

PB 102 of 2024

National Health (Minimum Stockholding) Amendment Determination (No. 9) 2024

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

Dated 26 September 2024

Nikolai Tsyganov Assistant Secretary Pricing and PBS Policy Branch Technology Assessment and Access Division Department of Health and Aged Care

Contents		
	1 Name	1
	2 Commencement	
	3 Authority	
	4 Schedules	1
Schedule 1–	-Amendments commencing 1 October 2024	2
Natio	onal Health (Minimum Stockholding) Determination 2023	2
Schedule 2—	-Amendments commencing immediately after the commencement of Schedule 2 to the <i>National Health</i> <i>(Minimum Stockholding) Amendment Determination (No. 4)</i> 2024 – 1 October 2024	15
Natio	onal Health (Minimum Stockholding) Determination 2023	15
Schedule 3–	-Amendments commencing immediately after the commencement of Schedule 3 to the <i>National Health</i> <i>(Minimum Stockholding) Amendment Determination (No. 6)</i> 2024 – 1 December 2024	16
Natio	onal Health (Minimum Stockholding) Determination 2023	16

i

1 Name

- (1) This instrument is the National Health (Minimum Stockholding) Amendment Determination (No. 9) 2024.
- (2) This instrument may also be cited as PB 102 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 October 2024.	1 October 2024		
2. Schedule 1	1 October 2024.	1 October 2024		
3. Schedule 2	Immediately after the commencement of Schedule 2 to the National Health (Minimum Stockholding) Amendment Determination (No. 4) 2024.	1 October 2024		
4. Schedule 3	Immediately after the commencement of Schedule 3 to the National Health (Minimum Stockholding) Amendment Determination (No. 6) 2024.	1 December 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Each instrument that is specified in a Schedule to this instrument is amended or repealed as set out in the applicable items in the Schedule concerned, and any other item in a Schedule to this instrument has effect according to its terms.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 October 2024

National Health (Minimum Stockholding) Determination 2023

1 Schedule 1 (table)

Omit	:			
Abacavir with lamivudine	Tablet containing abacavir 600 mg (as sulfate) with lamivudine 300 mg	Oral	ABACAVIR/LAMI VUDINE 600/300 SUN	between 1 August 2024 and 30 September 2024—0 months stock by reference to usual demand
2 Schedule	· /			
Befor	e:			
Acamprosate	Tablet (enteric coated) containing acamprosate calcium 333 mg	Oral	Acamprosate Viatris	after 30 July 2024— 4 months stock by reference to usual demand of both Acamprosate Viatris and Acamprosate Mylan added together
insert	:			
Abacavir with lamivudine	Tablet containing abacavir 600 mg (as sulfate) with lamivudine 300 mg	Oral	Abacavir/Lamivudin e Viatris	after 31 December 2024—4 months stock by reference to usual demand of both Abacavir/Lamivudin e Viatris and Abacavir/Lamivudin e Mylan added together
3 Schedule	1 (table)			
After	:			
Acarbose	Tablet 50 mg	Oral	GLYBOSAY	2 months stock by reference to usual demand
insert				
Alendronic acid with colecalciferol	Tablet 70 mg (as alendronate sodium) with 140 micrograms colecalciferol	Oral	Fosamax Plus 70 mg/140 mcg	between 1 October 2024 and 31 March 2025—4 months stock by reference to usual demand
Alendronic acid with colecalciferol	Tablet 70 mg (as alendronate sodium) with 70 micrograms colecalciferol	Oral	Fosamax Plus	between 1 October 2024 and 31 March 2025—4 months stock by reference to usual demand

4 Schedul	· · · · ·			
Om	1t:			
Amoxicillin	Capsule 500 mg (as trihydrate)	Oral	NOUMED AMOXICILLIN	between 1 August 2024 and 30 September 2024— months stock by reference to usual demand
5 Schedul	le 1 (table)			
Om	it:			
Amoxicillin with clavulanic acid	Tablet containing 875 mg amoxicillin (as trihydrate) with 125 mg clavulanic acid (as potassium clavulanate)	Oral	AlphaClav Duo Forte Viatris	after 31 August 2024—6 months stock by reference usual demand of b Alphaclav Duo Fo Viatris and AlphaClav Duo Fo added together
6 Schedul	le 1 (table)			
Afte	er:			
Amoxicillin	Powder for paediatric oral drops 100 mg (as trihydrate) per mL, 20 mL	Oral	Amoxil	4 months stock by reference to usual PBS demand
inse	ert:			
Amoxicillin with clavulanic acid	Tablet containing 875 mg amoxicillin (as trihydrate) with 125 mg clavulanic acid (as potassium clavulanate)	Oral	AlphaClav Duo Forte Viatris	6 months stock by reference to usual demand
7 Schedul	le 1 (table)			
Om				
Aripiprazole	Tablet 10 mg	Oral	Tevaripiprazole	between 1 August 2024 and 30 September 2024— months stock by reference to usual demand
8 Schedul	le 1 (table)			
Afte	er:			
Aripiprazole	Tablet 15 mg	Oral	APO-Aripiprazole	3 months stock by reference to usual demand
inse	ert:			
Aripiprazole	Tablet 15 mg	Oral	Aripic Aripiprazole	between 1 October 2024 and 31 March 2025—0 months

