

F.No. 16006/2/2020/Div.III/NPPA  
Government of India  
Ministry of Chemicals & Fertilizers  
Department of Pharmaceuticals  
National Pharmaceuticals Pricing Authority

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1, Jai Singh Road, New Delhi.  
Dated: 26<sup>th</sup> August, 2020

Subject: Clarification on the queries raised on the Notice Inviting Tender (NIT) dated 19.8.2020.

This is with reference to the Notice Inviting Tender (NIT) dated 19.8.2020 issued by NPPA. In this connection, the point-wise clarification on the queries for clarification received by 4.00 PM on Monday, 24<sup>th</sup> August, 2020 is given in the following table:

Sl. No.	Clarifications sought	Clarifications
1	It is requested to kindly provide the years for which data is required. At one instant, IQVIA will be able to provide last 60 months of data from the current date	60 Months old data from current data will ordinarily be sufficient but in some rare cases NPPA may require older data.
2	It is requested to kindly provide more clarity on para 19 & para 20. Request the NPPA team to kindly provide the information on a regular basis.	We may require data for monitoring purposes under para 19 and para 20 of DPCO 2013. For further clarity on these paras, DPCO, 2013 may please be referred to.
3	It is requested to kindly provide more clarity if the agency is unable to provide some details w.r.t to the required data. Is it going to be a critical evaluation parameter?	The Scope of Work set under para 5 of the NIT are the basic requirements of NPPA and technical evaluation will be done accordingly..
4	It is requested to kindly provide the list of scheduled, non-scheduled, NLEM 11 & NLEM 15 drugs and provide regular updates, if required.	Drugs mentioned in the NLEM-11 and NLEM-15 are Scheduled Drugs All the drugs other than Scheduled Drugs are Non-Scheduled Drugs. Both the NLEM 11 and NLEM 15 are available on the website of MOHFW.

5	<p>It is requested to kindly provide clarity on the following:</p> <p>A. Drug type and what it implies</p> <p>B. Whether “Therapy” refers to Anatomical Therapeutic Chemical classification</p> <p>C. Kindly provide GST details as per the molecule composition</p> <p>D. S.O number &amp; S.O Date and what it implies</p>	<p>A. Drug Type refers to ‘plain’, i.e., drug manufactured with one molecule and ‘combination’, i.e., drug manufactured with more than one molecules.</p> <p>B. Therapy refers to use of drug for internal or external use for diagnosis, treatment, mitigation or prevention of disease involving one or more organ or system or part of the body.</p> <p>C. GST details are as per the GST rates decided by the Government from time to time.</p> <p>D. S.O. refers to the Special Order (and hence its Number and Date) through which decision of NPPA is published as Gazette Notification.</p>
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(Rajesh K Agrawal)

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