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Dear Sir,

Please find enclose herewith the Press Release for your information.

Thanking you,

Yours faithfully,  
For NATCO Pharma Limited

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Press Release

NATCO receives approval for Chlorantraniliprole (CTPR)-  
1<sup>st</sup> key product of Crop Health Sciences Division

Hyderabad, India, February 5<sup>th</sup>, 2021

Natco Pharma Limited (NSE: NATCOPHARM; BSE: 524816) is pleased to announce its registration approval given by Central Insecticide Board & Registration Committee (CIB&RC) recorded in its Minutes of the 425<sup>th</sup> Meeting held on 25.01.2021, for indigenous manufacture of *Chlorantraniliprole (CTPR) Technical 93.00% w/w min.* under Section 9(3) of Insecticides Act, 1968. NATCO would be the 1<sup>st</sup> indigenous manufacturer of this technical product.

CTPR technical is formulated into broad-spectrum insecticides used in several crops for better pest management. NATCO hopes to bring products based on CTPR shortly that would be affordable and accessible to farmers across India.

CTPR is an active ingredient used in products commercialized by FMC under brands Coragen® & Ferterra®. The sales generated from CTPR containing products in India, inclusive of third-party marketing companies, as per declaration given by FMC was estimated to be INR 1540 crores in 2016. NATCO believes the current market size to be over INR 2000 crores. NATCO has a pending litigation against FMC for declaration of freedom to use of CTPR.

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