stock by reference to usual demand

9 Sch	edule 1 (table)			
	Omit:			
Aripiprazole	Tablet 15 mg	Oral	Tevaripiprazole	between 1 August 2024 and 30 September 2024—0 months stock by reference to usual demand
10 Sc	hedule 1 (table)			
	After:			
Aripiprazole	Tablet 20 mg	Oral	APO-Aripiprazole	3 months stock by reference to usual demand
	insert:			
Aripiprazole	Tablet 20 mg	Oral	Aripic Aripiprazole	between 1 October 2024 and 31 March 2025—0 months stock by reference to usual demand
11 Sc	hedule 1 (table)			
	Omit:			
Aripiprazole	Tablet 20 mg	Oral	Tevaripiprazole	between 1 August 2024 and 30 September 2024—0 months stock by reference to usual demand
12 Sc	hedule 1 (table)			
	After:			
Aripiprazole	Tablet 30 mg	Oral	APO-Aripiprazole	3 months stock by reference to usual demand
	insert:			
Aripiprazole	Tablet 30 mg	Oral	Aripic Aripiprazole	between 1 October 2024 and 31 March 2025—0 months stock by reference to usual demand
13 Sc	hedule 1 (table)			
	Omit:			
Aripiprazole	Tablet 30 mg	Oral	Tevaripiprazole	between 1 August 2024 and 30 September 2024—0 months stock by reference to usual demand

	lule 1 (table)			
On Atorvastatin	nit: Tablet 80 mg (as calcium)	Oral	Atorvastatin GH	between 1 August 2024 and 30 September 2024— months stock by reference to usual demand
15 Sched	lule 1 (table)			
Af	ter:			
Benzathine benzylpenicillin	Injection containing 600,000 units benzathine benzylpenicillin tetrahydrate in 1.17 mL single use pre- filled syringe	Injection	Bicillin L-A	6 months stock by reference to usual PBS demand
	sert:			
3isacodyl	Tablet 5 mg	Oral	Lax-Tab	between 1 October 2024 and 31 Marc 2025—4 months stock by reference usual demand
16 Sched	lule 1 (table)			
On	nit:			
Carmellose	Eye drops containing carmellose sodium 10 mg per mL, 15 mL	Application to the Eye	Refresh Liquigel	4 months stock by reference to usual PBS demand
sub	bstitute:			
Carmellose	Eye drops containing carmellose sodium 10 mg per mL, 15 mL	Application to the Eye	Refresh Liquigel	between 1 October 2024 and 31 Janua 2025—0 months stock by reference usual PBS demand
17 Sched	lule 1 (table)			
On	nit:			
Carmellose	Eye drops containing carmellose sodium 5 mg per mL, 15 mL	Application to the Eye	Refresh Tears Plus	4 months stock by reference to usual PBS demand
sul	bstitute:			
Carmellose	Eye drops containing carmellose sodium 5 mg per mL, 15 mL	Application to the Eye	Refresh Tears Plus	between 1 October 2024 and 31 Janua 2025—0 months stock by reference usual PBS demand

