

## PUBLIC SUMMARY DOCUMENT

**Product:** Ainscorp Salts Confidence

**Applicant:** Ainscorp Pty Ltd

**Date of SPAP Meeting:** Out-of-Session - 13 November 2019

### 1. Proposed Deletion on the Stoma Appliance Scheme

The applicant, Ainscorp Pty Ltd, sought the deletion of six variants due to low demand, of the current listing of the Ainscorp Salts Confidence (SAS Code 9885G) in subgroup 2(b), of the Stoma Appliance Scheme (SAS) Schedule. The product, including 16 variants, is currently listed at a unit price of \$6.373, with a maximum monthly quantity of 30 units.

### 2. Substitute products

The nominated substitute products are variants in the Ainscorp Salts Confidence Natural Soft Convex (SAS Code 3988X) range. The product including 15 variants, is currently listed in subgroup 2(b) of the SAS Schedule at unit price of \$6.373, with a maximum monthly quantity of 30 units

#### Variants to be deleted

Product	Description
CDSSL1325	single carbon filter, fabric cover on both sides including viewing window, medium, 700ml, low headspace, hook and loop closure, integrated closure, belt loops on each side of baseplate, 0.7mm, hydrocolloid baseplate, shallow convexity, rigid convex ring, hydrocolloid self adhesive, standard wear, round, cut-to-fit, 13mm, release tabs, 25mm,
CDSSL1338	single carbon filter, fabric cover on both sides including viewing window, medium, 700ml, low headspace, hook and loop closure, integrated closure, belt loops on each side of baseplate, 0.7mm, hydrocolloid baseplate, shallow convexity, rigid convex ring, hydrocolloid self adhesive, standard wear, round, cut-to-fit, 13mm, release tabs, 38mm,
CDSSL1352	single carbon filter, fabric cover on both sides including viewing window, medium, 700ml, low headspace, hook and loop closure, integrated closure, belt loops on each side of baseplate, 0.7mm, hydrocolloid baseplate, shallow convexity, rigid convex ring, hydrocolloid self adhesive, standard wear, round, cut-to-fit, 13mm, release tabs, 52mm,
CDSSS1325	single carbon filter, fabric cover on both sides including viewing window, extra small, 370ml, low headspace, hook and loop closure, integrated closure, belt loops on each side of baseplate, 0.7mm, hydrocolloid baseplate, shallow convexity, rigid convex ring, hydrocolloid self adhesive, standard wear, round, cut-to-fit, 13mm, release tabs, 25mm,
CDSSS1338	single carbon filter, fabric cover on both sides including viewing window, extra small, 370ml, low headspace, hook and loop closure, integrated closure, belt loops on each side of baseplate, 0.7mm, hydrocolloid baseplate, shallow convexity, rigid convex ring, hydrocolloid self adhesive, standard wear, round, cut-to-fit, 13mm, release tabs, 38mm,

CDSSS1352	single carbon filter, fabric cover on both sides including viewing window, extra small, 370ml, low headspace, hook and loop closure, integrated closure, belt loops on each side of baseplate, 0.7mm, hydrocolloid baseplate, shallow convexity, rigid convex ring, hydrocolloid self adhesive, standard wear, round, cut-to-fit, 13mm, release tabs, 52mm,
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**Nominated substitute – SAS Code 3988X– Ainscorp Salts Confidence Natural Soft Convex**

Product	Description
XNDL1325	protected single carbon filter, transparent with fabric cover on both sides including viewing window, medium, 530ml, low headspace, integrated closure, belt loops on each side of baseplate, 0.7mm, hydrocolloid with aloe vera baseplate, shallow convexity, rigid convex ring, hydrocolloid self-adhesive, standard wear, oval with contouring spaces, cut-to-fit, 13mm, release tabs, 25mm,
XNDL1338	protected single carbon filter, transparent with fabric cover on both sides including viewing window, medium, 530ml, low headspace, integrated closure, belt loops on each side of baseplate, 0.7mm, hydrocolloid with aloe vera baseplate, shallow convexity, rigid convex ring, hydrocolloid self-adhesive, standard wear, oval with contouring spaces, cut-to-fit, 13mm, release tabs, 38mm,
XNDL1352	protected single carbon filter, transparent with fabric cover on both sides including viewing window, medium, 530ml, low headspace, integrated closure, belt loops on each side of baseplate, 0.7mm, hydrocolloid with aloe vera baseplate, shallow convexity, rigid convex ring, hydrocolloid self-adhesive, standard wear, oval with contouring spaces, cut-to-fit, 13mm, release tabs, 52mm,
XNDS1325	protected single carbon filter, transparent with fabric cover on both sides including viewing window, extra small, 260ml, low headspace, integrated closure, belt loops on each side of baseplate, 0.7mm, hydrocolloid with aloe vera baseplate, shallow convexity, rigid convex ring, hydrocolloid self-adhesive, standard wear, oval with contouring spaces, cut-to-fit, 13mm, release tabs, 25mm,
XNDS1338	protected single carbon filter, transparent with fabric cover on both sides including viewing window, extra small, 260ml, low headspace, integrated closure, belt loops on each side of baseplate, 0.7mm, hydrocolloid with aloe vera baseplate, shallow convexity, rigid convex ring, hydrocolloid self-adhesive, standard wear, oval with contouring spaces, cut-to-fit, 13mm, release tabs, 38mm,
XND1352	protected single carbon filter, transparent with fabric cover on both sides including viewing window, small, 470ml, low headspace, integrated closure, belt loops on each side of baseplate, 0.7mm, hydrocolloid with aloe vera baseplate, shallow convexity, rigid convex ring, hydrocolloid self-adhesive, standard wear, oval with contouring spaces, cut-to-fit, 13mm, release tabs, 52mm,

**3. Background**

This product was first listed on the SAS Schedule in April 2011.

#### **4. Clinical Place for the Product**

The proposed substitute product provides an alternative for users requiring a one-piece drainable with convex baseplate.

#### ***Financial Analysis***

The deletion of six variants is recommended. Substitute products are currently listed in subgroup 2(b) of the SAS Schedule at the same cost and maximum monthly quantity. It is therefore unlikely that there would be any budgetary impact for the SAS as a consequence of deleting this product.

#### **5. SPAP Recommendation**

The SPAP recommended the deletion of six variants from the product range for Ainscorp Salts Confidence (SAS Code 9885G) listed in subgroup 2(b), of the SAS Schedule, at the unit price of \$6.373, with a maximum monthly quantity of 30 units.

The SPAP also noted that Ainscorp Pty Ltd is to advise Stoma Associations, ostomates, Stomal Therapy Nurses and ACSA of the deletion. A period of approximately six months from the SPAP recommended date (13 November 2019) should be given to allow users of the product to seek a suitable alternative and to enable Stoma Associations to manage their stock levels.

#### **6. Context for Decision**

The SPAP helps decide whether stoma products should be subsidised and, if so, the conditions of their subsidisation in Australia. It considers submissions in this context. A SPAP decision not to recommend listing or changes to a listing does not represent a final SPAP view about the merits of a particular stoma product. A company can resubmit to the SPAP following a decision not to recommend listing or changes to a listing. The SPAP is an advisory committee and as such its recommendations are non-binding on Government. All SPAP recommendations are subject to Cabinet/Ministerial approval.

#### **7. Applicant's Comment**

Ainscorp Pty Ltd agrees with the SPAP's recommendation.