No. 31015/47/2014-PI.I GOVERNMENT OF INDIA MINISTRY OF CHEMICALS & FERTILIZERS DEPARTMENT OF PHARMACEUTICALS

B Wing, Janpath Bhavan, New Delhi

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Subject: Review application of M/s. Ajanta Pharmaceuticals Limited against fixation of retail price of Tramodol +Diclofenac SR Tablets vide NPPA notification S.O. No.2102(E) dated 20.8.2014 issued under Drugs (Prices) Control) Order, 2013 (DPCO, 2013).

Whereas Government of India, vide price fixation Order S.O. No.2102(E) dated 20.8.2014 fixed retail price of Tramodol+Diclofenac SR Tablets under DPCO, 2013.

2. And whereas aggrieved by the above notification M/s. Ajanta Pharmaceuticals 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 16.9.2014. The Petitioners were represented by Arvind K. Agrawal, CFO and Sh. Satish Agrawal, Executive Vice President. On behalf of the National Pharmaceutical Pricing Authority (NPPA) Shri Naresh Arya, Deputy 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 application of the Petitioners is rejected having no merit."

Issued on this date 10th October, 2014.

(Roshan Lal) Under Secretary to the Govt. of India For and on behalf of the President of India

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- 1. PS to Hon'ble Minister (C&F), Shastri Bhawan, New Delhi for information.
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