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ECF No. 525849

From: General Manager (Proc, QC, IT & Logistics)
Assam Medical Services Corporation Limited.

To: Martin & Brown Biosciences Pvt. Ltd.,
Vill: Malkumajra, Opposite: Annapurna Hotel, Post Office: Bhud, Solan: 173205.

Sub: - Product Debarment notice due to quality failure of three batches of Rabeprazole Tablet IP 20 mg manufactured by M/s Martin and Brown Biosciences Pvt. Ltd.-reg

Ref:

1. Govt. Analyst RDTL, Guwahati Test report (in FORM -13) vide no. GUW/LS/2024-25/667 Date: 30.07.2024.
2. Govt. Analyst RDTL, Guwahati Test report (in FORM -13) vide no. GUW/LS/2024-25/663 Date: 29.07.2024.
3. Govt. Analyst RDTL, Guwahati Test report (in FORM -13) vide no. GUW/LS/2024-25/1220 Date: 14.11.2024.
4. Govt. Analyst RDTL, Guwahati Test report (in FORM -13) vide no. GUW/LS/2024-25/1221 Date: 18.11.2024.
5. Govt. Analyst RDTL, Guwahati Test report (in FORM -13) vide no. GUW/LS/2024-25/1268 Date: 26.11.2024.
6. Purchase Order no.-E-439998/2020102383177 Date: 3/02/2024
7. Purchase Order no.-E-440169/MCH/2020102383572 Date: 5/02/2024
8. Tender no.- NHM-43018/211/2022-PROC/AMSCL/ECF:255581/150953 DATE: 09.02.2023
9. Letter no. I/838088/2024 dated 03.12.2024

Sir/Madam,

With reference to the subject cited above, it is to inform you that, AMSCL had sent intimation notices to you, dated 01.08.2024, 05.08.2024 and 03.12.2024, due to declaration of NSQ batches of Rabeprazole Tablet IP 20 mg having Batch no. MT-24B26, MT-24B23 and MT-24B25 Manufactured by M/s Martin & Brown Biosciences Pvt. Ltd.

Further, AMSCL had issued a show cause notice regarding Product Debarment of Rabeprazole Tablet IP 20 mg due to quality failure of three batches on dated 03.12.2024 . But, AMSCL has not received any response from your side till date, despite giving sufficient time.

Also, it is to be mentioned that another two batches of Rabeprazole Tablet IP 20 mg having Batch no. MT-24B21 and MT-24B30 has been declared as 'Not of Standard Quality' as per the test report issued by RDTL,Guwahati.

The aforesaid drug is essential in nature for needy patients getting treatment in Government health institutions. Whereas it is found that more than three batches of a particular item do not comply the quality test.

It is to be mentioned that as per the tender clause at Pt. Q, Penalty/Debarment in case of Quality Failure, if three batches of a particular item supplied by a firm failed the quality test there will be product debarment.

Therefore, in the greater public and patient interest, your company M/s Martin & Brown Biosciences Pvt, Ltd. is hereby debarred from participation in any tender issued by the TIA for Rabeprazole Tablet IP 20 mg for a period of 3 (Three) years from the date of issuance of this letter.

Additionally, to the above product debarment, below mentioned penalties will also be imposed as per tender clause at Pt. Q -

- Forfeiture of Performance Security: In addition to product debarment the entire performance security deposited by the supplier for that particular item shall be forfeited and apportioned towards financial penalty.
- Alternative Purchase Clause will also be applicable as mentioned in the tender.

This is for information and necessary action.

Your's Sincerely

Signed by

Anirban Talukdar

Date: 10-03-2025 17:38:08

General Manager (Proc, QC, IT & Logistics),

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Copy to the: -

1. Commissioner & Secretary to the Govt of Assam, Health & Family Welfare Dept. for favor of kind information.
2. Mission Director, NHM, Assam for kind information.
3. Director of Health Services, Assam for information.
4. Drugs Controller of Assam for information and he is requested to check more batches of the said item and send for necessary analytical testing on priority basis.
5. Assistant Drugs Controller (India), O/o The Assistant Drugs Controller (India), CDSCO Sub-Zone, Guwahati for information and necessary action.
6. DDSM, i/c DDWH, All Districts/M. O i/c CMS, All Medical College Hospital for information and necessary action.
7. GM/CFO (Finance and Audit), AMSCL. He is requested to initiate all financial penalties as proposed above.
8. Sr. Manager (IT), AMSCL for uploading the debarment notice in the website.
9. Sr. Manager, Procurement (Drugs) for information
10. Sr. Manager, Supply Chain for information
11. P.S to the Hon'ble Minister, Health & FW for kind information to the hon'ble minister.

(e-signed)

AMSCL

General Manager (Proc, QC, IT & Logistics),