

# National Health (Pharmaceutical Benefits) (Pharmacist Substitution of Medicines without Prescription during Shortages) Amendment (No. 6) Determination 2023

I, Nikolai Tsyganov, as delegate of the Minister for Health and Aged Care, make the following determination.

Dated 13 September 2023

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#### 1 Name

- (1) This instrument is the National Health (Pharmaceutical Benefits) (Pharmacist Substitution of Medicines without Prescription during Shortages)
  Amendment (No. 6) Determination 2023.
- (2) This instrument may also be cited as PB 90 of 2023.

#### 2 Commencement

(1) Each provision of this instrument specified in column 1 of the table commences, or is taken to have commenced, in accordance with column 2 of the table. Any other statement in column 2 has effect according to its terms.

Commencement information				
Column 1	Column 2  Commencement	Column 3  Date/Details		
Provisions				
1. The whole of this instrument	15 September 2023	15 September 2023		

Note: This table relates only to the provisions of this instrument as originally made. It will not be amended to deal with any later amendments of this instrument.

(2) Any information in column 3 of the table is not part of this instrument. Information may be inserted in this column, or information in it may be edited, in any published version of this instrument.

#### 3 Authority

This instrument is made under subsection 89A(3) of the *National Health Act* 1953.

#### 4 Schedules

Each instrument that is specified in a Schedule to this instrument is amended or repealed as set out in the applicable items in the Schedule concerned, and any other item in a Schedule to this instrument has effect according to its terms.

## **Schedule 1—Amendments**

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### 1 Subsection 5(8), after item 25 dealing with Cefalexin

Insert:

26 Listed drug: Vigabatrin Listed drug: Vigabatrin

Form: Tablet 500 mg Form: Oral powder, sachet 500 mg

Manner of administration: Oral Manner of administration: Oral

Brand: Sabril Brand: Sabril