

**T-13013/11/2020-DCC-Part(1)**  
**Government of India**  
**Ministry of Ayush**  
**(Drug Policy Section)**

**NBCC Office Block-III (2nd Floor),**  
**East Kidwai Nagar South Ex-1,**  
**New Delhi-110023.**  
**Dated: 28 October, 2024**

**OFFICE MEMORANDUM**

To,

All Licensing Authorities,  
Drug Controllers of AYUSH

**Subject:** Regarding cancellation of License issued to companies equating products such as Zinc sulphate with Yashada Bhasma and Apple Cider Vinegar with Shukta

The undersigned is directed to forward the Minutes of the Meeting of Pharmacopoeia Committee held on 10<sup>th</sup> Aug 2024 vide agenda no. 3.10 regarding M/s Curewin Pharmaceuticals Pvt. Ltd. 15-Industrail Area, Rau, District Indore (M.P) and it was decided that:

*"The PC prima facie resolved that equating products such as Zinc sulphate with Yashada Bhasma and Apple Cider Vinegar with Shukta may not be appropriate. The products like Bhasma, Shukta etc. if not prepared following classical methods/references cannot be considered as Ayurvedic drug/ingredient."*

2. In this regard, you are hereby requested to revoke all the existing product licenses granted to formulations that equate products such as zinc sulfate with Yashada Bhasma and apple cider vinegar with Shukta and refrain from issuing any new licenses under intimation to this Ministry.

3. This is issued with the approval of the Competent Authority.

**Enclosure: as Above**

Yours Faithfully

Signed by Madan Lal Meena  
Date: 28-10-2024 14:17:59

**(M. L. Meena)**

Under Secretary to the Government of India