

### **NPPA examining 92 applications**

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The national drug price regulator NPPA is currently evaluating 92 applications for retail price fixation of new fixed dose combinations, Parliament was informed today. Besides, the National Pharma Pricing Regulator (NPPA) has directed all pharmaceutical companies whose applications for retail price fixation of new FDCs (fixed dose combinations) are pending to submit a declaration signed by the designated authority that the FDC has not been banned by drug control authorities. "At present, 92 applications for retail price fixation of new FDCs are under examination at NPPA," said Hansraj Gangaram Ahir, Minister of State for Chemicals and Fertilisers, in a written reply to the Rajya Sabha.

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