

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) to inquire into the conduct of an authorized seller of poisons, namely Shun On Dispensary O/B Bloom Harvest Holdings Limited, at G/F, New Spring Garden Mansion, No. 47 Spring Garden Lane, Wan Chai, Hong Kong has conducted an inquiry on 15 June 2023 in accordance with section 16 of the Pharmacy and Poisons Ordinance.

The said Committee was satisfied after the inquiry that Shun On Dispensary O/B Bloom Harvest Holdings Limited had been guilty of misconduct in that at the material time, Bloom Harvest Holdings Limited, operating Shun On Dispensary, an authorized seller of poisons was convicted of the following offences under the Pharmacy and Poisons Regulations made under the Pharmacy and Poisons Ordinance and Dangerous Drugs Regulations made under the Dangerous Drugs Ordinance (Chapter 134, Laws of Hong Kong) on 27 June 2022 at Eastern Magistrates' Courts for which the following orders were imposed:—

<i>Date of Offence</i>	<i>Person Convicted</i>	<i>Offence</i>	<i>Order (Fined)</i>
23 July 2021	Bloom Harvest Holdings Limited	Failing to keep register or records of a dangerous drug	HK\$3,000
		Failing to store poisons properly	HK\$3,000
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In addition, the said Committee was satisfied that Shun On Dispensary O/B Bloom Harvest Holdings Limited, an authorized seller of poisons, had failed to comply with sections 1.4a, 1.4b, 2e, 2f, 3.3a, 3.3b, 3.4b, 3.4f and 3.4j of the Code of Practice for Authorized Seller of Poisons.

It is further notified that under section 16(2)(b) of the Pharmacy and Poisons Ordinance, the said Committee directed that Shun On Dispensary O/B Bloom Harvest Holdings Limited be disqualified from being an authorized seller of poisons for a period of 21 days with effect from 28 July 2023. 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.

CHIU Pui-yin *Chairman, Disciplinary Committee of
the Pharmacy and Poisons Board of Hong Kong*