

Memo.Rc.No.1739/JD/Misc/2023

Dated: 14.07.2023

Sub: Drugs & Cosmetics Act, 1940 & Rules made thereunder – Ensuring the use of authentic Indian Pharmacopoeia (IP), IP Reference Standards (IPRS) and Impurity Standards for Quality Testing of Drugs – Certain instructions issued – Regarding.

Ref: Letter dt: 24.05.2023 in F.No.ED/Misc-006/2023 of Drugs Controller General (I), CDSCO, New Delhi

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While enclosing copy of reference cited, all the Assistant Directors and Drugs Inspectors in the state are directed to ensure use of authentic IP, IPRS and Impurity Standards of IPC as per the provisions of the Drugs and Cosmetic Act, 1940 and Rules thereunder for quality testing of drugs by pharmaceutical manufacturers and testing laboratories and this requirement shall also be included in the inspection checklist while conducting inspection of pharmaceutical manufacturers and testing laboratories in the state.

  
**JOINT DIRECTOR (I/c)**  
**LICENSING AUTHORITY**

To  
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All the Drugs Inspectors in the state

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