

Minutes of the 1st Meeting (2015 Series) of the Units Approval Committee (UAC) for EOUs held on 18.03.2015 at 11:00 Hrs. in the Office Chamber of the Development Commissioner, Administrative Building, Kandla SEZ, Gandhidham under the Chairpersonship of Shri Upendra Vasishth, NDC, Development Commissioner, KASEZ

Following were present:

- (1) Shri Krishan Kumar, JDC, KASEZ
- (2) Shri L. K. Meena, DDC(I/C), KASEZ
- (3) Shri R. G. Khairkar, FTDO, KASEZ.

(i) M/s. Apothecon Pharmaceuticals Pvt. Ltd., Vadodara

M/s. Apothecon Pharmaceuticals Pvt. Ltd., Vadodara is a working unit for manufacture and export of various Drugs and Formulations. The unit has requested for broad-banding of following Bulk Drugs in their LOP: -


Sr. No.	Description of Items	Annual Production Capacity
1.	Colestipol Hydrochloride	20,000 Kgs.
2.	Sodium Hyaluronate	1,000 Kgs.
3.	Taurolidine	1,000 Kgs.
4.	Sodium Ferric Gluconate Complex	100 Kgs.
5.	Aprepitant	25 Kgs.
6.	Ropivacaine Hydrochloride Monohydrate	80 Kgs.

Shri Amit Acharya, General Manager and Shri Sanjay Shah, Sr. Executive (Excise) of the company appeared before the UAC and explained about their proposal. Shri Acharya have stated that they export their products to different countries. He further stated that for the proposed broad-banding items, they have already submitted FDA approvals along with their applications.

With regard to NFE status of the unit as informed by the Asstt. Commissioner of Central Excise, Division-II, Vadodara-I in the UAC meeting held on 11.11.2014, the Committee is of the view that as per the APRs submitted by the unit since commencement of commercial production i.e. 07.07.2011 to 31.03.2014, the unit has claimed to achieve positive NFE. It was further observed that the unit has not completed the first block period of five years and ultimately NFE has to be seen for the five year block period.

The Committee therefore, decided to approve the above six products for broad banding.

The meeting ended with thanks to all present.


(Upendra Vasishth)
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