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Shastri Bhawan, New Delhi
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Subject: Monthly Summary Report in respect of Department of Pharmaceuticals for the month of August, 2022-reg.

The undersigned is directed to circulate herewith a copy of the Monthly Summary pertaining to the Department of Pharmaceuticals for the month of August, 2022 for information.


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**Ministry of Chemicals & Fertilizers
Department of Pharmaceuticals**

1. Important policy decisions taken and major achievements during the month of August 2022:

A. National Pharmaceutical Pricing Authority (NPPA):

(i) Silver Jubilee Celebrations of NPPA: On completion of 25 years of NPPA on 29.8.2022, an event was organised, which was attended by Dr. Mansukh, Mandaviya, Hon'ble Minister of Chemicals & Fertilisers; Shri Bhagwanth Khuba, Hon'ble Ministers of State for Chemicals & Fertilisers; Ms. S. Aparna, Secretary DoP, senior officers of department of Govt. of India, representatives of Pharma Industry/Associations and PMRUs from different states. Approximately, 600 participants attended the event. Following important activities undertaken in the function:

- (a) Launch of Integrated Pharmaceutical Database Management System (IPDMS 2.0)
- (b) Launch of Pharma Sahi Daam Mobile App 2.0
- (c) Release of publication titled 'An overview of Drug Pricing @ NPPA 25 years Odyssey'.
- (d) A panel discussion on "Robust data collection for evidence based policy making in Pharmaceutical and Medtech sector" was conducted under the chairmanship of Dr. V.K. Paul, Member (Health), NITI Ayog. The panellists were from IDMA, DEA/MoF, CDSCO, MoSPI, Medical Device Sector, NISG, NITI Ayog and E&Y.
- (e) A training session for the PMRUs Staff, Officers from SDCs of some states and Consultant/Young professional of NPPA was held, wherein, presentation on Drug Pricing Mechanism, PMRU module IPDMS, M&E/OC/MD activities and PMBJP was given.

(ii) The details of prices fixed in financial year 2022-23 are as below:

Sr. No.	Fixed Price/ Notified under Revised Schedule I (NLEM 2015)	During the month of 1 st August, 2022 to 31 st August, 2022	Cumulative from 1 st April, 2022 to 31 st August, 2022
1	Retail Price of 'New Drug'	45	195
2	Review order of DoP implemented by NPPA	0	01 (Darunavir + Ritonavir tablet)

(iii) An amount of Rs. 44,91,594.92/- towards overcharged amount has been received during the month of August, 2022.

B. National Institutes of Pharmaceutical Education & Research (NIPERs):

(i) Out of 382 Research papers published during the current financial year, 101 papers have been published in the month of August, 2022.

(ii) Out of 10 MoU signed during the current financial year, 3 MoUs have been signed in the month of August, 2022.

- (a) Online events on "BIG Grant writing session" on 01.08.2022 in collaboration with KIIT TBI, Bhubaneshwar, Odisha at Bio-NEST Incubation Centre, NIPER-Guwahati.
- (b) Training on High performance liquid chromatography (HPLC) on 05.08.2022 at NIPER Mohali.

- (c) Talk on “Protein multi-functionality: A versatile mechanism for bacterial camouflage” held under NIPER Seminar Series 2022 on 05.08.2022 at NIPER Mohali.
- (d) Har Ghar Triranga: NSS volunteers took out a rally in the campus. Presented a flag to Dr. Dulal Panda, Director, NIPER, and also distributed flags amongst volunteers and other employees of the institute. A march from Directors office took a round of the campus and this was followed by discussion on the lives and supreme sacrifices of freedom fighter that led to freedom of our country on 12.08.2022 at NIPER Mohali
- (e) Educational visit: The students were shown the Pharma Heritage Centre and Technology Development Centre of the institute on 31.08.2022 at UIPS, Panjab University, Chandigarh.
- (f) Innovation Dynamics & Patenting Strategies for Researches by Dr. T. Pavan Kumar on 04.08.2022 at NIPER Kolkata.
- (g) Brief discussion on Academic Integrity, Research and Ethics, Plagiarism and copy rights on 10.08.2022 at NIPER Kolkata.
- (h) One Month Summer Research Internship Programme in which Students were trained on different techniques in Biotechnology and Pharmaceutical sciences on 04-07-2022 to 03-08-2022 at NIPER Hyderabad.
- (i) Showcasing Research Findings in Media by Mr. Sudhakar Udumula on 10/08/2022 at NIPER Hyderabad.
- (j) Azadi ka Amrit Mahostav Independence Day Celebrations on 15/08/2022 at NIPER Hyderabad.
- (k) GEM Technopreneurship Series 2 by Dr Anand Govindaluri on 16/08/2022 at NIPER Hyderabad.
- (l) Outreach Program on Strengthening of Pharmaceutical Industries SPI Scheme in MSME Sector and Pharma Clusters organized by BDMAI on 16/08/2022 at NIPER Hyderabad
- (m) 7th Convocation Programme was held on 18-08-2022 at NIPER Raebareli.
- (n) Orientation Programme was held on 24.08.2022 at NIPER Raebareli.
- (o) Two-day workshop on cardiovascular monitoring system in the Department of Pharmacology & Toxicology on 22-23/08/2022 at NIPER Hajipur.
- (p) Two-day National Symposium on Proteomics in Drug Discovery on 25-26/08/2022 at NIPER Hajipur.

