

<<On the letter head of Government Institutions or other exempt entities >>

## Declaration

To,

Strides Pharma Science Limited,  
201, Devavrata, Sector 17,  
Vashi,  
Navi Mumbai – 400 703

**Subject – Declaration for receiving dividend without deduction of tax from Strides Pharma Science Limited ('Strides') during the FY 2023-24**

1. <<Name of the shareholder>> is a <<form of entity i.e. Body corporate / Local Authority etc.>> incorporated in India under <<Name of the Central / State Act>>. Further, <<Name of the shareholder>> qualifies as 'Government' for the purpose of Income-tax Act, 1961 or <<Name of the Shareholder>> shall qualify as exempted entity listed out in Circular No. 18/2017 dated May 18, 2017 issued by Central Board of Direct Taxes.
2. The dividend income receivable by <<Name of the shareholder>> is exempt under Section <<relevant provisions of the Act>> of the Income-tax Act, 1961 and there is no requirement to file return of income.
3. <<Name of the Shareholder>> is eligible for exemption from deduction of taxes under Section 196 or Section 197A of the Income-tax Act, 1961.

We hereby confirm that the above information is true to the best of our knowledge and belief. In the event, Strides is liable for any tax demand (including interest and penalty) arising on account of lower/non-withholding of taxes basis the declaration / documents furnished by us, then we will fully indemnify the Company for any tax demand arising thereon.

Thanking you.

Yours faithfully,  
For << Name of the shareholder >>

Signature:  
Name:  
Address:  
Email and Telephone: