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Attribute:
Subject: Caribbean Regulatory System (CRS)

Dear pharmaceutical importer,

By means of this letter we would like to inform you about the procedures for medicines recommended by the Caribbean Regulatory System (CRS), of which Suriname is also a member. The ultimate goal of the CRS is registration efficiency and improvement of the regulation of medicines in the CARICOM member states. CRS (hosted by CARPHA) turns an offered registration dossier into an evaluation report. - The registration dossier of the medicine still has to be submitted to the Registration Committee in Suriname.

The registration dossiers appearing on the CRS list will be handled through the fast-track procedure requiring the following documentation:

- Cover letter on which both the director of the importer and the consultant pharmacist sign.
- Fully completed application form
- CPP (Certificate of Pharmaceutical Product) or CRS recommendation certificate with CRS product reference number issued by the Caribbean Public Health Agency (CARPHA).
- SmPC (Summary of Product Characteristics).
- Sample (package leaflet enclosed) with clear registration number country of origin.
- *Optionally, the Common Technical Dossier (Appendices A-K), with all other information.*

On the CARPHA website you will find more information regarding the CRS system and the list of medicines.
https://www.carpha.org/What-We-Do/CRS/Caribbean-Regulatory-System

Trusting to have informed you sufficiently.

Sincerely,

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