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**1.0 Purpose**

This Regulatory Directive stipulates the suspension of *New Applications* under the Global Listing Scheme (for supermarket items) and the condition for processing of *Renewal Applications* under the Global Listing Scheme (for supermarket items). The scheme has witnessed a lot of abuse over the years; with evidence of unverifiable outlets/premises during Post-Marketing Surveillance, failure to utilize approval granted amongst other deviations from the requirements of the scheme.

**2.0 Scope**

This Regulatory Directive applies to:

- All New applications under the Global Listing Scheme (for supermarket items).
- All Renewal applications under the Global Listing Scheme (for supermarket items) without verifiable evidence of utilization of the approval granted from the preceding year (utilization record of the last approval).

**3.0 Directive Details**

NAFDAC will no longer accept for processing:

- **NEW APPLICATIONS** under the Global Listing Scheme (for supermarket items) until further notice
- **ALL RENEWAL APPLICATIONS** under the Global Listing Scheme (for supermarket items) without verifiable evidence of utilization of the approval granted from the preceding year (utilization record of the last approval).

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