Announcement of the National Medical Products Administration and the General Administration of Customs on Matters Concerning the Pilot Implementation of Electronic Customs Clearance for Imported Medicinal Products at Beijing Ports[1]

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To further advance the digitalisation of government services and improve the efficiency and facilitation of customs clearance for imported medicinal products (including medicinal materials), it has been decided, following consideration, to launch a pilot programme for electronic customs clearance for imported medicinal products (including medicinal materials) at Beijing ports with effect from the date of publication of this Announcement. Electronic documents for customs clearance of imported medicinal products (including medicinal materials) shall have the same legal effect as paper documents. During the pilot programme, existing paper documents shall remain valid and enterprises may continue to use them in accordance with the relevant provisions.

This Announcement is hereby issued.

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