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06.04.2020	S.O. 1249(E)	*The Ministry of Chemicals and Fertilizers (Department of Pharmaceuticals) has, though an order dated April 06, 2020,*

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01.04.2020	21(2856)Div.IV/2020/NPPA	*The Chairman, NPPA, in furtherance to the order of the Home Ministry on March 29, 2020 which ordered to ensure availability of essential*

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