

Renewal of Registration Process:

Process Description:

Name of Process	Renewal of Registration (For all kind of Drug Registration).
Name of	Application for renewal of registered drug product
Business process	
Related Laws.	• Drug Regulatory Authority of Pakistan Act, 2012.
Rules and	• Drugs Act, 1976
regulations	• The Drugs (Labeling & Packing) Rules, 1986
	• The Drugs (Licensing, Registering & Advertising) Rules, 1976.
	• The Drugs (Specification) Rules, 1978.
Input & Criteria	A valid Drug Manufacturing License (Form 2)
to enter/begin	• For Finished product Import; A valid Drug Sale License and Sole
the business	Agency Agreement
process	• A valid Certificate of Registration or within one year after expiry of
	certificate of Registration. (If the applicant applies within time for
	renewal of registration, the registration of drug will be considered
	valid until an explicit decision is taken by Registration Board.)
Activities and	Initiation of renewal of registration of pharmaceutical / biological (drug)
associated	product:
documentary	1. Applicant shall submit renewal application (Form 5B) for all
requirements	categories of registered biologicals with requisite documents and fee.
	2. DRAP receives, scrutinizes and evaluate the renewal applications
	and requisite documents as per SOP approved by Registration Board
	on FIFO basis.
	• If the application is in-complete, DRAP informs the applicant
	with observation note. One reminder is issued in case
	applicant fails to reply in stipulated time period.
	3. After rectification of shortcomings by applicant, Biological
	Evaluation & Research Division DRAP prepares summary and
	present it before the Registration Board.
	4. Registration Board reviews the summary and take final decision.
	5. DRAP issues renewal of drug registration letter to the applicant.
	6. In case Registration Board rejects the renewal of registration
	application, due process of cancellation of registration will be
	initiated.
	7. In case of rejection of application by RB, applicant has the right of
	appeal within 60 days before the Appellate Board.
Output Criteria	• Renewal of Registration of Drug letter from DRAP office.
to exit the	• Validity for 5 years (unless earlier cancelled or suspended by the
business process	Registration Board).



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	• Legal Reference: Drug Regulatory Authority of Pakistan Act, 2012 and The Drug Licensing, Registering & Advertising) Rules, 1976
Time required to exit the business process	
Fee*	The updated fee structure of regulatory functions can be accessed on https://www.dra.gov.pk/publications/regulatory-fees/.