



PB 90 of 2024

National Health (Minimum Stockholding) Amendment Determination (No. 8) 2024

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

Dated 27 August 2024

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1 Name

- (1) This instrument is the *National Health (Minimum Stockholding) Amendment Determination (No. 8) 2024*.
- (2) This instrument may also be cited as PB 90 of 2024.

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	Column 3
Provisions	Commencement	Date/Details
1. Sections 1 to 4 and anything in this instrument not elsewhere covered by this table	1 September 2024	1 September 2024
2. Schedule 1	1 September 2024.	1 September 2024

- (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 99AEKC(2) 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Each instrument that is specified in a Schedule to this instrument is amended or repealed as set out in the applicable items in the Schedule concerned, and any other item in a Schedule to this instrument has effect according to its terms.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 commencing 1 September 2024

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1 Schedule 1 (table)

After:				
Amino acid formula with vitamins and minerals without phenylalanine	Oral gel 85 g, 30 (PKU squeeze)	Oral	PKU squeeze	0 months stock by reference to usual PBS demand
insert:				
Amiodarone	Tablet containing amiodarone hydrochloride 200 mg	Oral	APO-Amiodarone	between 1 September 2024 and 31 October 2024—0 months stock by reference to usual demand

2 Schedule 1 (table)

After:				
Amisulpride	Oral solution 100 mg per mL, 60 mL	Oral	Solian Solution	4 months stock by reference to usual PBS demand
insert:				
Amitriptyline	Tablet containing amitriptyline hydrochloride 10 mg	Oral	APO-Amitriptyline 10	between 1 September 2024 and 31 October 2024—0 months stock by reference to usual demand

3 Schedule 1 (table)

After:				
Amitriptyline	Tablet containing amitriptyline hydrochloride 10 mg	Oral	ENTRIP	4 months stock by reference to usual demand
insert:				
Amitriptyline	Tablet containing amitriptyline hydrochloride 25 mg	Oral	APO-Amitriptyline 25	between 1 September 2024 and 31 October 2024—0 months stock by reference to usual demand

4 Schedule 1 (table)

After:				
Amitriptyline	Tablet containing amitriptyline hydrochloride 25 mg	Oral	ENTRIP	4 months stock by reference to usual demand
insert:				
Amitriptyline	Tablet containing amitriptyline hydrochloride 50 mg	Oral	APO-Amitriptyline 50	between 1 September 2024 and 31 October 2024—0 months

stock by reference to usual demand

5 Schedule 1 (table)

Omit:

Amlodipine	Tablet 10 mg (as besilate)	Oral	BTC Amlodipine	between 1 August 2024 and 31 August 2024—0 months stock by reference to usual demand
Amlodipine	Tablet 5 mg (as besilate)	Oral	BTC Amlodipine	between 1 August 2024 and 31 August 2024—0 months stock by reference to usual demand

6 Schedule 1 (table)

After:

Atenolol	Oral solution 50 mg in 10 mL, 300 mL	Oral	Atenolol-AFT	4 months stock by reference to usual PBS demand
Atenolol	Tablet 50 mg	Oral	APO-Atenolol	between 1 September 2024 and 31 October 2024—0 months stock by reference to usual demand

7 Schedule 1 (table)

Omit:

Atorvastatin	Tablet 10 mg (as calcium)	Oral	Blooms the Chemist Atorvastatin	between 1 July 2024 and 31 August 2024—0 months stock by reference to usual demand
Atorvastatin	Tablet 20 mg (as calcium)	Oral	Blooms the Chemist Atorvastatin	between 1 July 2024 and 31 August 2024—0 months stock by reference to usual demand
Atorvastatin	Tablet 40 mg (as calcium)	Oral	Blooms the Chemist Atorvastatin	between 1 July 2024 and 31 August 2024—0 months stock by reference to usual demand

8 Schedule 1 (table)

Omit:

Atorvastatin	Tablet 80 mg (as calcium)	Oral	Blooms the Chemist Atorvastatin	between 1 July 2024 and 31 August 2024—0 months stock by reference to usual demand
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9 Schedule 1 (table)

	After:				
Bosentan	Tablet 125 mg (as monohydrate)	Oral	Bosentan APO	3 months stock by reference to usual demand	
	insert:				
Bosentan	Tablet 125 mg (as monohydrate)	Oral	BOSLEER	between 1 September 2024 and 31 October 2024—0 months stock by reference to usual demand	
Bosentan	Tablet 62.5 mg (as monohydrate)	Oral	BOSLEER	between 1 September 2024 and 31 October 2024—0 months stock by reference to usual demand	

