

## **AKUMS DRUGS & PHARMACEUTICALS LIMITED**

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Respected Sir/Madam,

Please find enclosed herewith the communication being released in press today by the company.

This is for your kind information and record.

Thanking You

For Akums Drugs and Pharmaceuticals Limited

Dharamvir Malik Company Secretary & Compliance Officer



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## Akums Appoints Shantanu R Chobhe as Corporate Quality Assurance Head

India's Largest Contract development and Manufacturing Organisation (CDMO), Akums Drugs & Pharmaceuticals Limited has appointed Mr. Shantanu R Chobhe as the Corporate Quality Assurance Head.

Mr. Chobhe brings over 30 years of extensive experience in quality and regulatory management within the pharmaceutical industry. His career has spanned across several leading companies, including Lupin Ltd., Glenmark Generics Ltd., UniChem Laboratories Ltd., Wockhardt Ltd., and Cipla Ltd. Prior to joining Akums, he served as a key member of Abbott Healthcare Pvt Ltd, where he was instrumental in driving quality excellence.

At Akums, Mr. Chobhe will take charge of all quality assurance (QA) and quality control (QC) departments, overseeing both active pharmaceutical ingredients (API) and formulations. His deep expertise in quality management and regulatory affairs will be critical as Akums continues to uphold its commitment to delivering high-quality pharmaceutical products.

Mr. Chobhe holds an MSc in Analytical Chemistry from the University of Pune, India, and a PhD in Pharmacy from Preston University. He is also a member of the IP Expert Committee, the Parenteral Drug Association (PDA), and the Indian Pharmaceutical Scientists and Educators (IPSE).

Commenting on the appointment, Mr. Sandeep Jain, Managing Director of Akums Drugs & Pharmaceuticals Limited, said, "Quality is the foundation of everything we do at Akums. We always strive to exceed industry benchmarks by elevating our standards. With Shantanu's vast experience in quality assurance, we are confident that Akums will not only uphold but also enhance our commitment to quality, ensuring our products consistently meet the highest standards of safety and efficacy."

Mr. Shantanu R Chobhe, Corporate Quality Assurance Head at Akums, added, "I am honoured to join Akums, a company that has consistently set high standards in the pharmaceutical sector. Quality is the foundation of everything we do, and I am committed to strengthening our QA and QC processes to deliver products that reflect the utmost integrity and safety. I look forward to contributing to Akums' growth journey and helping elevate India's standing on the international pharmaceutical stage."

By bringing experienced leaders like Mr. Chobbe on board, Akums is not just investing in its growth but also in the pursuit of excellence that will drive its mission to make a global impact.