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Sub:- HSD- Constitution of Prescription Audit Committee – reg.

- Ref: - 1) D.O.No.7(13)2014-NHM-(1) dated 18.4.2017 of Joint Secretary & CVO, Ministry of Health & Family Welfare, Govt.of India
2) Notification No.MC1-211(2)/2016 (Ethics)/131118 issued by Medical Council of India..
3) Endt:No. MSA2/27677/2017/DHS , dated 04.05.2017

Medical Council of India's Notification Mandates that every Physician should prescribe drugs with Generic Names legibly and preferably in capital letters and he/she shall ensure that there is a rational prescription and use of drugs.

Notification was communicated to all District Medical Officers for giving direction to Medical Officers for the strict compliance of the provision.

There are several complaints from the public that some of them are still prescribing branded Drugs.

In this circumstances, Prescription Audit Committee is constituted with the following members to look into all aspects of Prescription Mandated by the Medical Council of India. Non compliance of the Provision is to be reported to this office by the Committee.

Committee Members

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| 1) Deputy District Medical Officer | - | Chairman/Chairperson. |
| 2) District Store Verification Officer | - | Member |
| 3) Head of the Concerned Institution | - | Member |

Sd/-

Dr. SARITA.R.L
Director of Health Services

To

- 1) All District Medical Officers (Health) (with C/L)
- 2) CA to ADHS(Mdl)/Vigilance/PH/Planning/FW/A&T
- 3) ADPS, SO(GMS), SO(FW), SSVO
- 4) Superintendent MSA/EC Section.

Copy to:-

- 1) Additional Chief Secretary to Government
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Superintendent