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Government of India
Ministry of Health & Family Welfare
Directorate General of Health Services
Central Drugs Standard Control Organization
(Enforcement Division)

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To,

1. All States/UTs Drugs Controllers

Subject: Monitoring to ensure availability of Remdesivir and prevent its hoarding and black marketing –reg.

Sir/Madam,

It has been brought to the notice of the Ministry of Health and Family welfare that States of Madhya Pradesh (Bhopal, Indore, Gwalior), Gujarat (Ahmedabad, Surat, Rajkot) and Maharashtra (Mumbai, Thane, Abernathy) are reporting shortage of Remdesivir Injection. This may lead to its hoarding and black marketing.

In view of above, you are requested to initiate immediate remedial action to ensure supply of Remdesivir injection to public and private hospitals in the above mentioned states as well as in other states.

You are also requested to instruct your enforcement staff to keep continuous monitoring on the situation and keep strict vigil so that any incidence of black-marketing and over-charging of the drugs is prevented.

Action taken in the matter may please be intimated to this office at the earliest.

Yours faithfully


Dr. V. G. Somani
Drugs Controller General (I)

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Zonal/Sub-zonal offices of CDSCO - To coordinate with the respective States/UTs Drugs Controllers in the matter.

Copy for information to:

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2. PS to JS(R)