

## GOVERNMENT OF TELANGANA DRUGS CONTROL ADMINISTRATION



Date: 19-06-2025

### **Press Note**

Press Note No. 63/DCA/2025

Drugs Control Administration, Telangana, seized Spurious Drugs (Counterfeit Versions) 'Rosuvas F 20' and 'Rosuvas F 10' Tablets (Rosuvastatin and Fenofibrate Tablets), falsely claimed to be manufactured by Sun Pharmaceutical Ind. Ltd.

During the raids conducted by the DCA based on gathered intelligence, counterfeit versions of 'Rosuvas F 20' and 'Rosuvas F 10' Tablets were detected circulating in the market at Inderbagh, Koti, Hyderabad.

Counterfeit Drugs worth Rs. 3 lakhs were seized during the raids.

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#### The details are as follows:

Based on intelligence gathered by Drugs Control Administration officials, raids were conducted at several dealers in Inderbagh, Koti, Hyderabad, leading to the detection of **Spurious Drugs (Counterfeit Versions)** 'Rosuvas F 20' and 'Rosuvas F 10' Tablets (Rosuvastatin and Fenofibrate Tablets) circulating in the market.

Rosuvas F 20 and Rosuvas F 10 Tablets are used to lower cholesterol and triglyceride levels in the blood and help prevent heart-related problems.

During the raids, a special team of officers of the Drugs Control Administration detected counterfeit stocks at two dealers, **Ganga Pharma** 

**Distributors** and **Sri Nandini Pharma**, located in Inderbagh, Koti. A comparison statement for the suspected batches was obtained from the original manufacturer, **Sun Pharmaceutical Industries Ltd.**, against the corresponding original batches. The manufacturer confirmed that the batches of 'Rosuvas F 20' and 'Rosuvas F 10' Tablets (Rosuvastatin and Fenofibrate Tablets) detected by the Drugs Control Administration were indeed **"Counterfeit Drugs"**.

During the raids conducted on 19<sup>th</sup> June, 2025 at Ganga Pharma Distributors, Inderbagh, Sultan Bazar, Koti and, Sri Nandini Pharma, Inderbagh, Koti, counterfeit versions of 'Rosuvas F 20 Tablets' (Rosuvastatin and Fenofibrate Tablets), Batch No.: SIF2736A, Mfg. Date: 12/2024, Exp. Date: 05/2027 and 'Rosuvas F 10 Tablets' (Rosuvastatin and Fenofibrate Tablets), Batch No.: SIF2676A, Mfg. Date: 12/2024, Exp. Date: 05/2027, and, falsely claimed to be manufactured by Sun Pharmaceutical Industries Ltd., Plot No.107-108, Namli Block, P.O. Ranipool, Gangtok, Sikkim.

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A special team of officers constituted by the Drugs Control Administration, comprising Sri G. Sreenivas, Assistant Director, Medchal, Sri V. Ajay, Drugs Inspector, Goshamahal, Smt M. Hemalatha, Drugs Inspector, Gandimaisamma, Sri Raja Reddy, Drugs Inspector, Kamareddy, and Sri K. Murali Krishna, Drugs Inspector, Malkajgiri, carried out the raids and detected the counterfeit drug stocks.

Further investigation will be conducted, and appropriate action will be taken against all offenders.

# Counterfeit Version of 'Rosuvas F 20 Tablets', Batch No.: SIF2736A and 'Rosuvas F 10 Tablets' Batch No.: SIF2676A Seized by DCA



Spurious drugs pose a significant threat to public health, endangering patients' well-being. These drugs not only fail to treat the intended disease but also can lead to severe health complications over time.

DCA is actively working to ensure the removal of spurious drugs from the market.

The public may report any suspected manufacturing activity related to drugs, including narcotic drugs and psychotropic substances, in residential, commercial, or industrial areas, as well as any other complaints regarding illegal activities concerning medicines, through the Drugs Control

Administration, Telangana Toll-Free Number 1800-599-6969, which is operational from 10:30 am to 5:00 pm on all working days.

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DIRECTOR GENERAL

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## **Photograph of the Seizure**

