

My No: MSD/SCU(S)/Cir/2024  
Medical Supplies Division  
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-12-2024

Circular No: **MSD/Q/P/2024/48**

To :

DDG/NHSL - Colombo  
DDG/NH - Kandy  
All Provincial Directors of Health Services,  
All Regional Directors of Health Services,  
All Directors of Teaching Hospitals,  
All Directors of Specialized Campaigns,  
Director, N.I.H.S Kalutara,  
All MOIC/MOH- Institutions,  
MOIC/Medical Institutions of Line Ministry,

**REPORT ON FAILING SAMPLE – Meropenem Inj. 1g vial**  
**MSD ORDER LIST NO: 2022/SPC/X/C/P/00280**

**PA Order No: DHS/M/ICL/PM/394/2022**

1. Re-above, details of the letter no NMRA/PA3/QF15/2024 dated 12.12.2024 received from CEO/ NMRA, are given below for your information please.

1.1) Name of the product/ Item : **Meropenem Inj. 1g vial**  
**Meropenem for Injection 1g (MANPEN 1000)**

SR : **00102102**

1.2) Manufacturer : **Maan Pharmaceuticals Ltd, Plot-1, G.I.D.C, Phase-II,**  
**Modhera Road, Mehsana-384002, Gujarat, India.**

1.3) Batch Details :

Batch	Date of Manufacture	Date of Expiry
RP23009E	2023.02.01	2025.01.31
RP23013E		
RP23014E		

1.4) NMQUAL LR No : **39961, 39957, 39960**

1.5) Failure : **Failure to comply with USP specification with respect to the constituted solution test.**

1.6) SAFRESC Recommendation : **To withdraw the above batches based on the above mentioned held on 10.12.2024 NMQUAL analytical reports.**

2. CEO-NMRA Instruction : **Withdraw above batches from use immediately.**

3. Considering above facts, you are requested the following

3.1) **To withdraw the above batches (as detailed in 1.1-1.3 above) from use immediately.**

3.2) To inform details of all batches available of this product to D/NMQUAL, 120 Norris Canal Road, Colombo 10, to enable them to select samples for further testing and provide sample on request to NMQUAL.

4. Please note: It would be your responsibility,

4.1) To follow the instructions given by Secretary of Health, under the circular No: 01/2021 dated 08.12.2021.

5. 5.1) Please bring the contents of the circular to all concerned in your Province/ Region/ Institution.

5.2) Please Note: It is the responsibility of all RDHS to ensure that the copies of this circular is circulated among all the heads of the institutions under your preview.

6. Previous Circulars

**Circular No**  
MSD/Q/P/2024/33  
MSD/Q/P/2024/42

**Batch**  
RP23017E  
09 Batches

**Decision**  
Batch Withhold  
Batch Withdraw



Dr. Dedunu Dias.  
Director (Acting),  
Medical Supplies Division,

**Dr. DEDUNU DIAS**  
Director - (Acting)  
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Rev. Baddegama Wimalawansa Thero Mwr;  
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| 1. Auditor General - f.i   | 2.DGHS-f.i                                   | 3.Chairman/SPC - f.i. & n.a           |
| 4. DDG(M/S) - f.i.   | 5.CEO/ NMRA - f.i. & n.a.                    | 6. Secretary/MEC - f.i                |
| 7. <b>D/NMQAL</b> – f.i. & n.a.  |  |                                       |
| 8. Chief Internal Auditor/ MOH-f.i   | 9.D/(Stock Verification)/MOH - f.i.          | 10. DD/MSD - f.i. & n.a.              |
| 11. AD (Stores)/MSD - f.i.   |  |                                       |
| <b>12. Chief Accountant/MSD</b> - To make arrangements to recover the relevant charges.        |  |                                       |
| <b>13. Acct(S)MSD</b> - To make arrangements to recover the relevant charges.                  |  |                                       |
| 14. AD (Dispatch)/MSD - f.i.   | 15. AD/ICT Unit - to publish in MSD web site |                                       |
| <b>16. AD (P)/MSD</b> - To ensure that SCO concerned provide the required information to NMQAL |  |                                       |
| 17. All DP/DPDHS - f.i. & n.a  | 18. SP / MSD - f.i & n.a                     | 19.HSCO (P) - f.i. & n.a.             |
| <b>20. SCO (S/WH 01)</b> - f.i.& n.a.  |  |                                       |
| 21. SCO (D/WH 01)-f.i & n.a  | 22.MSA-WH (01)/MSD - f.i. & n.a.             | 23. MO (Technical unit)/MOH-f.i & n.a |
| 24. H/Destruction Unit (MSD) - f.i & n.a   |  |                                       |