

**SECOND SUPPLEMENT TO THE GIBRALTAR
GAZETTE**

No. 4495 of 2 August, 2018

LEGAL NOTICE NO.173 OF 2018.

MEDICAL AND HEALTH ACT 1997

**MEDICINES (PRESCRIPTION ONLY) (AMENDMENT)
REGULATIONS 2018**

In exercise of the powers conferred on him by section 66 of the Medical and Health Act, 1997 the Minister has made the following Regulations–

Title.

1. These Regulations may be cited as the Medical (Prescription Only) (Amendment) Regulations 2018.

Commencement.

2. These Regulations come into operation on the day of publication.

Amendment of the Medicines (Prescription Only) Regulations, 1987.

3.(1) The Medicines (Prescription Only) Regulations, 1987 are amended in accordance with the provisions of this regulation.

(2) In Schedule 1 after “Sildenafil” insert “, with the exception of products containing this drug which have been granted a marketing authorisation by the United Kingdom Medicines and Healthcare Products Regulatory Agency as a pharmacy medicine and may be supplied to a person after consultation with a pharmacist”.

Dated 2nd August, 2018.

N F COSTA,
Minister with responsibility for Health.

EXPLANATORY MEMORANDUM

These Regulations amend the Medicines (Prescription Only) Regulations, 1987 in order to allow certain products which contain sildenafil to be sold by pharmacies without prescription.