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Tēnā koe Catherine

Your request for official information, reference: HNZ00052246

Thank you for your email on 11 June 2024, asking Health New Zealand | Te Whatu Ora for the following under the Official Information Act 1982 (the Act):

Prior to 6 October 2021 import of Comirnaty into New Zealand was limited to that where the active mRNA ingredient was manufactured at the following sites:-

1) Wyeth Biopharma, Division of Wyeth Pharmaceuticals LLC

One Burtt Road, Andover Massachussetts 01810, United States of America

- 2) Rentschler Biopharma SE Erwin-Rentschler-Strasse 21 Laupheim 88471, Germany
- 3) BioNTech Manufacturing GmbH An der Goldgrube 12 Mainz 5513, Germany

For the following batches of Comirnaty please identify the site of manufacture of the active mRNA ingredient:-

EP2163, EP9605, ER7449, ET3045, FA5833, FC3558, FC5029, FD0927, FD9234, FE2090, FE3064, FE8163, FF2382, FF4206, FF4222, FF8871, FG0050, FG3716, FG7372, FG9019, FH0114, FH3219, FH4091, FH4092

If the site of manufacture of final dose form for any of the above batches differs from Pfizer Manufacturing Belgium NV Rijksweg 12, Puurs B-2870, Belgium please identify which batches this applies to and provide identifying name and address of the respective sites.

Response

All the listed batches were manufactured in Belgium.

Please note, New Zealand did not receive batch FH4091. This was a typing error in a Health New Zealand | Te Whatu Ora record which has been corrected to record FH4092. This batch was also manufactured in Belgium.

How to get in touch

If you have any questions, you can contact us at hnzOIA@tewhatuora.govt.nz.

If you are not happy with this response, you have the right to make a complaint to the Ombudsman. Information about how to do this is available at www.ombudsman.parliament.nz or by phoning 0800 802 602.

As this information may be of interest to other members of the public, Health New Zealand | Te Whatu Ora may proactively release a copy of this response on our website. All requester data, including your name and contact details, will be removed prior to release.

Nāku iti noa, nā

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