No. 31015/41/2014-PI.I GOVERNMENT OF INDIA MINISTRY OF CHEMICALS & FERTILIZERS DEPARTMENT OF PHARMACEUTICALS

B Wing, Janpath Bhavan, New Delhi

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Subject: Review applications of M/s. Cadila Pharmaceuticals Ltd. against fixation/revision of ceiling prices of Dexamethasone Injection 4mg/ml and Ranitidine Injection 25mg/ml vide NPPA notification S.O. No. 1157 (E) dated 28/4/2014 issued under Drugs (Prices Control) Order, 2013 (DPCO, 2013).

Whereas Government of India, vide price fixation Order S.O. No.1157(E) dated 28/4/2014 fixed/revised ceiling price of Dexamethasone Injection 4mg/ml and Ranitidine Injection 25mg/ml under DPCO, 2013.

2. And whereas aggrieved by the above notification M/S Cadila Pharmaceuticals Ltd. (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 4.7.2014. The Petitioners were represented by S/Shri N.S. Krishnan, Deputy GM and Diwakar Sharma, Deputy Manager. 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 points raised by the Petitioners have no merit and, therefore, their review application is rejected."

Issued on this date 23nd July, 2014.

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

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- 2. The Member Secretary, National Pharmaceutical Pricing Authority, YMCA Cultural Centre Building, New Delhi-110001

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- 1. PS to Hon'ble Minister (C&F), 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