

POISONS AND THERAPEUTIC GOODS ACT 1966

ORDER

Supply of regulated goods by automatic machine

I, David Ng, Chief Pharmacist, a duly appointed Delegate of the Minister for Health, issue this order pursuant to section 36(4) of the *Poisons and Therapeutic Goods Act 1966* (the Act), subject to conditions.



David Ng
Chief Pharmacist
Delegation PH424
9 June 2026

Order to allow installation and supply of regulated goods by automatic machine

1. Exemption

This order exempts pharmacists in a pharmacy as a class of persons from the operation of section 36(1) and section 36(2) of the Act prohibiting a person from installing an automatic machine in a pharmacy, and from supplying regulated goods by automatic machine.

This order exempts Med-ID Pty Ltd from the operation of section 36(1)(a) of the Act prohibiting a person from installing an automatic machine.

2. Conditions

- a. The automatic machine is the MedyBOX Automated Pharmacy Dispensing System.
- b. Scheduled medicines must not be supplied via the automatic machine.
- c. The automatic machine must limit the number of units that may be purchased to **ONE ITEM** per transaction.
- d. The automatic machine must only contain **ONE ITEM** of each unscheduled medicine that is otherwise scheduled when in greater pack size quantities.
- e. Stocking and replenishment must be supervised by the pharmacist.
- f. All products in the automatic machine must be in original packaging.
- g. Goods subject to Australian Register of Therapeutic Goods registration conditions must not be supplied in a manner that will result in contravention of those requirements.
- h. The pharmacist must have policies and procedures in place to cover staff training, operation, selection, replenishment, cleaning and incident management.
- i. The pharmacist must have policies and procedures in place to ensure the machine is monitored by pharmacy staff, including to detect any purchasing in contravention of the conditions of this order.
- j. All functional activities must be logged and auditable.

3. Validity

This order commences on the day it is signed and dated and remains in force until 20 June 2028 or on a date it is cancelled.