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TENDER RESULTS

The PHARMAC Board (or Chief Executive under delegated authority) has resolved to accept tenders for Sole Subsidised Supply and Hospital Supply Status for some of the products listed in the Invitation to Tender dated 23 December 2008.

Some of the pharmaceuticals that will be delisted when the period of sole supply commences may be subject to existing listing contracts with PHARMAC. Suppliers of pharmaceuticals that are subject to such contracts should continue to supply their pharmaceuticals under those contracts until such time as the pharmaceuticals are delisted and PHARMAC will continue to subsidise their pharmaceuticals accordingly.

Product Notification Forms

Please note that for all changes (price change, pack size change, new listing etc) to be effective in the Pharmaceutical Schedule (including Section H) suppliers are required to notify PHARMAC and the Guild by 4pm **12th August 2009**. More information and product notification forms can be downloaded from our website – www.pharmac.govt.nz/schedule.asp.

Community pharmaceutical tenders – Section B of the Pharmaceutical Schedule

1. Tenders awarded to pharmaceuticals where at least one other brand is listed – listing for tender winning brand at the tender subsidy will occur on **1 September 2009**, reference pricing of non-tender winning brand will occur on **1 November 2009** and Sole Subsidised Supply commences on **1 February 2010**.

The decisions were as follows:

Chemical Name	Presentation; Pack size and type	Current subsidy	New tender subsidy	Sole supply brand (Supplier)	Brands affected by reference pricing and delisting
Isotretinoin	Cap 10 mg; 180 tablets, blister	\$36.00 (100 tablets)	\$48.48 (180 tablets)	Oratane (Douglas)	Isotane 10 (Mylan)
Isotretinoin	Cap 20 mg; 180 tablets, blister	\$47.50 (100 tablets)	\$69.70 (180 tablets)	Oratane (Douglas)	Isotane 20 (Mylan)

Hospital pharmaceutical tenders – Section H of the Pharmaceutical Schedule

2. Tenders awarded to listed pharmaceuticals where an alternative brand is already listed – listing for hospital tender winning brands of the pharmaceutical will occur in Section H of the Pharmaceutical Schedule on **1 September 2009**; DV Limits and DV pharmaceuticals will apply from **1 November 2009**; de-listing of other brands in Section H will occur on **1 November 2009**.

Chemical Name	Presentation; Pack size and type	Hospital Supply Brand (Supplier)	Pack Price	DV Limit	DV Pharmaceuticals Brand Name (Supplier)
Aciclovir	Inj 250 mg; 5 injections, ampoule	Pfizer (Pfizer)	\$25.50	1%	Acihexal (Novartis) Hospira (Hospira) Lovir (Douglas) m-Aciclovir (Multichem) Zovirax (GSK)

Chemical Name	Presentation; Pack size and type	Hospital Supply Brand (Supplier)	Pack Price	DV Limit	DV Pharmaceuticals Brand Name (Supplier)
Chlorhexidine	Crm 1% obstetric; 50 g, tube	healthE (Jaychem)	\$1.36	1%	Hibitane (AFT) Orion (Orion) PSM (PSM)
Isotretinoin	Cap 10 mg; 180 tablets, blister	Oratane (Douglas)	\$48.48	1%	Isotane 10 (Pacific) Roaccutane (Roche)
Isotretinoin	Cap 20 mg; 180 tablets, blister	Oratane (Douglas)	\$69.70	1%	Isotane 20 (Pacific) Roaccutane (Roche)
Lignocaine	Gel 2%; 30 ml, tube	Xylocaine Jelly (AstraZeneca)	\$6.00	1%	Orion (Orion)
Ondansetron hydrochloride	Inj 2 mg per ml, 2 ml; 5 injections, ampoule	Zofran	\$14.40	1%	Mayne (Hospira)
Ondansetron hydrochloride	Inj 2 mg per ml, 4 ml; 5, injections, ampoule	Zofran	\$23.20	1%	Mayne (Hospira)

3. Tenders awarded to pharmaceuticals where no brand is listed - listing of the hospital tender winning brand of the pharmaceutical will occur in Section H of the Pharmaceutical Schedule on **1 September 2009** and DV Limits and DV Pharmaceuticals will apply from **1 November 2009**.

