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Attention: Health Care Providers

### CIRCULAR NO. 028

### FUROSEMIDE INJECTION MANUFACTURED BY GRAND PHARMACEUTICAL (CHINA) Co., Ltd; BATCH NUMBER 180120

National Drug Authority in its routine Post Marketing Surveillance discovered that the product with details below has mismatching information on the Patient Information Leaflet (PIL) and both the primary and secondary packages. The product strength indicated on both the primary and secondary packages is 10mg/2ml whereas the PIL shows product to be of strength 10mg/ml.

Product Name	Batch	Mfg. Date	Expiry Date	Manufacturer
Furosemide Injection BP	180120	01/2018		Grand Pharmaceutical (China) Co., Ltd.

The above mismatching information is confusing, misleading and can lead to wrong/irrational use of the drug.

The purpose of this communication is to advise you to;

- Stop the purchase, supply and use of the above product with immediate effect. The license holder of this product has been instructed to recall the product and cease further distribution.
- Quarantine any available stock in your possession and return to your supplier. ii.
- Be vigilant and report to NDA any other product defects and any adverse drug iii. reactions associated with the use of above product or other products. Reports can be sent to NDA offices or by email to druginfo@nda.or.ug or calling 0414-255665 or by sending a message on WhatsApp to 0791415555.

Thank you for your continued cooperation.

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