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Circular No: **MSD/Q/P/2023/39**

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 Kaluthara,
All MOIC/MOH- Institutions,
MOIC/Medical Institutions of Line Ministry

REPORT ON FAILING SAMPLE – Aspirin Enteric-Coated Tab 75mg
MSD ORDER LIST NO:2022/MSD/E/R/P/00117 **PA Order No: MSD/SB08/LM/135/2023**

1. Re-above, details of the report received from CEO/ N.M.R.A (Quality log No: 3765) are given below for your information please.

1.1) Name of the product/ Item	: **Aspirin Enteric Coated Tab 75mg** **Gastro-resistant Aspirin Tablets BP 75mg** **('Aspigen 75')**
SR	: **00205404**
1.5) Manufacturer	: Newgen Lanka Healthcare Pvt Ltd, Plant A, Andiyagala Waththa, Othara Road, Elibitchchiya,Kurunegala, Sri Lanka.
1.2) Batch No	: **T1723005**
1.3) Date of Manufacture	: JAN-2023
1.4) Dare of Expiry	: DEC-2024
1.6) NMQAL LR No	: 38966
1.7) Analytical Report	: **Sample does not conform to BP Specifications with respect to test for related substances.**
1.8) NMQAL Recommendation	: **To withhold the above batch as a preliminary precaution.**
2. CEO-NMRA Instruction	: **To withhold the above Batch from use immediately.**

3. Considering above facts, you are requested the following

3.1) **To withhold the above Batch from use immediately.**

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

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.

Director
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1. Auditor General - f.i
2. DGHS-f.i
3. Chairman/SPC - f.i. & to inform to the supplier
4. DDG(M/S) - f.i.
5. CEO/ NMRA - f.i. & n.a.
6. Secretary/MEC - f.i
7. **D/NMQAL** - In the event that obtaining samples from 05 different batches is not possible, to inform D/MSD to send samples from available batches.
8. Chief Internal Auditor/ MOH-f.i
9. D/ (Stock Verific.)/MOH - f.i.
10. DD/MSD - f.i. & n.a.
11. Chief Accountant/MSD-f.i & n.a
12. AD(Stores)/MSD - f.i.
13. **Acct(S)MSD** - f.i.
14. AD (Dispatch)/MSD - f.i.
15. AD/ICT Unit - to publish in MSD web site
16. **AD(P II)/MSD** - 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.
20. **SCO(S/WH 02)-** To send consignment details, storage condition and other relevant details of above product as per the request of NMRA
21. SCO(D/WH 02)-f.i & n.a
22. MSA-WH (02)/MSD - f.i. & n.a.
23. MO(Technical unit)/MOH-f.i & n.a