DRUGS ACTIONABLE BECAUSE OF DEVIATION FROM OFFICIAL OR OWN STANDARDS

2735. Adulteration of distilled water. U. S. v. 676 Vials * * *. (F. D. C. No. 26145. Sample Nos. 11117–K, 11118–K.)

LIBEL FILED: December 22, 1948, Southern District of New York.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about February 19, 1948, from Los Angeles, Calif.

PRODUCT: 676 50-cc. vials of *distilled water* at New York, N. Y.

NATURE OF CHARGE: Adulteration, Section 501 (b), the article purported to be and was represented as "Water for Injection," a drug the name of which is recognized in the United States Pharmacopoeia, an official compendium, and its quality and purity fell below the official standard since it was contaminated with undissolved material. The article was adulterated while held for sale after shipment in interstate commerce.

DISPOSITION: January 14, 1949. Default decree of condemnation and destruction.

2736. Adulteration of physiological salt solution. U. S. v. 2,988 Vials * * *. (F. D. C. No. 26136. Sample No. 11116–K.)

LIBEL FILED: December 16, 1948, Southern District of New York.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about February 19, 1948, from Los Angeles, Calif.

PRODUCT: 2,988 vials of *physiological salt solution* at New York, N. Y.

LABEL, IN PART: "Physiological Salt Solution (Isotonic Solution of Sodium Chloride U. S. P.) Sterile."

NATURE OF CHARGE: Adulteration, Section 501 (b), the article purported to be and was represented as "Sterile Isotonic Sodium Chloride Solution for Parenteral Use," a drug the name of which is recognized in the United States Pharmacopoeia, an official compendium, and its quality and purity fell below the official standard since it was contaminated with undissolved material. The article was adulterated while held for sale after shipment in interstate commerce.

DISPOSITION: January 14, 1949. Default decree of condemnation and destruction.

2737. Adulteration of thiamine hydrochloride solution and dextrose solution. U. S. v. 33 Vials, etc. (F. D. C. No. 26268. Sample Nos. 23585–K, 23593–K.)

LIBEL FILED: January 13, 1949, Northern District of Texas.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about October 19 and 30 and December 1, 1948, from Los Angeles, Calif.

PRODUCT: 33 15-cc. vials of *thiamine hydrochloride solution* and 35 50-cc. vials of dextrose solution at Dallas, Tex.

NATURE OF CHARGE: Adulteration, Section 501 (b), the articles purported to be and were represented as "Thiamine Hydrochloride Injection" and "Dextrose Injection," drugs the names of which are recognized in the United States Pharmacopoeia, and the quality and purity of the articles fell below the official standard since they were contaminated with undissolved material. The articles were adulterated while held for sale after shipment in interstate commerce.

DISPOSITION: May 25, 1949. Default decree of condemnation and destruction.