Definitions: Special Circumstances

**Controlled Substance** has the meaning of a drug or other substance identified under schedule I, II, III, IV, or V in section 202(c) of the Controlled Substances Act [21 U.S.C. 812 (c)].

**Illegal Drug** has the meaning of a controlled substance but does not include a controlled substance that is legally possessed or used under the supervision of a licensed health-care professional of that is legally possessed or used under any other authority under that Act or under any other provision of Federal law.

**Weapon** has the meaning given the term ‘dangerous weapon’ under section 930(g)(2) of title 18, U.S.C. This includes a weapon, device, instrument, material, or substance, animate or inanimate, that is used for, or is readily capable of, causing death or serious bodily injury, except that such term does not include a pocket knife with a blade of less than 2 ½ inches in length.

**Serious Bodily Injury** has the meaning of the term under paragraph (3) of subsection (h) of section 1365 of title 18, U.S.C. This requires a showing of substantial risk of death, extreme physical pain, protracted and obvious disfigurement, or protracted loss or impairment of function of a bodily member, organ or mental faculty.