unless listed or described in another schedule, any of
32 the following hallucinogenic drugs or their salts, isomers
and salts of isomers whenever the existence of such salts,
isomers and salts of isomers is possible within the specific
chemical designation:

34 (1) 3, 4 -- methylenedioxy amphetamine;

36 (2) 5 -- methoxy -- 3, 4 -- methylenedioxy amphetamine;

38 (3) 3, 4, 5 -- trimethoxy amphetamine;

40 (4) 4 -- methyl -- 2, 5 -- dimethoxyamphetamine;

42 (5) Diethyltryptamine;

44 (6) Dimethyltryptamine;

46 (7) Dipropyltryptamine;

48 (8) --Lysergic-acid-diethylamide

50 (9) 2, - 3 methylenedioxy amphetamine;

2 (10) 2, 5 -- dimethoxyamphetamine;

4 (11) 4 -- bromo -- 2, 5 -- dimethoxyamphetamine; and

6 (12) 4 -- methoxyamphetamine; and

8 **Sec. 5. 17-A MRSA §1102, sub-§2, ¶I**, as enacted by PL 1975, c.
10 740, §100, is repealed.

12 **Sec. 6. 17-A MRSA §1102, sub-§2, ¶J**, as amended by PL 1977, c.
14 649, §3, is repealed.

16 STATEMENT OF FACT

18 This bill changes the classification of LSD to a Schedule W
20 drug from its current classification as a Schedule X drug. The
punishment for possessing, furnishing or trafficking in a
Schedule W drug is more severe than for a Schedule X drug.