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20	Veena Organics Chemical Ltd.	Paracetamol		
21	Triton Labs. P. Ltd.	Do.		As per preliminary reports from State Drug Controllers these companies have also overcharged. Full reports are awaited.
22	Sardony	Do.		
23	Mehta Pharms	Chloramphenicol Powder		
24	Prag Pharma	Do.		
25	Nirlac Fine Chem.	Do.		
26	Usan Labs.	Do.		
27	Themis Agencies	Do.		
28	I.D.P.L.	Sulphadimidine		The Company is being addressed to get the details.

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29	Carews Pharmaceuticals	Combiflam tablets	Aug '88	Sept. '89
30	Celsus Pharmaceuticals	Ibudex Capsules	Aug. '88	Jan. '90
31	Infar (I) Ltd.	Dexatopic Cream	Sept. '89	March, '90
32	Lyka Labs.	Flucort range of formulations	1984	In 1984, Company was asked to furnish the details
33	Novocare Pvt. Ltd.	Magadol tablets	Dec. '89	May, '90
34	Ultim Pharmaceuticals	Proxyvon range of formulations	Aug. '88	Jan. '90
35	Sandoz (I) Ltd.	Multivitamins	March, '86	August '89 (Co. has been asked to furnish the details)
36	Abbot Labs.	Do.	March '86	Do.
37	Pfizer Limited	Do.	Do.	Do.
38	Parke Davis including Warner Hindustan	plus protinex Multi Vitamins	August '83	Do.

### Production of bulk vitamins

723. SHRIMATI SATYA BAHIN;  
SHRIMATI PRATIBHA SINGH:

Will the Minister of PETROLEUM AND CHEMICALS be pleased to refer to the answer to Unstarred Question 13 given in the Rajya Sabha on 30th April, 1990 and state:

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(a) whether it is a fact that his Ministry is monitoring the production of bulk vitamins;

(b) if so, what was the production of each bulk vitamin during the the last three years, yearwise;

(c) whether it is a fact that certain bulk vitamins were also imported during the last three years;

(d) if so, what are the names of bulk vitamins, quantity imported of each, names of the importer and the average CIF price at which each was imported;

(e) what is the price of each bulk vitamin per Kg. as on the 30th April, 1990; and

(f) what was the price of each bulk vitamin taken while fixing the formulation prices under DPCO, 1987?

THE MINISTER OF PETROLEUM AND CHEMICALS (SHRI M. S. GURUPADASWAMY): (a) Yes, Sir,

(b) Production details for the last three years are available in the Performance Budget of this Ministry for year 1990-91, copies of which are available in the Parliament Library.

(c) and (d) Import details of individual drugs are not monitored by this Ministry. However details to the extent available in respect of Vitamin A, which is canalised through the STC are given below:—

Year	Qty. (MT)	Value (Rs. lakhs)
1987-88 . . . . .	19.5	70.83
1988-89 . . . . .	300	29
1989-90 . . . . .	18.5	184

(e) and (f) Prices of Bulk Vitamins which are in vogue under D P C O, 1987 are given below:—

	Rs./1000 miu
1. Vitamin A Acetate Dry Powder (0.5 miu/gm) . . . . .	1608.00
2. Vitamin A Palmitate oily (1.00 miu/gm) . . . . .	1253.00
3. Vitamin A Acetate oily (1.00 miu/gm) . . . . .	1253.00
4. Vitamin A Palmitate oily (1.7 miu/gm) . . . . .	1293.00
5. Vitamin C Plain . . . . .	272/Kg.
6. Vitamin C Coated . . . . .	280/gm
7. Sodium Ascorbate . . . . .	289/kg.

Other bulk Vitamins are not under price control.

#### Use of BVO by soft drink manufacturers

724. SHRI GHUFRAN AZAM: Will the Minister of HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE be pleased to state:

(a) whether despite ban imposed by Government on the use of Brominated Vegetable Oil in soft drinks, several soft drink manufacturers are still using BVO;

(b) whether the Department of Prevention of Food Adulteration, Delhi Administration, Delhi has conducted any raids at the premises of soft drink manufactu-

rers to detect the contents of BVO in soft drinks; and

(c) if so, what are the details thereof?

THE MINISTER OF ENERGY WITH ADDITIONAL CHARGE OF THE MINISTRY OF CIVIL AVIATION (SHRI ARIF MOHD. KHAN): (a) The instructions have been issued to all States/UTs to ensure that soft drinks and other food products manufactured and marketed in the country after 15-4-1990 are free from B.V.O.