

Annex A

Offence recording codes

The codes for recording offences by the police and the courts for statistical purposes within the Home Office Recorded Crime and Ministry of Justice Court Appearance Database (CAD) - which includes cautions - are as follows:

The new range of synthetic cannabinoids

The additional compounds captured by the new generic definitions of synthetic cannabinoids should be recorded under the existing offence codes for controlled 'synthetic cannabinoid receptor agonists' as follows:

- 92/22 - Production of or being concerned in the production of synthetic cannabinoid receptor agonists - Class B
- 92/42 - Supplying or offering to supply or being concerned in supplying or offering to supply synthetic cannabinoid receptor agonists - Class B
- 92/62 - Possession of synthetic cannabinoid receptor agonists - Class B
- 92/82 - Possession of synthetic cannabinoid receptor agonists with intent to supply - Class B
- 93/22 - Permitting premises to be used for unlawful purposes - synthetic cannabinoid receptor agonists - Class B

Methoxetamine and other related compounds and O-desmethyltramadol

These are to be placed under existing codes relating to 'Other Class B' controlled drugs as follows:

- 92/25 - Production of or being concerned in production of a controlled drug - Class B
- 92/45 - Supplying or offering to supply or being concerned in supplying or offering to supply a controlled drug - Class B
- 92/65 - Possession of a controlled drug - Class B
- 92/85 - Possession of a controlled drug with intent to supply - Class B
- 92/91 - Incite another to supply a controlled drug - Class B
- 93/25 - Permitting premises to be used for unlawful purposes - Class B

NB. Temporary class drug offence codes (see annex A of the Home Office Circular [008/2012](#)) should still be used in relation to methoxetamine where the offence occurred **before** the drug becomes subject to Class B control on 26 February.

Offences under s. 19(a) and 19(b) of the Criminal Justice (International Co-operation) Act 1990 will fall under the appropriate sub-classification code for Class B drugs. Codes 77/54 and 77/57 refer.

Importation and exportation offences under s. 50(2), (3) & (5), s. 68 (2) & (4) and s. 170 (1), (2), (3) & (4) of the Customs and Excise Management Act 1979 will fall under the appropriate sub-classification code for Class B drugs. Codes 92/04 and 92/07 refer.