

PHARMACY AND POISONS ORDINANCE (Chapter 138)

DIRECTION MADE BY THE DISCIPLINARY COMMITTEE
OF THE PHARMACY AND POISONS BOARD OF HONG KONG

It is hereby notified that a Disciplinary Committee appointed by the Pharmacy and Poisons Board of Hong Kong under section 15 of the Pharmacy and Poisons Ordinance, Chapter 138, Laws of Hong Kong ('the Ordinance') to inquire into the conduct of an authorized seller of poisons, namely Apollo Dispensary, at Shop B, Ground Floor, 152 Castle Peak Road, Sham Shui Po, Kowloon, has conducted an inquiry on 1 December 2016 in accordance with section 16 of the Ordinance.

The said Committee was satisfied after the inquiry that Apollo Dispensary had been guilty of misconduct in that at the material time, Mr. SUM Kan-wai, shop-proprietor of Apollo Dispensary, an authorized seller of poisons, was convicted of the following offences under the Ordinance and the Trade Descriptions Ordinance, Chapter 362, Laws of Hong Kong, on 23 May 2016 at Kwun Tong Magistrates' Courts for which the following penalties were imposed:—

<i>Date of Offence</i>	<i>Person Convicted</i>	<i>Offence</i>	<i>Penalty (Fined)</i>
25 March 2015	SUM Kan-wai	1) Selling goods to which a forged trade mark was applied	1) HK\$15,000
		2) Possession of poison included in Part 1 of the Poisons List	2) HK\$2,000

It is further notified that under section 16(2)(b) of the Ordinance, the said Committee directed that Apollo Dispensary should be disqualified from being an authorized seller of poisons for a period of 3 days with effect from 13 January 2017. The said Committee added that its direction should be published in the Government of the Hong Kong Special Administrative Region Gazette with an account of the proceedings.

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Pharmacy and Poisons Board of Hong Kong*