C. Schemes:

(i) Pradhan Mantri Bhartiya Janaushadhi Pariyojana (PMBJP):

Number of PMBJP Kendra's functional		Sales under PMBJP at MRP Value in Rs. Crore and saving to common man during the month of August 2022		Product basket (As on 31.08.2022)		Sale of Suvidha Sanitary Napkins @ Rs. 1 per pad during the August 22	Incentive provided in the month of August 2022
August 2022	Cumulative	Sale	Saving	Medicines	Surgical	0.89 (Crore)	9.12 Cr.
52	8799 (As on 31.07.2022)	100.96 Crore (approx.)	605.76 Crore (approx.)	1616	250		

(ii) PLI Schemes:

S. No.	Name of Scheme		Total No. of Application Received	No. of Applications approved in the month of August 2022	Total no. of applications approved till August 2022
1.	Production Linked Incentive Scheme for Bulk Drug (Last EC Meeting held on 03.06.2022 on PLI Bulk Drugs)	Round 1	215	0	41
		Round 2	24	0	08
		Round 3	09	03	03
		Total	248	03	51 (1 Applicant has withdrawn)
2.	Production Linked Incentive Scheme for Medical Device (Last EC Meeting held on 03.06.2022 on Medical Devices)	Round 1	28	0	13
		Round 2	14	0	08
		Total	42	0	21
3.	Production Linked Incentive Scheme for Pharmaceuticals		278	N/A	55

(iii) Scheme guidelines for PLI scheme for Medical Devices has been revised and notice inviting applications from eligible applicants issued on 18th August 2022.

(iv) Outreach events at various locations in collaboration with Pharma associations organized to promote SPI Schemes.

D. Policy:

(i) Three states namely Andhra Pradesh, Gujarat and Himachal Pradesh have been selected on 30.08.2022 under the Scheme for "Promotion of Bulk Drug Parks".

(ii) International Cooperation (IC) section participated in the First High Powered Joint Trade Committee under the India-Mauritius Comprehensive Economic Cooperation and Partnership Agreement (CECPA) 01-03 August 2022, Vanijya Bhawan, New Delhi. Also Participated in Development Partnership in Dynamic world on 30 August 2022, Sushma Swaraj Bhawan, New Delhi.

(iii) FDI inflow approved during this month: - Rs.163.90 Crore.

2. Important policy matters held up on account of prolonged inter-ministerial consultations:

NIL

3. No. of cases of 'sanction for prosecution' pending for more than three months:

NIL

4. Particulars of cases in which there has been a departure from the Transaction of Business Rules or established policy of the Government:

NIL

5. Status of ongoing Swachhta Abhiyan (progress under Special Campaign):
- Har Ghar Triranga celebrations: All employees of the department were provided national flag, which was proudly displayed at their home. The selfies were posted on the portal. The campaign was also observed at NIPERS, PSUs, PMBI and NPPA too.
 - Information on SCDPM Portal has been uploaded for the month of August, 2022.
 - As a part of Swachhata Abhiyan, a Committee was constituted to examine and give its recommendation on disposal of bio-medical waste of NPPA. The Committee will also recommend a 'Standard Operating Procedure' for storage and disposal of drug samples of NPPA.
6. Status of Rationalization of Autonomous Bodies: Completed
7. Information on the specific steps taken by the Ministry/Department for utilization of the Space Technology based tools and applications in Governance and Development:

NIL

8. Vacancy position of senior level appointments in the Ministry/Department, including Autonomous Bodies/PSUs:

- (i) Department of Pharmaceuticals:

S. No.	Name of the posts	Sanctioned Strength	In-position	Vacancy	Group
1	Economic Adviser*	1	0	1	A
2	Under Secretary	10	9	1	A
3	PSO/Sr.PPS	1	0	1	A
4	Principal Private Secretary	2	0	2	A
	Total	19	14	5	

* Against the vacancy of Economic Adviser, Director level officer of IES has been posted but yet to join.

- (ii) National Institute of Pharmaceutical Education & Research:

NIPER	Vacant Position
NIPER- Raebareli	Director
NIPER- Ahmedabad	Director

NIPER – Hajipur, Director - Under Suspension

- (iii) Public Sector Undertakings:

- (a) Karnataka Antibiotics & Pharmaceuticals Limited (KAPL):

S. No.	Designation	Vacant Positions
1	Senior Manager	05
2	Deputy General Manager	03
3	General Manager	05
	Total	13

(b) Hindustan Antibiotics Limited (HAL):

S.No.	Designation	Vacant Positions
1	CGM	3
2	GM	3
3	DGM	12
4	Manager	20
	Total	38

(c) Bengal Chemicals & Pharmaceuticals Limited (BCPL):

S.No.	Designation	Vacant Positions
1	Director (Finance)	1
2	DGM/AGM	3
3	Sr. Manager	3
4	DGM (Marketing)	1
5	DGM(Finance)	1
	Total	8

(d) Indian Drugs & Pharmaceuticals Limited (IDPL): NIL

(e) Rajasthan Drugs & Pharmaceuticals Limited (RDPL): NIL

9. List of cases in which ACC directions have not been complied with:

NIL

10. Details of FDI proposals cleared during the month and status of FDI proposals awaiting approval in the Ministry/Department:

- (i) Pending at beginning of the month: - (5)
- (ii) Received during the month: - (0)
- (iii) Disposed of during the month: - (1)
- (iv) Pending at end of the month: - (4)
