## SYNTHESIS OF N-[(1Z)-2-(ALKYLAMINO)-2-OXO-1-(2-OXO-1,2-DI-HYDRO-3N-INDOLE-3-ILYDEN)ETHYL|BENZAMIDES

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With the purpose of base encroachment of biologically active compounds as nootropic medicines we have synthesized the range of alkylamides of (2-oxo-1,2-dihydro-3*H*-indol-3-ylidene)-2-hydroxy-acetic acid.

The synthesis of the target products has been carried out using of 2-phenyl-4-(2-oxoindoliniliden-3)-5-oxazolone (2) obtained by reacting acid (1) with an excess of acetic anhydride as a precursor. N-[(1Z)-2-(alkylamino)-2-oxo-1-(2-oxo-1,2-dihydro-3H-indole-3-ylidene)ethyl]benzamides 3a-h have been obtained by heating (2) water bath with equimolar amount of respective alkylamines for 20 minutes using ethanol as a solvent.

Synthesis has been carried out according to the following scheme:

where:  $R = CH_3$ ;  $C_2H_5$ ;  $C_3H_7$ ; iso- $C_3H_7$ ;  $C_4H_9$ ;  $C_6H_{13}$ ;  $CH_2C_6H_5$ ;  $(CH_2)_2C_6H_5$ 

N-[(1Z)-2-(alkylamino)-2-oxo-1-(2-oxo-1,2-dihydro-3H-indole-3-ylidene) ethyl]benzamides are yellow crystalline substances with high melting points. The substances are insoluble in water, but soluble in such organic solvents as dimethylformamide, 1,4-dioxane.

The structure of the compounds synthesized have been confirmed by the data of the elemental analysis, spectral data, X-ray diffraction analysis (compound 3b) and their individuality has been proved by thin-layer chromatography.