18 Sched On	ule 1 (table)			
Carmellose with glycerin	Eye drops containing carmellose sodium 5 mg with glycerin 9 mg per mL, 15 mL	Application to the Eye	Optive	4 months stock by reference to usual PBS demand
sub	ostitute:			
Carmellose with glycerin	Eye drops containing carmellose sodium 5 mg with glycerin 9 mg per mL, 15 mL	Application to the Eye	Optive	between 1 October 2024 and 31 January 2025—0 months stock by reference to usual PBS demand
19 Sched	ule 1 (table)			
Af	· · · · · ·			
Cefazolin	Powder for injection 2 g (as sodium)	Injection	Cephazolin Viatris	after 30 July 2024— 6 months stock by reference to usual demand of both Cephazolin Viatris and Cephazolin Alphapharm added together
ins	ert:			
Cefepime	Powder for injection 1 g (as hydrochloride)	Injection	Cefepime Kabi	between 1 October 2024 and 30 November 2024—0 months stock by reference to usual demand
Cefepime	Powder for injection 2 g (as hydrochloride)	Injection	Cefepime Kabi	between 1 October 2024 and 30 November 2024—0 months stock by reference to usual demand
20 Sched	ule 1 (table)			
Af	· · · · ·			
Ciclosporin	Oral liquid 100 mg per mL, 50 mL	Oral	Neoral	4 months stock by reference to usual PBS demand
ins	ert:			
Ciprofloxacin	Tablet 250 mg (as hydrochloride)	Oral	APX-Ciprofloxacin	between 1 October 2024 and 31 October 2024—0 months stock by reference to usual demand
Ciprofloxacin	Tablet 500 mg (as hydrochloride)	Oral	APX-Ciprofloxacin	between 1 October 2024 and 31 October 2024—0 months stock by reference to usual demand

6

Ciprofloxacin	Tablet 750 mg (as hydrochloride)	Oral	APX-Ciprofloxacin	between 1 October 2024 and 31 October 2024—0 months stock by reference to usual demand
21 Schee	dule 1 (table)			
O	mit:			
Ciprofloxacin	Tablet 500 mg (as hydrochloride)	Oral	Cifran	between 1 August 2024 and 30 September 2024—0 months stock by reference to usual demand
22 Schee	dule 1 (table)			
	mit:			
Cyproterone	Tablet containing cyproterone acetate 100 mg	Oral	Pharmacor Cyproterone 100	between 1 August 2024 and 30 September 2024—0 months stock by reference to usual demand
Cyproterone	Tablet containing cyproterone acetate 50 mg	Oral	Pharmacor Cyproterone 50	between 1 August 2024 and 30 September 2024—0 months stock by reference to usual demand
23 Schee	dule 1 (table)			
O	mit:			
Donepezil	Tablet containing donepezil hydrochloride 10 mg	Oral	NOUMED DONEPEZIL	between 1 August 2024 and 30 September 2024—0 months stock by reference to usual demand
Donepezil	Tablet containing donepezil hydrochloride 5 mg	Oral	NOUMED DONEPEZIL	between 1 August 2024 and 30 September 2024—0 months stock by reference to usual demand
24 Schee	dule 1 (table)			
O	mit:			
Enalapril	Tablet containing enalapril maleate 20 mg	Oral	Enalapril generichealth	between 1 August 2024 and 30 September 2024—0 months stock by reference to usual

	l ule 1 (table) ter:			
Entecavir	Tablet 1 mg (as monohydrate)	Oral	ENTECLUDE	between 1 September 2024 and 31 October 2024—0 months stock by reference to usual demand
ins	sert:			
Epoprostenol	Powder for I.V. infusion 1.5 mg (as sodium) with 2 vials diluent 50 mL	Injection	Flolan	between 1 October 2024 and 30 November 2024—0 months stock by reference to usual demand
Epoprostenol	Powder for I.V. infusion 500 micrograms (as sodium) with 2 vials diluent 50 mL	Injection	Flolan	between 1 October 2024 and 30 November 2024—0 months stock by reference to usual demand
26 Sched	lule 1 (table)			
Af	ter:			
Escitalopram	Tablet 20 mg (as oxalate)	Oral	APX-Escitalopram	4 months stock by reference to usual demand
ins	sert:			
Esomeprazole	Tablet (enteric coated) 20 mg (as magnesium trihydrate)	Oral	Esomeprazole Viatris	after 31 December 2024—4 months stock by reference to usual demand of both Esomeprazole Viatris and Esomeprazole Mylan added together
Esomeprazole	Tablet (enteric coated) 40 mg (as magnesium trihydrate)	Oral	Esomeprazole Viatris	after 31 December 2024—4 months stock by reference to usual demand of botl Esomeprazole Viatris and Esomeprazole Mylan added together
27 Sched	lule 1 (table)			
Or	nit:			
Esomeprazole	Tablet (enteric coated) 20 mg (as magnesium trihydrate)	Oral	NOUMED ESOMEPRAZOLE	between 1 August 2024 and 30 September 2024—0 months stock by reference to usual demand
Esomeprazole	Tablet (enteric coated) 40 mg (as	Oral	NOUMED ESOMEPRAZOLE	between 1 August 2024 and 30

