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 Chi Man Pharmacy O/B Sun Wui Medicine Company Limited, at Shop 2–3 Fu Ho Building, 3–7 Kau Yuk Road, Yuen Long, New Territories, Hong Kong has conducted an inquiry on 13 February 2025 in accordance with section 16 of the Pharmacy and Poisons Ordinance.

The said Committee was satisfied after the inquiry that Chi Man Pharmacy O/B Sun Wui Medicine Company Limited had been guilty of misconduct in that at the material time, Chi Man Pharmacy O/B Sun Wui Medicine Company Limited and its employee, MA Ming-ho were convicted of the following offences under the Pharmacy and Poisons Ordinance, the Pharmacy and Poisons Regulations (Chapter 138A, Laws of Hong Kong) made under the Pharmacy and Poisons Ordinance and the Trade Descriptions Ordinance (Chapter 362, Laws of Hong Kong) on the date specified below at Fanling Magistrates' Courts for which the following orders were imposed:—

Date of Order	Date of Offence	Person Convicted	Offence	Order (Fined)
24 May 2024	7 January 2023	Sun Wui Medicine Company Limited	Selling Part 1 poison without proper supervision	HK\$5,000
24 May 2024	7 January 2023	Sun Wui Medicine Company Limited	Selling a Schedule 3 poison without prescription	HK\$5,000
24 May 2024	7 January 2023	Sun Wui Medicine Company Limited	Selling pharmaceutical product which was not registered	HK\$5,000
24 May 2024	7 January 2023	Sun Wui Medicine Company Limited	Possession of pharmaceutical product which was not registered for sale or distribution	HK\$10,000
24 May 2024	7 January 2023	Sun Wui Medicine Company Limited	Failing to store Part 1 poison in a locked receptacle	HK\$5,000
24 May 2024	7 January 2023	Sun Wui Medicine Company Limited	Supplying goods to which a false trade description was applied	HK\$10,000
24 May 2024	7 January 2023	Sun Wui Medicine Company Limited	Possession for sale or for any purpose of trade to which a false trade description was applied	HK\$10,000
24 May 2024	7 January 2023	MA Ming-ho	Selling Part 1 poison without proper supervision	HK\$3,000
24 May 2024	7 January 2023	MA Ming-ho	Selling a Schedule 3 poison without prescription	HK\$3,000
24 May 2024	7 January 2023	MA Ming-ho	Selling pharmaceutical product which was not registered	HK\$3,000
24 May 2024	7 January 2023	MA Ming-ho	Possession of pharmaceutical product which was not registered for sale or distribution	HK\$5,000

Date of Order	Date of Offence	Person Convicted	Offence	Order (Fined)
24 May 2024	7 January 2023	MA Ming-ho	Failing to store Part 1 poison in a locked receptacle	HK\$3,000
24 May 2024	7 January 2023	MA Ming-ho	Supplying goods to which a false trade description was applied	HK\$5,000

In addition, the said Committee was satisfied that Chi Man Pharmacy O/B Sun Wui Medicine Company Limited had failed to comply with sections 1.4a, 1.4b, 2e, 2f, 2k, 3.1a, 3.1b, 3.3a, 3.3b, 3.3d and 3.4j of the Code of Practice for Authorized Seller of Poisons (2021 version).

It is further notified that under section 16(2)(b) of the Pharmacy and Poisons Ordinance, the said Committee directed Chi Man Pharmacy O/B Sun Wui Medicine Company Limited be disqualified from being an authorized seller of poisons for a period of 4 days with effect from 28 March 2025. 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