



Uttar Pradesh Medical Supplies Corporation Limited

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Ref. No.: UPMSCL/MD/QC/2023/939

Date : 06 Oct-2023

Office Order

Agron Remedies Pvt. Ltd. has rate contract no. 20200001201(25th Jan-2020 and 24th Jan-2023) with UPMSCL for the supply of drug "Ceftazidime Pentahydrate : IP – 250 mg : dry powder Inj.". Agron Remedies Pvt. Ltd. has supplied drug "Ceftazidime Pentahydrate : IP – 250 mg : dry powder Inj. " batch No- CTZ-36 & CTZ-37 (Mfg. date-08/2021 & Exp.date-07/2023) to various District Drug warehouse of Uttar Pradesh Medical Supplies Corporation Ltd. against Purchase order no. UP/UP/HQ/21/568/1(10282103956), dated 12-07-2021.

Drug batch no. CTZ-36 of Drug "Ceftazidime Pentahydrate : IP – 250 mg : dry powder Inj." supplied by the Agron Remedies Pvt. Ltd. against Purchase order no. UP/UP/HQ/21/568/1(10282103956), dated 12-07-2021. was declared "Not of Standard Quality" vide certificate no. R/4565-22 dated 08-12-2022 by Government Analyst.

Another batch No- CTZ-37 of Drug "Ceftazidime Pentahydrate : IP – 250 mg : dry powder Inj." supplied by the Agron Remedies Pvt. Ltd. against Purchase order no. UP/UP/HQ/21/568/1(10282103956), dated 12-07-2021. was declared "Not of Standard Quality" vide certificate no. R/4566-22 dated 08-12-2022 by Government Analyst.

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In the letter dated 02.03.2023, Agron Remedies Pvt. Ltd. has written that they have checked their control sample of both batches and found that drug is of standard quality and ok on all parameters. Company has also mentioned that improper storage of drug may lead to the deterioration in quality. Company has also requested to re-test their sample from UPMSCL empanelled laboratory. Response from company was taken in to consideration but not found justifiable as batches were already tested from UPMSCL empanelled laboratory and after complaint from health facilities testing was done by Government Analyst. All drug batches supplied against PO. No. UP/UP/HQ/21/568/1(10282103956), dated 12-07-2021 were kept on same storage condition and only two batches were declared not of standard quality. In the letter dated 21.03.2023, Company has written that they have recalled the stock of both batches from the warehouses. Company has attached 6 letters written to warehouses (Azamgarh, Bahraich, Siddharth Nagar, Shravasti, Sitapur and Unnao) Incharge Pharmacist of UPMSCL to return the stock lying with concerned warehouses.

With reference to above it is clear that Agron Remedies Pvt. Ltd. has supplied Two "Not Of Standard Quality" drug batches i.e. Batch no. CTZ-36 and CTZ-37 against purchase order no. UP/UP/HQ/21/568/1(10282103956), dated 12-07-2021. "Not Of Standard Quality" reports declared by Government Analyst has neither been cancelled nor annulled by any higher




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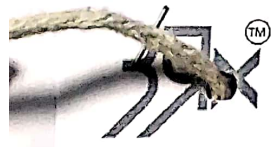

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Endorsement No.: UPMSCL/MD/QC/2023/939 Dated : 06 Oct-2023

Copy to the following for information & necessary action:

1. Finance Controller, UPMSCL to kindly ensure that payment is not processed for drug batch found not of standard quality.
2. Drug Licensing & Controlling Authority, UP, Office of Commissioner, Food Safety & Drug Administration, Sec-C, Aliganj, Lucknow.
3. Senior Consultant Drug /Quality , UPMSCL
4. Consultant Drug Procurement, UPMSCL.
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