8

	magnesium trihydrate)			September 2024—0 months stock by reference to usual demand
28 Schedu	ule 1 (table)			
Om	nit:			
Fenofibrate	Tablet 145 mg	Oral	Fenofibrate Viatris	6 months stock by reference to usual demand of both Fenofibrate Viatris and Fenofibrate Mylan added together
29 Schedu	ule 1 (table)			
Om	nit:			
Fluorometholone	Eye drops 1 mg per mL, 5 mL	Application to the Eye	FML Liquifilm	between 1 July 2024 and 31 January 2025—0 months stock by reference to usual demand
30 Schedu	ule 1 (table)			
Om				
Gabapentin	Capsule 300 mg	Oral	Gabapentin generichealth	between 1 August 2024 and 30 September 2024—0 months stock by reference to usual demand
Gabapentin	Capsule 400 mg	Oral	Gabapentin generichealth	between 1 August 2024 and 30 September 2024—0 months stock by reference to usual demand
31 Schedu	ule 1 (table)			
Om				
Hydrocortisone	Tablet 20 mg	Oral	Hydrocortisone Viatris 20	4 months stock by reference to usual demand of both Hydrocortisone Viatris 20 and Hydrocortisone Mylan 20 added together

32 Schedul 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
inser				
Hypromellose with carbomer 980	Ocular lubricating gel 3 mg-2 mg per g, 10 g	Application to the Eye	Genteal gel	between 1 October 2024 and 30 June 2025—0 months stock by reference to usual demand
Hypromellose with carbomer 980	Ocular lubricating gel 3 mg-2 mg per g, 10 g	Application to the Eye	HPMC PAA	between 1 October 2024 and 30 June 2025—0 months stock by reference to usual demand
33 Schedul	e 1 (table)			
After	:			
Insect allergen extract-yellow jacket venom	Injection set containing 550 micrograms with diluent	Injection	Hymenoptera Yellow Jacket Venom	6 months stock by reference to usual PBS demand
inser	t:			
Irbesartan	Tablet 75 mg	Oral	Karvea	between 1 October 2024 and 31 October 2024—0 months stock by reference to usual demand
34 Schedul	e 1 (table)			
After	. ,			
Itraconazole	Capsule 100 mg	Oral	APO-Itraconazole	between 1 September 2024 and 31 October 2024—0 months stock by reference to usual demand
insert Labetalol	Tablet containing labetalol hydrochloride 100 mg	Oral	Presolol 100	between 1 October 2024 and 31 March 2025—4 months stock by reference to usual demand

35 Schedul Omit				
Lisinopril	Tablet 20 mg	Oral	Lisinopril generichealth	between 1 August 2024 and 30 September 2024—0 months stock by reference to usual demand
36 Schedul	e 1 (table)			
After	:			
Lithium	Tablet containing lithium carbonate 450 mg (slow release)	Oral	Quilonum SR	6 months stock by reference to usual PBS demand
inser	:			
Macrogol 3350	Sachets containing powder for oral solution 13.125 g with electrolytes, 30	Oral	Movicol	between 1 October 2024 and 31 October 2024—0 months stock by reference to usual demand
37 Schedul	e 1 (table)			
Omit				
Meloxicam	Tablet 15 mg	Oral	Pharmacor Meloxicam 15	between 1 August 2024 and 30 September 2024—0 months stock by reference to usual demand
38 Schedul	e 1 (table)			
Omit	:			
Meloxicam	Tablet 7.5 mg	Oral	Pharmacor Meloxicam 7.5	between 1 August 2024 and 30 September 2024—0 months stock by reference to usual demand
39 Schedul	e 1 (table)			
Omit	:			
Methylprednisolone	Injection containing methylprednisolone acetate 40 mg in 1 mL	Injection	Depo-Nisolone	between 1 April 2024 and 30 September 2024—4 months stock by reference to usual demand