The decisions were as follows:

Chemical Name	Presentation; Pack size and type	Hospital Supply Brand (Supplier)	Pack Price	DV Limit	DV Pharmaceuticals Brand Name (Supplier)
Baclofen	Inj 10 mg; 1 injection, ampoule	Lioresal Intrathecal (Novartis)	\$190.08	1%	(B)
Caspofungin	Inj 50 mg; 1 injection, vial	Cancidas (MSD)	\$667.50	1%	(B)
Caspofungin	Inj 70 mg; 1 injection, vial,	Cancidas (MSD)	\$862.50	1%	(B)
Hydroxyethyl starch 130/0.4	Inj 6%; 20 injections, bag	Voluven (Pharmatel Fresenius Kabi)	\$198.00	1%	Venofundin 6% (B Braun)

Products where no tender is to be awarded for Sole Subsidised Supply or Hospital Supply Status

The PHARMAC Board (or Chief Executive under delegated authority) resolved not to award tenders for Sole Subsidised Supply or Hospital Supply Status for some of the products listed in the Invitation to Tender, dated 23 December 2008.

The decisions were as follows:

Chemical Name	Line Item
Acetylcholine	Inj 10 mg per ml, 2 ml
Amikacin	Inj 5 mg per ml, 5 ml
Amikacin	Inj 250 mg per ml, 2 ml
Amoxicillin	Grans for oral liq 125 mg per 5 ml
Amphotericin B	Emulsion for infusion 5 mg per ml
Amphotericin B	Inj 50 mg
Apomorphine Hydrochloride	Inj 10 mg per ml, 1 ml
Apomorphine Hydrochloride	Inj 10 mg per ml, 2 ml
Arginine	Inj 5%, 500 ml
Atropine Sulphate	Inj 400 mcg, 1 ml

Chemical Name	Line Item
Atropine Sulphate	Inj 1200 mcg, 1 ml
Baclofen	Oral liq 5 mg per 5 ml
Baclofen	Tab 20 mg
Beractant	Inj 25 mg per ml, 8 ml
Betahistine Dihydrochloride	Tab 16 mg
Bleomycin sulphate	Inj 15,000 iu
Betaxolol Hydrochloride	Eye drops 0.25%
Betaxolol Hydrochloride	Eye drops 0.5%
Budesonide	Metered aqueous nasal spray, 50 mcg per dose
Budesonide	Metered aqueous nasal spray, 100 mcg per dose
Budesonide	Nebuliser soln, 500 mcg per ml, 2 ml
Budesonide	Nebuliser soln, 1 mg per ml, 2 ml
Capecitabine	Tab 150 mg
Capecitabine	Tab 500 mg
Carboplatin	Inj 10 mg per ml, 10 ml
Carmustine	Inj 100 mg, 3 ml
Celiprolol	Tab 200 mg
Chloroquine	Oral liq
Chloroquine	Tab 200 mg - 250 mg
Ciprofloxacin	Eye Drops 0.3%
Clindamycin	Inj phosphate 150 mg per ml, 4 ml
Clobetasol Propionate	Crm 0.05% (pack size greater than 30 g)
Clobetasol Propionate	Oint 0.05% (pack size greater than 30 g)
Dacarbazine	Inj 50 mg
Dacarbazine	Inj 200 mg
Danazol	Cap 100 mg
Danazol	Cap 200 mg
Dexamethasone Sodium Phosphate	Inj 4 mg per ml, 1 ml
Dexamethasone Sodium Phosphate	Inj 4 mg per ml, 2 ml
Diazepam	Rectal tubes 5 mg
Diazepam	Rectal tubes 10 mg
Diclofenac Sodium	Cap long-acting 100 mg
Dicloxacillin	Inj 500 mg
Dobutamine	Inj 12.5 mg per ml, 20 ml
Doxorubicin	Inj 20 mg
Enalapril With Hydrochlorothiazide	Tab 20 mg with hydrochlorothiazide 12.5 mg
Ephedrine Sulphate	Inj 30 mg per ml, 1 ml
Ergometrine Maleate	Inj 500 mcg per ml, 1 ml
Ergotamine Tartrate with Caffeine	Tab 1 mg with caffeine 100 mg
Etoposide	Cap 50 mg
Etoposide	Cap 100 mg
Etoposide Phosphate	Inj 100 mg (of etoposide base)
Gentamicin Sulphate	Inj 10 mg per ml, 1 ml
Glyceryl Trinitrate	Inj 5 mg per ml, 1 ml
Glyceryl Trinitrate	Inj 5 mg per ml, 10 ml
Glycopyrronium	Inj 0.2 mg per ml, 1 ml
Glycopyrronium	Inj 500 mcg with 2.5 mg neostigmine per ml, 1 ml
Hydralazine	Inj 20 mg per ml, 1 ml
Hydrocortisone	Crm 1% (pack size 15 g or less)