10 Schedule 1 (table)

	After:			
Bosentan	Tablet 62.5 mg (as monohydrate)	Oral	Tracleer	between 1 April 2024 and 31 May 2024—0 months stock by reference to usual demand
	insert:			
Calcitriol	Capsule 0.25 microgram	Oral	APO-Calcitriol	between 1 September 2024 and 31 October 2024—0 months stock by reference to usual demand
Calcitriol	Capsule 0.25 microgram	Oral	Kosteo	between 1 September 2024 and 31 October 2024—0 months stock by reference to usual demand

11 Schedule 1 (table)

	Omit:			
Candesartan	Tablet containing candesartan cilexetil 16 mg	Oral	Blooms the Chemist Candesartan	between 1 July 2024 and 31 August 2024—0 months stock by reference to usual demand
Candesartan	Tablet containing candesartan cilexetil 32 mg	Oral	Blooms the Chemist Candesartan	between 1 July 2024 and 31 August 2024—0 months stock by reference to usual demand
Candesartan	Tablet containing candesartan cilexetil 4 mg	Oral	Blooms the Chemist Candesartan	between 1 July 2024 and 31 August 2024—0 months stock by reference to usual demand

Candesartan	Tablet containing candesartan cilexetil 8 mg	Oral	Blooms the Chemist Candesartan	between 1 July 2024 and 31 August 2024—0 months stock by reference to usual demand
Candesartan with hydrochlorothiazide	Tablet containing candesartan cilexetil 32 mg with hydrochlorothiazide 12.5 mg	Oral	Blooms the Chemist Candesartan HCTZ 32/12.5	between 1 July 2024 and 31 August 2024—0 months stock by reference to usual demand
Candesartan with hydrochlorothiazide	Tablet containing candesartan cilexetil 32 mg with hydrochlorothiazide 25 mg	Oral	Blooms the Chemist Candesartan HCTZ 32/25	between 1 July 2024 and 31 August 2024—0 months stock by reference to usual demand
Capecitabine	Tablet 500 mg	Oral	Capecitabine-DRLA	between 1 July 2024 and 31 August 2024—0 months stock by reference to usual demand

12 Schedule 1 (table)

Omit:

Clopidogrel	Tablet 75 mg (as besilate)	Oral	BTC Clopidogrel	between 1 July 2024 and 31 August 2024—0 months stock by reference to usual demand
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13 Schedule 1 (table)

After:

Diazepam	Oral liquid 10 mg per 10 mL, 100 mL	Oral	Diazepam Elixir	4 months stock by reference to usual PBS demand
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insert:

Diazepam	Tablet 2 mg	Oral	APO-Diazepam	between 1 September 2024 and 31 October 2024—0 months stock by reference to usual demand
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Diazepam	Tablet 5 mg	Oral	APO-Diazepam	between 1 September 2024 and 31 October 2024—0 months stock by reference to usual demand
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Diclofenac	Tablet (enteric coated) containing diclofenac sodium 25 mg	Oral	APO-Diclofenac	between 1 September 2024 and 31 October 2024—0 months stock by reference to usual demand
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Diclofenac	Tablet (enteric coated) containing	Oral	APO-Diclofenac	between 1 September 2024 and 31 October 2024—0 months
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	diclofenac sodium 50 mg			stock by reference to usual demand
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14 Schedule 1 (table)

Omit:

Entecavir	Tablet 0.5 mg (as monohydrate)	Oral	Entecavir Mylan	after 30 September 2024—4 months stock by reference to usual demand of both Entecavir Viatris and Entecavir Mylan added together
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substitute:

Entecavir	Tablet 0.5 mg (as monohydrate)	Oral	Entecavir Viatris	after 30 September 2024—4 months stock by reference to usual demand of both Entecavir Viatris and Entecavir Mylan added together
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15 Schedule 1 (table)

After:

Entecavir	Tablet 0.5 mg (as monohydrate)	Oral	Entecavir Viatris	after 30 September 2024—4 months stock by reference to usual demand of both Entecavir Viatris and Entecavir Mylan added together
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insert:

