

Classification Table of Violations and Fines Prescribed in the Veterinary Products Law in Gulf Cooperation Council (GCC) Countries

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| M | Violation | Fine in Riyals | | | | Notes |
|---|--|---------------------------|---------------------------|--------------------------|--------------------------|---------------------------------|
| | | Establishment | Agent/ importer warehouse | Distributed warehouse | Port of Sale | |
| 1 | The act or attempt to cheat, deceive the veterinary product, the import, export, re-export, manufacture or installation of an adulterated, spoiled or expired veterinary preparation. | Minimum is 100.000 Riyal. | Minimum is 50.000 Riyal. | Minimum is 20.000 Riyal. | Minimum is 10.000 Riyal. | Double the fine when repeating. |
| 2 | Selling, possessing, entering, attempting to enter, transfer, store an adulterated, spoiled or expired veterinary product. | Minimum is 50.000 Riyal. | Minimum is 30.000 Riyal. | Minimum is 16.000 Riyal. | Minimum is 6000 Riyal. | Double the fine when repeating. |
| 3 | Using incorrect information to promote the veterinary product, whether in the form of advertisement. | Minimum is 50.000 Riyal. | Minimum is 50.000 Riyal. | Minimum is 25.000 Riyal. | Minimum is 10.000 Riyal. | Double the fine when repeating. |
| 4 | Conducting or attempting to enter containers, wrappers of a veterinary product, manufacture packages, print covers, possess, sell/display packages or wrappers with intent to deceive. | Minimum is 50.000 Riyal. | Minimum is 30.000 Riyal. | Minimum is 16.000 Riyal. | Minimum is 6000 Riyal. | Double the fine when repeating. |

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| 5 | The import, marketing, circulation, production, entry, attempt to enter, transport, store a product or samples of an unregistered veterinary preparation without SFDA approval. | Minimum is 20.000 Riyal. | Minimum is 20.000 Riyal. | Minimum is 20.000 Riyal. | Minimum is 3000 Riyal. | Double the fine when repeating. |
| 6 | Provide incorrect information related to the veterinary products. | Minimum is 100.000 Riyal. | Minimum is 100,000 Riyal. | --- | --- | Double the fine when repeating. |
| 7 | Refrain from providing information requested by SFDA. | 50.000 Riyal. | 40.000 Riyal. | 30.000 Riyal. | 20.000 Riyal. | Double the fine when repeating. |
| 8 | Non-compliance with the decisions issued by SFDA | 50.000 Riyal. | 40.000 Riyal. | 30.000 Riyal. | 20.000 Riyal. | Double the fine when repeating. |
| 9 | Conducting activity without obtaining statutory licenses. | 150.000 Riyal. | 50.000 Riyal. | 50.000 Riyal. | --- | Including the closure |

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| 10 | Conducting activity with an expired license. | 75.000 Riyal. | 25.000 Riyal. | 25.000 Riyal. | --- | Including the closure when repeating. |
| 11 | using the veterinary products manufactures for a purpose other than manufacturing veterinary preparations without SFDA approval. | 100.000 Riyal. | --- | --- | --- | Double the fine when repeating. |
| 12 | Failure of the manufacture to apply the foundations of good practice of drug manufacturing. | Activity suspension+ Products recall. | Activity suspension+ Products recall. | --- | --- | --- |
| 13 | Importing, exporting, re-exporting, trading, marketing, possessing, manufacturing or installing a veterinary product with an amendment or change to what is registered without SFDA approval. | Minimum is 20.000 Riyal. | Minimum is 20.000 Riyal. | Minimum is 10.000 Riyal. | Minimum is 3000 Riyal. | Double the fine when repeating. |

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| 14 | Failure to inform the Authority of the warning issued by (the manufacture, organizations, or regulatory authorities) regarding the veterinary product, or to cancel/suspend the registration or prevent circulation, withdrawal or stopping the manufacture of the preparation in the origin country or any country in which the product was registered. | 30.000 Riyal. | 30.000 Riyal. | --- | --- | Double the fine when repeating. |
| 15 | Failure to adhere to the principles of distribution and good storage. | --- | Minimum is 10.000 | Minimum is 10.000 | --- | Activity suspension or revocation of license when repeating. |
| 16 | Advertising of a veterinary product without SFDA approval. | 50.000 Riyal. | 50.000 Riyal | 25.000 Riyal | 10.000 Riyal | Double the fine when repeating. |

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| 17 | Damaging a veterinary product in violation of SFDA procedures. | Minimum is 20.000 Riyal. | Minimum is 10.000 Riyal. | Minimum is 4000 Riyal. | Minimum is 2000 Riyal. | Double the fine when repeating. |
| 18 | Violating the provisions of any article of the Law. | Minimum is 20.000 Riyal | Minimum is 10.000 Riyal. | Minimum is 4000 Riyal | Minimum is 2000 Riyal. | Double the fine when repeating. |

The aforementioned fines are imposed on the distribution warehouses that provide proof of supplying the product from the agent / importer, the manufacturing company, or another distributor. If this is not demonstrated, it will be penalized as an importer according to the penalties of the agent / importer aforementioned in the table.

Fine are imposed on port of Sale that provide proof of supplying the product from a distributor, agent / importer, manufacturing company, or other port of sales. If this is not demonstrated the port of sale will be penalized as an importer according to the penalties of the agent / importer aforementioned in the table.