



DRUG REGULATORY AUTHORITY OF PAKISTAN

DIVISION OF QUALITY ASSURANCE & LABORATORY TESTING

MEDICAL PRODUCT ALERT

DRAP ALERT NO. N° I/S/01-26-132

VETERINARY DRUG PRODUCTS DECLARED SUBSTANDARD BY PROVINCIAL DRUG TESTING LABORATORIES.

Date: 14th January, 2026

Target Audience:

- National Regulatory Field Force of DRAP and Provincial Drug Control Departments.
- Healthcare Professionals-Veterinarians
- Farmers/consumers

Alert Summary:

Provincial Drug Testing Laboratories, Punjab informed that the sample of below mentioned **Veterinary Drug products** have been declared as '**Substandard**'.

| S# | Product Details | Batch # | Manufacturer details | Remarks |
|----|--|---------|--|--|
| 1 | Injection, Actimec 10ml Ivermectin: 10 mg/ml (Reg # 034595) | AM-164 | M/s Selmore Pharmaceuticals (Pvt) Ltd. 36 Km Off. Multan Road Lahore. (DML # 000507) | The sample is declared as " Sub-Standard " on the basis of Assay Test & Test for Related Substances. |
| 2 | MAC ROLD 1% 50ml Ivermectin: 10 mg/ml (Reg # 106810) | YI-146 | M/s Haarlods Pharmaceuticals (Pvt) Ltd. Plot No.60-64/C, Small Industrial Estate, Bhimber, AJK. (DML # 000921) | The sample is declared as " Sub-Standard " on the basis of Assay Test, sterility test & Related Substances, while misbranded as per section 3(s)(vi) of the Drugs Act,1976. (<i>Product does not contain Finished Drug Product Specifications</i>) |

Risk Statement:

The above veterinary ivermectin injectable products have been declared *Sub-Standard* due to failures in Assay, Related Substances, and Sterility tests, with one product also found misbranded for not meeting Finished Drug Product specifications. Use of such compromised injections may result in treatment failure, toxicity, infections, or adverse reactions in animals. The public most likely to be affected includes livestock farmers, dairy and meat producers, veterinarians, and animal handlers, as defective treatment can lead to animal illness, reduced productivity, economic losses, and potential downstream risks to milk and meat safety.

Action initiated: -

The field force of DRAP and Provincial Drug Control departments have been directed to immediately conduct market surveys for detection of presence and removal of mentioned batches from the market.



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Advice for Veterinarian: -

This alert applies strictly to the specific batch listed above and does not apply to other batches of the **same** product. Veterinarians are therefore advised not to prescribe, administer, or stock these identified batch under any circumstances.

Advice for Farmers and Livestock Owners:

Farmers and livestock owners are advised to **immediately stop using the affected batch and isolate all remaining stock**. Closely **monitor treated animals** for fever, swelling at the injection site, reduced appetite, or any sudden illness, and **consult a veterinarian** if such symptoms appear. Until animals are clinically stable, **avoid selling or using milk or meat** from visibly unwell animals. The affected product should be **returned to the supplier or distributor** according to recall instructions. Farmers are further advised to **maintain proper records** of batch numbers, treatment dates, and suppliers for traceability, and to ensure that only **sterile, approved veterinary injections** are used and stored under recommended conditions.



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