

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 Chung Shing Dispensary Limited, at Shop B, Ground Floor, Yue Man Mansion, 304–308 Ngau Tau Kok Road, Kwun Tong, Kowloon, has conducted an inquiry on 25 August 2016 in accordance with section 16 of the Ordinance.

The said Committee was satisfied after the inquiry that Chung Shing Dispensary Limited had been guilty of misconduct in that at the material time, Chung Shing Dispensary Limited, an authorized seller of poisons, and its director, Mr. WONG Wing-wah, were convicted of the following offences under the Trade Descriptions Ordinance, Chapter 362, Laws of Hong Kong, and the Ordinance, on 7 January 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</i>
14 January 2015	Chung Shing Dispensary Limited	(1) Selling goods to which a forged trade mark was applied	Fined HK\$10,000
		(2) Selling a Third Schedule poison without the authority of a prescription	Fined HK\$10,000
	WONG Wing-wah	(1) Selling goods to which a forged trade mark was applied	Fined HK\$10,000
		(2) Selling a Third Schedule poison without the authority of a prescription	Two weeks imprisonment suspended for one year

It is further notified that under section 16(2)(b) of the Ordinance, the said Committee directed that Chung Shing Dispensary Limited should be disqualified from being an authorized seller of poisons for a period of 5 days with effect from 7 October 2016. 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.

*Cindy LAI Chairman, Disciplinary Committee of
the Pharmacy and Poisons Board of Hong Kong*