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Subject: <u>Inviting suggestions/inputs for including Ayurveda, Siddha and Unani books in Schedule I of Drugs & Cosmetics Act 1940.</u>

Dear all Stakeholders of Ayurveda, Siddha & Unani,

It is intended to undertake the process of revising the list of authoritative Ayurveda, Siddha & Unani books given in the Schedule I of Drugs & Cosmetics Act 1940. In this regard your valuable suggestions/inputs are invited for the same on the basis of following criteria for selection of books for inclusion in the Schedule I -

- a) Intended books should have been authored before 1947 except the ones already listed in Schedule I of the Drugs & Cosmetics Act.
- b) Book with original text in original language be considered, commentary and translated version of the text may not be taken up.
- c) Book should have predominance of medicinal formulations.
- d) Book should have been published in India.
- e) Latest edition of the book may be considered, if it is published in multiple editions.
- f) Book should be physically available for examination (a copy may be provided).

The details of the books fulfilling the above criteria may be sent in the following format:

S.No.	Name of ASU book	Author's name	Publisher's name	Language of book	Specify the contents of the books in English providing Title of each Chapter, No. of Formulations in each chapter and Total No. of Formulations in the book
					Provide this information in a separate sheet with a copy of the proposed book.

You are requested to send the suggestions/inputs with requisite details to the undersigned by 24th

Yours faithfully.

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