

Consent to the Distribution of New Medicines

Pursuant to section 20 of the Medicines Act 1981, the Minister of Health hereby consents to the distribution in New Zealand of the new medicines which were referred to the Minister of Health under the provisions of section 24(5) of the Act and are set out in the Schedule hereto:

Schedule

Product: **Zantac (General sale)**
Active Ingredient: Ranitidine hydrochloride 168mg equivalent to ranitidine 150mg
Dosage Form: Film coated tablet
New Zealand Sponsor: Pharmacy Retailing (NZ) Ltd t/a Healthcare Logistics
Manufacturer: Strides Pharma Science Limited, Periyakalpet, India

Product: **Zantac (Pharmacy only)**
Active Ingredient: Ranitidine hydrochloride 168mg equivalent to ranitidine 150mg
Dosage Form: Film coated tablet
New Zealand Sponsor: Pharmacy Retailing (NZ) Ltd t/a Healthcare Logistics
Manufacturer: Strides Pharma Science Limited, Periyakalpet, India

Product: **Zantac Double Strength**
Active Ingredient: Ranitidine hydrochloride 336mg equivalent to ranitidine 300mg
Dosage Form: Film coated tablet
New Zealand Sponsor: Pharmacy Retailing (NZ) Ltd t/a Healthcare Logistics
Manufacturer: Strides Pharma Science Limited, Periyakalpet, India

Dated this 24th day of January 2025.

DEREK FITZGERALD, Acting Group Manager, Medsafe, Ministry of Health (pursuant to delegation given by the Minister of Health on 11 September 2013).