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**Packaging norms:
DRL sees US liability**

Mumbai: Dr Reddy's Laboratories Ltd (DRL), the country's second largest drug maker by sales, expects a significant liability in the US where the department of justice (DoJ) is investigating an alleged violation of the country's drug packaging norms by the company during 2008-2012, it said in a filing to the US Securities and Exchange Commission (SEC).

Although the company has denied any wrongdoing, it said penalties may be slapped on the company in the event the investigation leads to an adverse outcome against it. **C.H. UNNIKISHNAN**

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