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Sub. : Request to keep ADC's offices at JNPT and Air Cargo Complex Open during Annual Closing (2013-14)

On behalf of all the members of IDMA, it gives me great pleasure in congratulating you on your elevation as Deputy Drugs Controller of India, CDSCO-Western Zone, Mumbai. We look forward to your guidance in all regulatory and matters concerning pharmaceutical manufacture and trade.

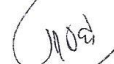
We would like to inform you that this year there are three holidays falling on the eve of the closing i.e. 29th, 30th and 31st March 2014. As you are aware Gudi Padwa, the New Year for Maharashtra falls on Monday, 31-03-2014, the last day of the month, preceded by Saturday and Sunday on the 29th and 30th March, which are holidays for the ADC.

We earnestly request you to direct the ADC offices at Port to be kept open during the Annual Closing so that Documents are passed in time and exports are carried out and we are able to achieve the export target thereby reducing the Country's trade deficit.

We are sure, you will take necessary action in keeping the ADC offices at JNPT and Air Cargo Complex open as requested to provide the much required support and guidance to the Indian pharma industry.

Thanking You,

Yours sincerely,


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Chairman

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