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Government of India
Ministry of Chemicals and Fertilizers
Department of Pharmaceuticals
National Pharmaceutical Pricing Authority

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ORDER

S. O. 484(E):- In exercise of the powers conferred by paragraphs 4, 6, 10, 11, 14, 16, 17 and 18 of the Drugs (Prices Control) Order, 2013, read with S.O. 1394(E) dated 30th May, 2013 and S.O. 5249(E) dated 11th November, 2022 issued by the Government of India the Ministry of Chemicals and Fertilizers and in supersession of the Order of the Government of India in the Ministry of Chemicals and Fertilizers (National Pharmaceutical Pricing Authority) No SO 1499(E) dated 30th March, 2022 in so far as it relates to formulation packs mentioned in the table below, except in respect of things done or omitted to be done before such supersession, the National Pharmaceutical Pricing Authority (hereinafter referred as NPPA) hereby fixes the price as specified in column (5) of the table herein below as ceiling price exclusive of goods and services tax applicable, if any, in respect of the Scheduled formulation specified in the corresponding entry in column (2) of the said Table with the dosage form & strength and unit specified respectively in the corresponding entries in columns (3) and (4) thereof:

TABLE

Sl. No.	Name of the Scheduled Formulation	Dosage form and strength	Unit	Ceiling Price (Rs.)
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)
1	Omeprazole	Capsule 20 mg	1 Capsule	2.56
2	Colchicine	Tablet 0.5mg	1 Tablet	2.91
3	Amoxicillin	Capsule 500mg	1 Capsule	6.56
4	Dexamethasone	Tablet 0.5mg	1 Tablet	0.20
5	Prednisolone	Tablet 10mg	1 Tablet	1.07
6	Prednisolone	Tablet 5mg	1 Tablet	0.61
7	Azithromycin	Tablet 250mg	1 Tablet	10.39
8	Azithromycin	Tablet 500mg	1 Tablet	21.02
9	Prednisolone	Tablet 20mg	1 Tablet	2.14
10	Doxycycline	Capsule 100mg	1 Capsule	2.75
11	Paracetamol	Tablet 500mg	1 Tablet	0.80
12	Sodium Valproate	Oral liquid 200mg/5mL(p)	1 ML	0.58
13	Cholecalciferol	Solid oral dosage form 60000 IU Tablets	1 Tablet	20.07

Sl. No.	Name of the Scheduled Formulation	Dosage form and strength	Unit	Ceiling Price (Rs.)
14	Gefitinib	Tablet 250mg	1 Tablet	211.49
15	Mycophenolate mofetil	Tablet 250mg	1 Tablet	44.24
16	Ceftazidime	Powder for Injection 250 mg	1 Vial	70.52
17	Xylometazoline	Nasal drops 0.05 %	1 ML	3.74
18	Xylometazoline	Nasal drops 0.1%	1 ML	4.57
19	Bisacodyl	Suppository 5mg	1 Suppository	8.90
20	Levetiracetam	Injection 100mg/mL	1 ML	20.53
21	Ondansetron	Injection 2mg/mL	1 ML	5.32
22	Paracetamol	Suppository 80mg	1 Suppository	5.94
23	Paracetamol	Suppository 170mg	1 Suppository	7.09
24	Methylethergometrine	Injection 0.2mg/mL	1 ML	13.33
25	Cytosine arabinoside	Injection 100mg/vial	1 Vial	124.49
26	Cytosine arabinoside	Injection 500mg/vial	1 Vial	478.32
27	Ketamine	Injection 50mg/mL	1 ML	10.81
28	Vincristine	Injection 1mg/mL	1 ML	51.30
29	Tramadol	Injection 50mg/mL (upto 2ml pack)	1 ML	10.51
30	Oxytocin	Injection 5 IU/mL	1 ML	15.91
31	Azithromycin	Oral liquid 200 mg/5 mL (p)	1 ML	3.04
32	Cetirizine	Oral liquid 5mg/5mL(p)	1 ML	0.59
33	Amoxicillin (A) +Clavulanic acid (B)	Oral liquid 200 mg (A) + 28.5mg(B)/5 mL(p)	1 ML	1.80
34	Cefixime	Oral liquid 50 mg/5 mL (p)	1 ML	1.45
35	Cefixime	Oral liquid 100mg/5mL(p)	1 ML	2.13
36	Rituximab	Injection 10mg/mL	1 ML	679.41
37	Sodium bicarbonate	Injection (as per IP) - 8.4%	1 ML	1.20
38	Primaquine	Tablet 15mg	1 Tablet	4.58
39	Ritonavir	Tablet 100mg	1 Tablet	26.05
40	Carbamazepine	Tablet 100mg	1 Tablet	0.95
41	Ibuprofen	Oral liquid 100mg/5mL(p)	1 ML	0.20
42	Zidovudine (A) +Lamivudine (B) +Nevirapine(C)	Tablet 300mg(A)+150mg(B)+200mg (c)	1 Tablet	18.85
43	Spirolactone	Tablet 25mg	1 Tablet	1.95

