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Safe Drugs Save Lives

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To : Drug shops and Pharmacies

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SIGNPOSTS FOR DRUG OUTLETS

You are hereby informed that it is a statutory requirement to have a signpost as per Regulation **30** of the **Statutory Instrument No. 35** for Licensing which states that: *“The premises, in respect to which a license is issued by the Authority, shall have a conspicuous signpost indicating the name and type of business carried out at the premises.”* You are required to have signposts at your drug outlets clearly indicating the type of drug outlet (drug shop or pharmacy), the type of drugs sold (human, veterinary or both) and the nature of the business for pharmacies (Retail or Wholesale).

This is therefore to instruct all drug outlets without signposts to erect them at their premises with immediate effect. Drug outlets with signposts that do not fully describe the type of outlet and nature of business carried out should also rectify this anomaly. NDA enforcement teams will be conducting operations to enforce signposts, among other issues.

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To protect and promote human and animal health through the effective regulation of drugs and healthcare products.

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