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Government of India
Ministry of Chemicals & Fertilizers
Department of Pharmaceuticals
National Pharmaceutical Pricing Authority

YMCA Cultural Center Building
5th floor, 1, Jai Singh Road,
New Delhi-110 001
Dated: 13.02.2015

To,

The Managing Director/CEO,

1. M/s Cipla Ltd., Mumbai
2. M/s Hetero Lab., Hyderabad
3. M/s Strides Arco Labs, Bangalore
4. M/s Ranbaxy, Mumbai,
5. Others.

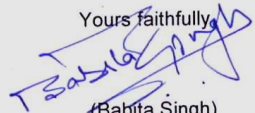
Subject: Shortage of medicines used for Swine flu in the country - reg.

Sir,

It has been reported to this office that the medicines used for swine flu, Oseltamivir, Zanamivir, Rimantadine are in short supply in the country. The non-availability of these vital drugs may lead to high risk of complications to the patients infected with H1N1 virus. You are therefore requested to maintain adequate stock and to ensure smooth supply of the drugs for providing relief to the patients affected with swine influenza virus. You are also advised to rush the stock immediately wherever short supply is reported in the country.

In this regard, the manufacturers of Swine flu drugs are required to submit the stock and supply position, drug wise, on monthly basis.

Yours faithfully,


(Babita Singh)
Assistant Director (Enf.)

Copy to: The concerned State Drug Controller, with a request to ensure a smooth supply of medicines used for swine flu treatment by the respective company.