Chemical Name	Line Item
Hydrocortisone	Crn 1% (pack size greater than 15 g and 100 g or less)
Hydrocortisone	Inj 50 mg per ml, 2 ml
Imipramine Hydrochloride	Tab 10 mg
Imipramine Hydrochloride	Tab 25 mg
Lansoprazole	Cap 15 mg
Lansoprazole	Cap 30 mg
Lansoprazole	Inj 40 mg
Lorazepam	Inj 4 mg per ml, 1 ml
Lorazepam	Tab 0.5 mg
Magnesium Sulphate	Inj 49.3%, 5 ml
Maprotiline Hydrochloride	Tab 25 mg
Maprotiline Hydrochloride	Tab 75 mg
Metaraminol Tartrate	Inj 1 mg per ml, 10 ml prefilled syringe
Methotrexate	Inj 25 mg per ml, 2 ml
Methotrexate	Inj 25 mg per ml, 20 ml
Metoclopramide Hydrochloride with Paracetamol	Tab 5 mg with paracetamol 500 mg
Miconazole	Oral gel 20 mg per g
Midazolam	Tab 7.5 mg
Milrinone	Inj 1 mg per ml, 10 ml
Mometasone Furoate	Lotn 0.1%
Morphine Sulphate	Inj 5 mg per ml, 1 ml
Morphine Sulphate	Inj 15 mg per ml, 1 ml
Morphine Sulphate	Tab long-acting 10 mg
Morphine Sulphate	Tab long-acting 30 mg
Morphine Sulphate	Tab long-acting 60 mg
Morphine Sulphate	Tab long-acting 100 mg
Morphine Sulphate	Tab long-acting 200 mg
Morphine Tartrate	Inj 80 mg per ml, 1.5 ml
Morphine Tartrate	Inj 80 mg per ml, 5 ml
Mucilaginous Laxatives	Dry
Mupirocin	Nasal oint 2%
Naproxen	Tab EC 250 mg
Naproxen	Tab EC 500 mg
Naproxen Sodium	Tab 550 mg
Nicotinic Acid	Tab 25 mg
Nicotinic Acid	Tab 50 mg
Nicotinic Acid	Tab 100 mg
Nicotinic Acid	Tab modified-release 500 mgNicotinic Acid
Nicotinic Acid	Tab modified-release 1 g
Oestrogens	Conjugated, equine tab 300 mcg
Paracetamol	Inj 10 mg per ml, 50 ml
Paracetamol	Inj 10 mg per ml, 100 ml
Paracetamol	Suppos 125 mg
Paracetamol	Suppos 250 mg
Paracetamol	Tab modified-release
Pethidine Hydrochloride	Inj 50 mg per ml, 1 ml
Pethidine Hydrochloride	Inj 50 mg per ml, 1.5 ml
Pethidine Hydrochloride	Inj 50 mg per ml, 2 ml
Phenindione	Tab 10 mg

Chemical Name	Line Item
Phenindione	Tab 25 mg
Phenindione	Tab 50 mg
Phenoxybenzamine	Inj 100 mg per 2 ml
Potassium Chloride	Oral suspension
Pyridoxine Hydrochloride	Tab 50 mg
Quinine Sulphate	Tab 200 mg
Rasburicase	Inj 1.5 mg
Sodium Bicarbonate	Inj 8.4% 10 ml
Sodium Chloride	Inj 0.9%, 5 ml
Sodium Chloride	Inj 0.9%, 10 ml
Sodium Chloride	Inj 0.9%, 20 ml
Sodium Hyaluronidate	Inj 14 mg per ml
Stavudine (d4T)	Cap 30 mg
Streptomycin	Inj 1 g
Tenoxicam	Inj 10 mg per ml, 2 ml
Tenoxicam	Tab 20 mg
Testosterone	Transdermal patch 2.5 mg per day
Tetrabenazine	Tab 25 mg
Tetracycline Hydrochloride	Cap 250 mg
Thiamine Hydrochloride	Inj 100 mg per ml, 2 ml
Ticarcillin	Inj 1 g
Ticarcillin	Inj 3 g
Urea	Crn 10%
Vecuronium	Inj 4 mg
Vecuronium	Inj 10 mg

For the remaining products on the Invitation to Tender dated 21 December 2007 and the Invitation to Tender dated 23 December 2008 where no announcement has been made, either a decision is still pending, or is provisional and subject to the product gaining market approval and having sufficient stock.

We will keep you informed regarding any changes for the remaining tender products as further decisions are made. If you have any queries regarding this notification please contact PHARMAC on 0800 66 00 50.