

Medical Product Alert No. 02/2025

Unregistered Product – Samsu Super Oil

Alert Summary

The Food and Drugs Authority (FDA) has seized *nine (9)* units of **SAMSU SUPER OIL** from a peddler in Accra – Ghana. This product, which is **not registered** with the FDA and also does not comply with labelling guidelines, is being sold in violation of **Public Health Act 2012, ACT 851** as well as **L.I 1541-General Labeling Rules, 1992**.

How to identify the product:

- **Name:** SAMSU SUPER OIL
- **Form:** Dark brown, free-flowing liquid with a strong odour
- **Primary Packaging:** Transparent glass vial with a stopper with golden foil label with no inscription.
- **Secondary Packaging:** Yellow paper box
 - One side has the image of a Caucasian man wearing spectacles
 - Opposite side shows a Caucasian woman
 - Contains limited English information
- **Claims of Indication**
 - “Producing male strength and aiding stamina durability in sexual intercourse”
 - Premature ejaculation, poor erection, lack of sexual energy
- **Package Insert Directions for Use**
 - Apply topically 10–15 minutes before sex to reduce sensitivity and delay ejaculation.
- **Missing Information** No details about manufacturer, manufacturing address, manufacturing date and expiry date.

Risks Posed by Product

- The product is **unregistered** and the FDA cannot guarantee its quality and efficacy.
- Lack of labelling information including unknown active ingredient and excipients may pose adverse effects when consumed.
- Use of unregistered sexual enhancement products can lead to skin irritations, adverse reactions, and long-term health risks among others.

Advice to the Public and Retailers

- **Do not purchase or use SAMSU SUPER OIL.**
- **Report** any retailer selling this or similar unregistered products to the FDA immediately.
- **Retailers** are reminded that it is illegal to sell products not registered with the FDA.
- Using unregistered health products may pose serious health risks. The importation, distribution, and sale of unregistered health products may lead to legal consequences.

Actions Taken by the FDA

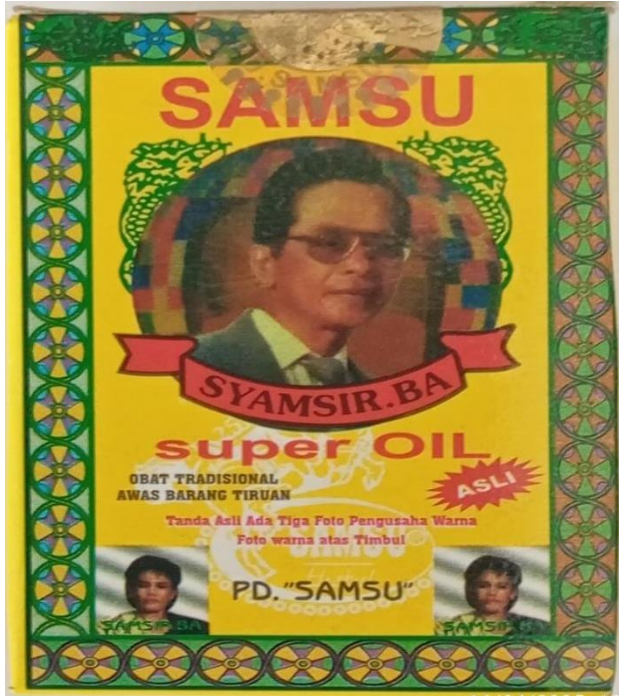
- The products have been seized from the peddler for safe disposal
- **Surveillance** and **inspection** of herbal and retail outlets for similar unregistered products has been enhanced.
- **Public education** on the dangers of unregistered health products is ongoing.
- Collaboration with other law enforcement to halt the distribution of potentially harmful products.

PRODUCT DETAILS: IMAGES OF PRODUCT

PRODUCT IN PRIMARY PACKAGE



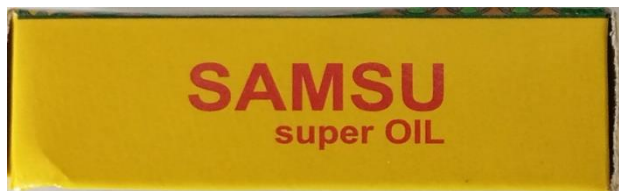
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