

**[DDB BOARD REGULATION NO. 7, s. 1974,
November 13, 1974]**

**AMENDMENT OF BOARD REGULATION NO. 4, SERIES OF 1972,
PRESCRIBING THE PROCEDURES IN THE CUSTODY OF SEIZED
PROHIBITED AND REGULATED DRUGS, INSTRUMENTS,
APPARATUS, AND ARTICLES SPECIALLY DESIGNED FOR THE USE
THEREOF**

Pursuant to the provisions of Section 36 of Republic Act No. 6425, as amended, particularly paragraphs (a) and (b) thereof relative to the manner of safekeeping, disposition, burning or condemnation of dangerous drugs under its custody, and of taking charge and custody of all dangerous drugs seized, confiscated by, or surrendered to any national, provincial, or local law enforcement agency, Board Regulation No. 4, series of 1972 is hereby amended to read as follows:

SECTION 1. All prohibited and regulated drugs, instruments, apparatus, and articles specially designed for the use thereof when unlawfully used or found in the possession of any person not authorized to have control and disposition of the same, or when found secreted or abandoned, shall be seized or confiscated by any national, provincial or local enforcement agency. Any apprehending team having initial custody and control of said drugs and/or paraphernalia should, immediately after seizure or confiscation, have the same physically inventoried and photographed in the presence of the accused, if there be any, and/or his representative, who shall be required to sign the copies of the inventory and be given a copy thereof. The apprehending team shall, within twenty-four hours from seizure, inform the Dangerous Drugs Board by telegram of said seizure, the nature and quantity thereof, and present custody of the same.

Within ten (10) days from the date of seizure or confiscation, the apprehending team shall submit to the Board a detailed report which shall be accomplished on the form entitled: REPORT ON AN ILLICIT NARCOTICS TRANSACTION OR SEIZURE (DDB Form No. 4-72). The apprehending team shall, within the same period turn over to the Dangerous Drugs Board Custodian (NBI) the seized or confiscated drugs, from which adequate representative samples shall be taken and retained by the apprehending team for purposes of evidence in the appropriate judicial proceedings.

SECTION 2. All national, provincial, or local law enforcement agencies which shall assign personnel on intelligence missions in the enforcement of the Dangerous Drugs Act of 1972 shall, within ten (10) days from the assignment of such personnel, submit a sealed confidential report to the Chairman of the Board specifying the name or names of the personnel in mission, his field of assignment, and the nature and amount