40 Sc	hedule	e 1 (table)					
	After:						
Nevirapine	insert:	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		
Nevirapine	1115011.	Tablet 400 mg	Oral	Viramune XR	between 1 October		
Ternapine		(extended release)		, numuno / ne	2024 and 30 September 2025—0 months stock by reference to usual demand		
41 Schedule 1 (table)							
	After:						
Norfloxacin	incont	Tablet 400 mg	Oral	APO-Norfloxacin	2.5 months stock by reference to usual demand		
Nortriptyline	insert:	Tablet 10 mg (as	Oral	NortriTABS 10 mg	between 1 October		
		hydrochloride)			2024 and 31 December 2024—0 months stock by reference to usual demand		
Nortriptyline		Tablet 25 mg (as hydrochloride)	Oral	NortriTABS 25 mg	between 1 October 2024 and 31 December 2024—0 months stock by reference to usual demand		
42 Scl	hedule	1 (table)					
	After:						
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		
	insert:						
Pregabalin		Capsule 150 mg	Oral	Cipla Pregabalin	between 1 October 2024 and 28 February 2025—0 months stock by reference to usual demand		

	dule 1 (table) mit:			
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
	dule 1 (table) mit:			
Rizatriptan	Tablet (orally disintegrating) 10 mg (as benzoate)	Oral	APO-Rizatriptan	between 1 August 2024 and 30 September 2024—0 months stock by reference to usual demand
Rizatriptan	Tablet (orally disintegrating) 10 mg (as benzoate)	Oral	Rizatriptan ODT GH	between 1 August 2024 and 30 September 2024—0 months stock by reference to usual demand
45 Scheo	dule 1 (table)			
Oı	mit:			
Tenofovir	Tablet containing tenofovir disoproxil fumarate 300 mg	Oral	Viread	between 1 August 2024 and 30 September 2024—0 months stock by reference to usual demand
46 Scheo	dule 1 (table)			
Ot	mit:			
Tenofovir with emtricitabine	Tablet containing tenofovir disoproxil phosphate 291 mg with emtricitabine 200 mg	Oral	Tenofovir EMT GH	between 1 August 2024 and 30 September 2024—0 months stock by reference to usual demand
47 Scheo	dule 1 (table)			
Or	mit:			
Valaciclovir	Tablet 500 mg (as hydrochloride)	Oral	Valacor 500	between 1 August 2024 and 30 September 2024—0 months stock by reference to usual demand

48 Schedule 1 (table)

Omit:

Zoledronic acid

Solution for I.V. Injection infusion 5 mg (as monohydrate) in 100 mL

Zoledronic Acid SUN between 1 August 2024 and 30 September 2024—0 months stock by reference to usual demand

Schedule 2—Amendments commencing immediately after the commencement of Schedule 2 to the *National Health (Minimum Stockholding) Amendment Determination (No. 4) 2024 –* 1 October 2024

National Health (Minimum Stockholding) Determination 2023

1 Schedule 1 (table)

Omit: Amino acid formula Sachets containing Oral GA gel 6 months stock by oral powder 24 g, 30 with vitamins and reference to usual minerals without (GA gel) PBS demand lysine and low in tryptophan substitute: Sachets containing Amino acid formula Oral GA gel 0 months stock by with vitamins and oral powder 24 g, 30 reference to usual minerals without PBS demand (GA gel) lysine and low in tryptophan 2 Schedule 1 (table) After: Irbesartan with Tablet 150 mg-12.5 AVSARTAN HCT 4 months stock by Oral hydrochlorothiazide 150/12.5 reference to usual mg demand insert: Isoleucine 1000 Isoleucine with Sachets of oral Oral 0 months stock by carbohydrate powder 4 g reference to usual containing 1 g PBS demand isoleucine, 30 (Isoleucine 1000) Isoleucine with Sachets of oral Oral Isoleucine 50 0 months stock by carbohydrate powder 4 g reference to usual containing 50 mg PBS demand isoleucine, 30 (Isoleucine 50)

Schedule 3—Amendments commencing immediately after the commencement of Schedule 3 to the *National Health (Minimum Stockholding) Amendment Determination (No. 6) 2024 –* 1 December 2024

National Health (Minimum Stockholding) Determination 2023

1 Schedule 1 (table)

16

Omit:							
Valine with carbohydrate	Sachets of oral powder 4 g containing 1 g valine, 30 (Valine 1000)	Oral	Valine 1000	6 months stock by reference to usual PBS demand			
substitute:							
Valine with carbohydrate	Sachets of oral powder 4 g containing 1 g valine, 30 (Valine 1000)	Oral	Valine 1000	0 months stock by reference to usual PBS demand			
2 Schedule 1 (table)							
Omit:							
Valine with carbohydrate	Sachets of oral powder 4 g containing 50 mg valine, 30 (Valine 50)	Oral	Valine 50	6 months stock by reference to usual PBS demand			
substitute:							
Valine with carbohydrate	Sachets of oral powder 4 g containing 50 mg valine, 30 (Valine 50)	Oral	Valine 50	0 months stock by reference to usual PBS demand			