- (1) A physician, dentist, veterinarian, scientific investigator, or other person licensed, registered or otherwise permitted to distribute, dispense, conduct research with respect to or administer a controlled dangerous substance in the course of professional practice or research in this State.
- [(a)] (I) "Physician" shall mean any person authorized by law to practice medicine in this State.
- [(b)] (II) "Dentist" and "veterinarian" shall mean any person authorized by law to practice dentistry or veterinary medicine in this State.
- (2) A pharmacy, laboratory, hospital or other institution licensed, registered, or otherwise permitted to distribute, dispense, conduct research with respect to or to administer a controlled dangerous substance in the course of professional practice or research in the [State.
- (a)] STATE. "Hospital" shall mean an institution for the care and treatment of the sick and injured approved by the Department, as proper to be entrusted with the custody of controlled dangerous substances under the direction of a physician, dentist, or veterinarian.

## DRAFTER'S NOTE:

Error: Incorrect tabulation, omitted colons, and incorrect internal references in Article 27, § 277(j) and (q) and excessive spacing and tabulation in § 277(t).

Occurred: Ch. 493, Acts of 1971.

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The following schedules include the controlled dangerous substances listed or to be listed by whatever official name, common or usual name, chemical name, or trade name designated.

- (e) 3. a. Any compound, mixture, or preparation containing limited quantities of any of the following narcotic drugs or any salts thereof, which also contains one or more nonnarcotic active medicinal ingredients in sufficient proportion to confer upon the compound, mixture, or preparation, valuable medicinal qualities other than those possessed by the narcotic drug alone:
- 4. Not more than 2.5 milligrams of diphenoxylate and not less than 25 micrograms of atropine sulfate per dosage unit; AND
- 5. Unless specifically excepted, or unless listed in another schedule, any material, compound, mixture, or preparation containing [any of the following narcotic drugs and their salts, as set forth below:
  - 1. Buprenorphine BUPRENORPHINE OR ITS SALT.

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