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 New Fu Keung Dispensary Company Limited, at Shop 5, G/F, Southern Building, 257–273 King's Road, North Point, Hong Kong has conducted an inquiry on 4 September 2025 in accordance with section 16 of the Pharmacy and Poisons Ordinance.

The said Committee was satisfied after the inquiry that New Fu Keung Dispensary Company Limited had been guilty of misconduct in that at the material time, New Fu Keung Dispensary Company Limited was convicted of the following offences under the Pharmacy and Poisons Regulations (Chapter 138A, Laws of Hong Kong) made under the Pharmacy and Poisons Ordinance on the date specified below at Eastern Magistrates' Courts for which the following orders were imposed:—

Date of Order	Date of Offence	Person Convicted	Offence	Order
15 October 2024	13 September 2023	New Fu Keung Dispensary Company Limited	Failing to store Part 1 poison in a locked receptacle	Fined HK\$6,000 and Compensation (Not <i>via</i> Magistracy) HK\$37,680
15 October 2024	13 September 2023	New Fu Keung Dispensary Company Limited	Possession of pharmaceutical product which was not registered for sale or distribution	Fined HK\$10,000

In addition, the said Committee was satisfied that New Fu Keung Dispensary Company Limited had failed to comply with sections 1.4a, 1.4b, 1.4h, 2e, 2f and 3.1d 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 New Fu Keung Dispensary Company Limited be disqualified from being an authorized seller of poisons for a period of 2 days with effect from 17 October 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.

FUNG Ying Chairman, Disciplinary Committee of the Pharmacy and Poisons Board of Hong Kong