Entecavir	Tablet 0.5 mg (as monohydrate)	Oral	ENTECLUDE	between 1 September 2024 and 31 October 2024—0 months stock by reference to usual demand
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Entecavir	Tablet 1 mg (as monohydrate)	Oral	ENTECLUDE	between 1 September 2024 and 31 October 2024—0 months stock by reference to usual demand
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16 Schedule 1 (table)

Omit:

Escitalopram	Tablet 10 mg (as oxalate)	Oral	Blooms the Chemist Escitalopram	between 1 July 2024 and 31 August 2024—0 months stock by reference to usual demand
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17 Schedule 1 (table)

Omit:

Escitalopram	Tablet 20 mg (as oxalate)	Oral	Blooms the Chemist Escitalopram	between 1 July 2024 and 31 August 2024—0 months stock by reference to usual demand
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18 Schedule 1 (table)

Omit:

Fenofibrate	Tablet 145 mg	Oral	Blooms the Chemist Fenofibrate	between 1 July 2024 and 31 August 2024—0 months stock by reference to usual demand
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19 Schedule 1 (table)

Omit:

Fluoxetine	Capsule 20 mg (as hydrochloride)	Oral	BTC Fluoxetine	between 1 July 2024 and 31 August 2024—0 months stock by reference to usual demand
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20 Schedule 1 (table)

Omit:

Glimepiride	Tablet 1 mg	Oral	Amaryl	between 1 July 2024 and 31 August 2024—0 months stock by reference to usual demand
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21 Schedule 1 (table)

Omit:

Granisetron	Concentrated injection 3 mg (as hydrochloride) in 3 mL	Injection	Granisetron Kabi	between 1 July 2024 and 31 August 2024—0 months stock by reference to usual demand
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22 Schedule 1 (table)

After:

Hypromellose	Eye drops 3 mg per mL, 10 mL	Application to the Eye	In a Wink Moisturising	between 1 July 2024 and 31 December 2024—0 months stock by reference to usual demand
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insert:

Ibuprofen	Tablet 400 mg	Oral	MEDICHOICE IBUPROFEN 400 mg	between 1 September 2024 and 31 October 2024—0 months
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stock by reference to usual demand

23 Schedule 1 (table)

Omit:

Irbesartan	Tablet 150 mg	Oral	Blooms the Chemist Irbesartan	between 1 July 2024 and 31 August 2024—0 months stock by reference to usual demand
Irbesartan	Tablet 75 mg	Oral	Avapro	between 1 July 2024 and 31 August 2024—0 months stock by reference to usual demand
Irbesartan	Tablet 75 mg	Oral	Blooms the Chemist Irbesartan	between 1 July 2024 and 31 August 2024—0 months stock by reference to usual demand

24 Schedule 1 (table)

After:

Irbesartan with hydrochlorothiazide	Tablet 150 mg-12.5 mg	Oral	AVSARTAN HCT 150/12.5	4 months stock by reference to usual demand
insert:				
Itraconazole	Capsule 100 mg	Oral	APO-Itraconazole	between 1 September 2024 and 31 October 2024—0 months stock by reference to usual demand

25 Schedule 1 (table)

Omit:

Leflunomide	Tablet 10 mg	Oral	Arabloc	between 1 July 2024 and 31 August 2024—0 months stock by reference to usual demand
Lercanidipine	Tablet containing lercanidipine hydrochloride 10 mg	Oral	BTC Lercanidipine	between 1 July 2024 and 31 August 2024—0 months stock by reference to usual demand
Lercanidipine	Tablet containing lercanidipine hydrochloride 20 mg	Oral	BTC Lercanidipine	between 1 July 2024 and 31 August 2024—0 months stock by reference to usual demand

26 Schedule 1 (table)

	After:				
Nevirapine	Oral suspension 50 mg (as hemihydrate) per 5 mL, 240 mL	Oral		Viramune	4 months stock by reference to usual PBS demand
	insert:				
Nevirapine	Tablet 200 mg	Oral		Nevirapine Viatris	after 30 November 2024— 4 months stock by reference to usual demand of both Nevirapine Viatris and Nevirapine Alphapharm added together

27 Schedule 1 (table)

	After:				
Nicorandil	Tablets 20 mg, 60	Oral		Ikotab	(a) between 1 July 2023 and 31 December 2023—0 months stock by reference to usual demand (b) after 31 December 2023—2 months stock by reference to usual demand
	insert:				
Nifedipine	Tablet 30 mg (controlled release)	Oral		Addos XR 30	between 1 September 2024 and 31 October 2024—0 months stock by reference to usual demand
Nifedipine	Tablet 60 mg (controlled release)	Oral		Addos XR 60	between 1 September 2024 and 31 October 2024—0 months stock by reference to usual demand

