

To
the Honorable
Mr. Marios Salmas
Alternate Minister of Health

Cc: Mrs. Ch. Papanikolaou, Secretary General of Public Health
Mrs. Z. Dede, President of the Pricing Committee
Mr. N. Karapanos, Director of the Directorate of Medicines & Pharmacies

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Subject: Pricing of OTCs and medicines included in the negative list

Dear Mr. Salmas,

In view of the upcoming issuance of the new Price Bulletin we would like to confirm that, as it is understood, the OTCs and the medicines included in the negative list will be exempted from re-pricing and therefore their price will remain unchanged.

As you already know, these medicines are not reimbursed from the social security funds and they do not burden the public pharmaceutical expenditure. Therefore, in order to make sure that these medicines are marketed and in order to avoid shortages, their price will have to remain at the same levels.

Kind Regards,

Nikos Kefalas
Vice-President

Konstantinos Frouzis
President