Sl. No.	Name of the Scheduled Formulation	Dosage form and strength	Unit	Ceiling Price (Rs.)
44	Furosemide	Tablet 40mg	1 Tablet	0.81
45	Verapamil	Tablet 80 mg	1 Tablet	1.42
46	Verapamil	Tablet 40mg	1 Tablet	0.77
47	Natamycin	Drops 5%	1 ML	20.85
48	Homatropine	Drops 2%	1 ML	5.71
49	Carboxymethyl cellulose	Drops 0.5%	1 ML	10.97
50	Carboxymethyl cellulose	Drops 1%	1 ML	14.79
51	Salbutamol	Inhalation (MDI/DPI*) 100mcg/dose	1 MDI	0.44
52	Salbutamol	Respirator Solution (Solution for Nebulizer 5mg/mL)	1 ML	0.61
53	Pyridoxine	Tablet 100 mg	1 Tablet	5.33

Note:

- (a) All manufacturers of scheduled formulation, selling the branded or generic or both the versions of scheduled formulations at a price higher than the ceiling price (plus Goods and Services Tax as applicable) so fixed and notified by the Government, shall revise the prices of all such formulations downward not exceeding the ceiling price specified in column (5) in the above table plus goods and services tax as applicable, if any.
- (b) All the existing manufacturers of above-mentioned scheduled formulations having MRP lower than the ceiling price specified in column (5) in the above table plus goods and services tax as applicable, if any, shall continue to maintain the existing MRP in accordance with paragraph 13 (2) of the DPCO, 2013.
- (c) The manufacturers may add goods and services tax only if they have paid actually or if it is payable to the Government on the ceiling price mentioned in column (5) of the above said table.
- (d) The ceiling price for a pack of the scheduled formulation shall be arrived at by the concerned manufacturer in accordance with the ceiling price specified in column (5) of the above table as per provisions contained in paragraph 11 of the Drugs (Prices Control) Order, 2013. The manufacturer shall issue a price list in Form-V from date of Notification as per paragraph 24 of the DPCO, 2013 to NPPA through IPDMS and submit a copy to State Drug Controller and dealers.
- (e) As per para 24(4) of DPCO 2013, every retailer and dealer shall display price list and the supplementary price list, if any, as furnished by the manufacturer, on a conspicuous part of the premises where he carries on business in a manner so as to be easily accessible to any person wishing to consult the same.
- (f) Where an existing manufacturer of scheduled formulation with dosage or strength or both as specified in the above table launches a new drug as per paragraph 2(1)(u) of the

DPCO, 2013 such existing manufacturer shall apply for prior price approval of such new drug to the NPPA in Form I as specified under Schedule-II of the DPCO, 2013.

- (g) The manufacturers of above said scheduled formulations shall furnish quarterly return to the NPPA, in respect of production / import and sale of scheduled formulations in Form-III of Schedule-II of the DPCO, 2013 through IPDMS. Any manufacturer intending to discontinue production of above said scheduled formulation shall furnish information to the NPPA, in respect of discontinuation of production and / or import of scheduled formulation in Form-IV of Schedule-II of the DPCO, 2013 at least six months prior to the intended date of discontinuation.
- (h) The manufacturers not complying with the ceiling price and notes specified hereinabove shall be liable to deposit the overcharged amount along with interest thereon under the provisions of the Drugs (Prices Control) Order, 2013 read with Essential Commodities Act, 1955.
- (i) Consequent to the issue of ceiling price of such formulation as specified in column (2) of the above table in this notification, the price order(s) fixing ceiling or retail price, if any, issued prior to the above said date of notification, stand(s) superseded.

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