28 Schedule 1 (table)

	Omit:				
Olanzapine	Tablet 10 mg	Oral		NOUMED OLANZAPINE	between 1 July 2024 and 31 August 2024—0 months stock by reference to usual demand

29 Schedule 1 (table)

Omit:

Olanzapine	Tablet 2.5 mg	Oral	NOUMED OLANZAPINE	between 1 July 2024 and 31 August 2024—0 months stock by reference to usual demand
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30 Schedule 1 (table)

Omit:

Olanzapine	Tablet 5 mg	Oral	NOUMED OLANZAPINE	between 1 July 2024 and 31 August 2024—0 months stock by reference to usual demand
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31 Schedule 1 (table)

Omit:

Olanzapine	Tablet 7.5 mg	Oral	NOUMED OLANZAPINE	between 1 July 2024 and 31 August 2024—0 months stock by reference to usual demand
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32 Schedule 1 (table)

Omit:

Perindopril	Tablet containing perindopril erbumine 2 mg	Oral	BTC Perindopril	between 1 July 2024 and 31 August 2024—0 months stock by reference to usual demand
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33 Schedule 1 (table)

Omit:

Perindopril	Tablet containing perindopril erbumine 4 mg	Oral	BTC Perindopril	between 1 July 2024 and 31 August 2024—0 months stock by reference to usual demand
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34 Schedule 1 (table)

Omit:

Perindopril	Tablet containing perindopril erbumine 8 mg	Oral	BTC Perindopril	between 1 July 2024 and 31 August 2024—0 months stock by reference to usual demand
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35 Schedule 1 (table)

	After:				
Pimecrolimus	Cream 10 mg per g, 15 g	Application	Elidel		6 months stock by reference to usual PBS demand
	insert:				
Pioglitazone	Tablet 15 mg (as hydrochloride)	Oral	Acpio 15		between 1 September 2024 and 31 October 2024—0 months stock by reference to usual demand
Pioglitazone	Tablet 30 mg (as hydrochloride)	Oral	Acpio 30		between 1 September 2024 and 31 October 2024—0 months stock by reference to usual demand
Pioglitazone	Tablet 45 mg (as hydrochloride)	Oral	Acpio 45		between 1 September 2024 and 31 October 2024—0 months stock by reference to usual demand

36 Schedule 1 (table)

	Omit:				
Pregabalin	Capsule 75 mg	Oral	Blooms the Chemist Pregabalin		between 1 July 2024 and 31 August 2024—0 months stock by reference to usual demand

37 Schedule 1 (table)

	After:				
Riluzole	Oral suspension 50 mg per 10 mL, 300 mL	Oral	Teglutik		between 1 April 2024 and 30 September 2024—4 months stock by reference to usual demand
	insert:				
Riluzole	Tablet 50 mg	Oral	APO-Riluzole		between 1 September 2024 and 31 October 2024—0 months stock by reference to usual demand

38 Schedule 1 (table)

Omit:

Rosuvastatin	Tablet 10 mg (as calcium)	Oral	Blooms the Chemist Rosuvastatin	between 1 July 2024 and 31 August 2024—0 months stock by reference to usual demand
Rosuvastatin	Tablet 20 mg (as calcium)	Oral	Blooms the Chemist Rosuvastatin	between 1 July 2024 and 31 August 2024—0 months stock by reference to usual demand
Rosuvastatin	Tablet 40 mg (as calcium)	Oral	Blooms the Chemist Rosuvastatin	between 1 July 2024 and 31 August 2024—0 months stock by reference to usual demand
Rosuvastatin	Tablet 5 mg (as calcium)	Oral	Blooms the Chemist Rosuvastatin	between 1 July 2024 and 31 August 2024—0 months stock by reference to usual demand

39 Schedule 1 (table)

Omit:

Venlafaxine	Capsule (modified release) 150 mg (as hydrochloride)	Oral	Blooms the Chemist Venlafaxine XR	between 1 July 2024 and 31 August 2024—0 months stock by reference to usual demand
Venlafaxine	Capsule (modified release) 75 mg (as hydrochloride)	Oral	Blooms the Chemist Venlafaxine XR	between 1 July 2024 and 31 August 2024—0 months stock by reference to usual demand