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Rajasthan bans pharma company for wrong labelling

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JAIPUR: The Rajasthan government has banned the Himachal Pradesh-based Pushkar Pharma from supplying drugs to the State.

Announcing this in the Assembly on Wednesday, Health Minister Rajendra Rathore said the government will not allow the drugs manufactured by Pushkar Pharma to be sold in Rajasthan.

This company had supplied wrongly labelled life saving Meropenem injections to the State last month which were distributed under the government's free medicine scheme to the patients. Meropenem is a strong antibiotic drug which is used for acute bacterial infection in the lungs, kidney and other vital organs. It is also used for veterinary purpose.

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