STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

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The Medicines for Human Use (Prohibition) (Senecio and Miscellaneous Amendments) Order 2008

Amendment of the Medicines (Aristolochia and Mu Tong etc) (Prohibition) Order 2001

- **5.**—(1) The Medicines (Aristolochia and Mu Tong etc) (Prohibition) Order 2001(1) is amended as follows.
 - (2) In article 1 (citation, commencement and interpretation), in paragraph (2)—
 - (a) after the definition of "the Act", insert
 - "free circulation in member States" has the same meaning as in Article 23.2, as read with Article 24, of the Treaty establishing the European Community;";
 - (b) omit the definitions of "EEA Agreement" and "EEA State";
 - (c) after the definition of "medicinal product", insert
 - "third country" means any country other than an EEA State.".
 - (3) In article 4, for paragraph (3), substitute
 - "(3) The prohibition imposed by articles 2 and 3 above shall not apply where the medicinal product is imported from an EEA State, if the product—
 - (a) originates in an EEA State, or
 - (b) originates outside the European Economic Area, but is in free circulation in member States,

and is being, or is to be, exported to a third country or an EEA State other than the United Kingdom.".