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**Poustie, Resydënter Heisin
an Fowk Siccar**

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DRUG ALERT

CLASS 3 MEDICINES RECALL

Dear Healthcare Professional

Aurum Pharmaceuticals
Amiodarone Hydrochloride 50 mg/ml Concentrate

PL 12064/0123

Batch Number	Expiry Date	Pack Size	First Distributed
80593	09/2010	10 ampoules	30/10/2008
80604	12/2010	10 ampoules	17/4/2009

Following the Caution in Use notice issued on 23 December 2009 (PHC/40/09) and further discussions with Aurum Pharmaceuticals, all remaining stock of the above two batches is now being recalled from hospitals, wholesalers and relevant clinics.

For medical information enquiries please contact Aurum Pharmaceuticals medical information on 01708 382791. For enquiries relating to stock returns and credit please contact Aurum Pharmaceuticals customer services on 0800 028 7933.

HSC Board/RQIA should bring this information to the attention of private hospitals/clinics registered with them and any other relevant care facilities.

Yours sincerely

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