

# Annexe J

## Glossary

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### GLOSSARY

AAH	AAH Pharmaceuticals Ltd
ABPI	Association of the British Pharmaceutical Industry
AIPG	Association of Independent Pharmacy Group
AstraZeneca	Astra Zeneca UK Ltd
ATC	Anatomical Therapeutic Chemical
AWMSG	All-Wales Medicines Strategy Group
BAEPD	British Association of European Pharmaceutical Distributors
BAPW	British Association of Pharmaceutical Wholesalers
BERR	Department of Business Enterprise and Regulatory Reform
BGMA	British Generic Manufacturers' Association
BMA	British Medical Association
BMJ	British Medical Journal
BNF	British National Formulary
CA98	Competition Act 1998
CCA	Company Chemists Association
CFI	Court of First Instance
CPS	Community Pharmacy Scotland
DDA	Dispensing Doctors' Association
DH	Department of Health
DHSSPSNI	Department of Health, Social Services and Public Safety of Northern Ireland
DTP	Direct to Pharmacy
EA02	Enterprise Act 2002

EC	European Commission
EMIG	Ethical Medicines Industry Group
EU	European Union
FTE	Full Time Equivalent
GP	General Practitioner
GSK	GlaxoSmithKline UK Ltd
IPF	Independent Pharmacy Federation
LSP	Logistics Service Provider
MHRA	Medicines and Healthcare products Regulatory Agency
MP	Member of Parliament
MSP	Member of the Scottish Parliament
Napp	Napp Pharmaceuticals Ltd
NIC	Net Ingredient Cost
NICE	National Institute for Health and Clinical Excellence
NHS	National Health Service
NPA	National Pharmacy Association
OFT	Office of Fair Trading
OTC	Over the Counter (medicines)
PCA	Prescription cost analysis
PCO	Primary Care Organisation
PCT	Primary Care Trust
Pfizer	Pfizer UK Ltd
Phoenix	Phoenix Healthcare Distribution
POM	Prescription Only Medicines
PPA	Prescription Pricing Authority

PPB	Pharmaceuticals Pricing Board
PPRS	Pharmaceutical Price Regulation Scheme
PSG	Pharmacy Service Group
PSNC	Pharmaceutical Services Negotiating Committee
ROCE	Return on Capital Employed
ROS	Return on Sales
RPSGB	Royal Pharmaceutical Society of Great Britain
Sanofi Aventis	Sanofi Aventis Group
SG	Scottish Government
SMC	Scottish Medicines Consortium
UniChem	UniChem Ltd
WAG	Welsh Assembly Government