GOVERNMENT OF INDIA MINISTRY OF CHEMICALS AND FERTILIZERS DEPARTMENT OF PHARMACEUTICALS

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UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 2628

TO BE ANSWERED ON 10th May, 2016

Diabetes Drugs Under Price Control

2628. SHRI NITYANAND RAI:

Will the Minister of CHEMICALS AND FERTILIZERS be pleased to state:

- (a) the details of drugs being used for treatment of diabetes that are under price control; and
- (b) whether the Government has also proposed to put drugs for low blood sugar under price control and if so, the details thereof?

ANSWER

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF CHEMICALS& FERTILIZERS (SHRI HANSRAJ GANGARAM AHIR)

- (a): Details of medicines used for treatment of diabetes fixed in Schedule –I category of NLEM 2015 and NLEM 2011 which are under price control is at Annexure I.
- (b): Yes Madam, details of medicines for low blood sugar (hypoglycemia) under price control is at Annexure II

$\underline{Annexure-I}$

<u>List of medicines used in the treatment of diabetics under price control</u>

S.no.	Medicine	Dosage	Strength	Price notified	S.O no./ date
	NLEM 2015				
1	Glimepride	Tablet	1mg	3.33/tablet	1253(E)/29.03.16
2	Glimepride	Tablet	2mg	5.29/tablet	1253(E)/29.03.16
3	Metformin(controlled release)	Tablet	500mg	1.77/tablet	1253(E)/29.03.16
4	Metformin(controlled release)	Tablet CR	1000mg	3.38/tablet	1253(E)/29.03.16
5	Metformin(immediate release)	Tablet IR	1000mg	3.34/tablet	1253(E)/29.03.16
	NLEM 2011				
1	Glibenclamide	Tablet	2.5mg	0.52/tablet	644(E)/02.03.16
2	Glibenclamide	Tablet	5mg	1.03/tablet	644(E)/02.03.16
3	Insulin injection (soluble)	Injection	40IU/ml	13.75/ml	644(E)/02.03.16
4	Intermediate Acting (Lente /NPH) Insulin	Injection	40IU/ml	13.75/ml	644(E)/02.03.16
5	Metformin	Tablet	500mg	1.67/tablet	644(E)/02.03.16
6	Premix Insulin (Regular:NPH)	Injection	40IU/ml	13.75/ml	644(E)/02.03.16

$\underline{Annexure-II}$

$\underline{\textbf{List of medicines used in the treatment of low blood sugar (hypoglycemia) under price} \\ \underline{\textbf{control}}$

	NLEM 2011				
S.no.	Medicine	Dosage	Strength	Price notified	S.O no./ date
1	Glucagon	Injection	1mg/ml	846.82/pack	644(E)/02.03.16
2	25% Glucose	Injection	100ml	0.17512/ml	644(E)/02.03.16