No. 31015/26/2014-PI.I GOVERNMENT OF INDIA MINISTRY OF CHEMICALS & FERTILIZERS DEPARTMENT OF PHARMACEUTICALS

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B Wing, Janpath Bhavan, New Delhi

<u>ORDER</u>

Subject: Review Application Of M/S Abbott Healthcare Limited under para 31 of DPCO, 2013 against fixation/revision of ceiling price of Gentamicin Injection 40mg/ml vide NPPA notification S.O. NO.1157 (E) dated 28/4/2014 under Drugs (Prices) Control) Order, 2013 (DPCO, 2013).

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Whereas Government of India, vide price fixation Order S.O. No. 1157 (E) dated 28/4/2014 fixed ceiling price of scheduled medicine Gentamicin Injection 40mg/ml.

- 2. And whereas aggrieved by the above notification M/S Abbott Healthcare Limited (hereinafter referred to as the Petitioners) had represented to the reviewing authority against the said price fixation. Personal hearing was granted to the Petitioners by the Department of Pharmaceuticals on 06.6.2014. The Petitioners were represented by Sh. Shirish Ghoge, Director, Shri Punit Pania, Manger (Strategic Marketing) Shri Ravi Kiran M, Director (Legal) Shri Vishal Maheshwari, Director (Finance). On behalf of the NPPA Shri S.K. Bhatt, Deputy Director (Tech) and Shri Manish Goswami, Dy. Director attended the hearing.
- 3. The issues involved in the review application have been examined based on the record note of discussions of the personal hearing, other documents on record and the Government has decided as under:

"The points made by the company has no merits and therefore deserve to be rejected"

Issued on this date 2nd July, 2014.

(Roshan Lal)

Under Secretary to the Govt. of India For and on behalf of the President of India

To

- M/s. Abbott Healthcare Pvt. Ltd.
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- The Member Secretary,
 National Pharmaceutical Pricing Authority,
 YMCA Cultural Centre Building, New Delhi-110001

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- 1. PS to Hon'ble Minister (Chemicals & Fertilizers), Shastri Bhawan, New Delhi for information.
- 2. Sr. PPS to Secretary (Pharma), Shastri Bhawan, New Delhi for information.
- 3. The Chairman, NPPA, YMCA Cultural Centre Building, New Delhi for information