

Therapeutic Goods (Serious Scarcity and Substitutable Medicine) (Cefalexin) Amendment Instrument 2023

I, Nicholas Henderson, as delegate of the Minister for Health and Aged Care, make the following instrument.

Dated 24 October 2023

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1 Name

This instrument is the *Therapeutic Goods (Serious Scarcity and Substitutable Medicine) (Cefalexin) Amendment Instrument 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 | | |
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| Column 1 | Column 2 | Column 3 |
| Provisions | Commencement | Date/Details |
| 1. The whole of this instrument | 31 October 2023. | 31 October 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Note: This table relates only to the provisions of this instrument as originally made.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 section 30EK of the *Therapeutic Goods Act 1989.*

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Each instrument that is specified in a Schedule to this instrument is amended or repealed as set out in the applicable items in the Schedule concerned, and any other item in a Schedule to this instrument has effect according to its terms.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

Therapeutic Goods (Serious Scarcity and Substitutable Medicine) (Cefalexin) Instrument 2023

1 Section 7

Repeal the section, substitute:

**7 Period instrument in force**

This instrument remains in force until 30 April 2024.

2 Section 8

Repeal the section, substitute:

**8 Repeals**

Unless repealed earlier, this instrument is repealed at the start of 1 May 2024.