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Circular No: **MSD/Q/PP/2026/2**

To :

DDG/NHSL – Colombo,
DDG/NH – Kandy,
DDG/NH – Galle,
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 – Celecoxib Capsules 200 mg (Swizcox 200)

1. Re-above, details of the letter NMRA/PV/QF11/2026 dated 21st August 2026 received from CEO/NMRA are circulated herewith for your information and necessary action, please

1.1) Name of the product/ Item : **Celecoxib Capsules 200 mg (Swizcox 200)**

1.2) Manufacturer : Swiss Garnier Life Sciences, 21-23, Industrial area, Mehatpur,
Dist. UNA, Himachal Pradesh – 174315, India

1.3) Batch Details :

Batch No	Manufacture Date	Expiry Date
476CSX004	July 2025	June 2028
476CSX005	July 2025	June 2028
476CSX002	May 2025	April 2028

1.4) Reference of NMRA : To the decision of the **Safety and Risk Evaluation Subcommittee (SAFRESC)** dated **17th August 2026** based on the NMQUAL reports; LR 41073, LR 41074, and LR 41075

2. CEO-NMRA Instruction : **To Withhold the above mentioned batches (B. No: 476CSX004, 476CSX005, and 476CSX002) from use, immediately**

3. Considering above facts, you are requested the following

3.1) **To Withhold the above mentioned batches (as detailed 1.1 -1.3. above) from use, immediately**

3.2) **It is noted that, above item has not been supplied by the MSD**

4. Please note: It would be your responsibility, in addition to point 3,

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 this 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 purview.


Director,
Medical Supplies Division.

Dr. DEDUNU DIAS
Director - (Acting)
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| 7. D/NMQAL – f.i. | | |
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| 11. Chief Accountant (Supply) / MSD – f.i. | | |
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