

Federal Purchase Logbook Requirement

For non-prescription purchases of 60 mg. or more of PSE products, federal law requires purchase logbooks to be maintained. Logbooks may be written or electronic. The logs must be kept for two years and may be made available to law enforcement to ensure compliance with federal law (the Controlled Substances Act) or a health and safety product recall. The logbooks must include a warning to the purchaser that false statements or misrepresentations may result in federal criminal penalties under 18 U.S.C. 1001, which carries a maximum fine of \$250,000 and a maximum term of imprisonment of 5 years.

Purchasers can not view information in the logbook about previous purchasers.

- Purchaser must
1. present government-issued photo ID
 2. provide name and address
 3. enter date and time of purchase
 4. sign

- Retailer must:
1. enter name of product and quantity of purchase
 2. check information provided by purchaser by examining purchaser's government-issued photo ID

Until the DEA provides additional information about logbooks, the Department of Public Safety suggests the following for a logbook to be used to comply with state law, which takes effect on June 2, 2006.

Date (mm/dd/yy) ____/____/____ Time _____am/pm	Purchaser's full name (last, first, middle) _____ Address: _____ _____	ID: ___ DL ___ Passport Other _____ ID Number _____
Number of packages _____	Quantity per package _____	Product name _____ Type: ___ Tablets ___ Capsules ___ Gelcaps ___ Liquid
Purchaser's signature _____		Purchaser's ID verified by _____ (employee's initials and employee number)
Note to purchaser: false statements or misrepresentations may result in federal criminal penalties under 18 U.S.C. 1001, with a maximum fine of \$250,000 and a maximum term of imprisonment of 5 years.		

Note: state law prohibits sale to persons under age 16 and purchase by persons under 16 years of age. Retailers should verify the purchaser's date of birth to ensure that the purchaser is 16 or older.

Methamphetamines pose a real and immediate danger to public health and safety. For this reason, the new Alaska law regarding the sale of the products used to make methamphetamines took effect immediately upon being signed by Governor Murkowski on June 2, 2006. State law prohibits the sale of these products to persons under age 16 and requires retailers to comply with federal law requirements regarding sales limitations, logbooks, identification, storage, and access. The Alaska Department of Public Safety encourages Alaska retailers to make immediate changes in their storage, access, and sales counter practices and begin using logbooks at once. Logbooks, which require positive identification, are the best way to ensure that no sales are made to persons under age 16. Positive, immediate action by retailers throughout the state will help law enforcement end the meth menace quickly.