

## **Biocon Biologics Limited**

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Dear Sir/Madam,

## Subject: Company Statement

Please find enclosed the company statement titled "Biocon Biologics and Yoshindo Expand Access to Ustekinumab Biosimilar in Japan".

Kindly take the same on record and acknowledge.

Thanking you

Your faithfully

For Biocon Biologics Limited

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## NOTIFICATION TO STOCK EXCHANGE

**COMPANY STATEMENT** 

## Biocon Biologics and Yoshindo Expand Access to Ustekinumab Biosimilar in Japan

Bengaluru, Karnataka, India, May 21, 2025

**Biocon Biologics Ltd (BBL)**, a fully integrated global biosimilars company and subsidiary of Biocon Ltd (BSE code: 532523, NSE: BIOCON), announced today that its commercial partner in Japan, Yoshindo Inc., has launched **Ustekinumab BS Subcutaneous Injection [YD]**, a biosimilar to the reference product Stelara<sup>®</sup> (ustekinumab). The biosimilar ustekinumab, developed and manufactured by Biocon Biologics, is commercialized and marketed in Japan by Yoshindo Inc.

Ustekinumab, a monoclonal antibody, is approved for the treatment of **psoriasis vulgaris** and **psoriatic arthritis (PsA)**.

In April 2024, the <u>Company entered into a settlement and licensing agreement</u> with Janssen Biotech Inc., Janssen Sciences Ireland, and Johnson & Johnson (collectively known as Janssen) to **commercialize Ustekinumab in Japan** upon regulatory approval. Biocon Biologics' biosimilar Ustekinumab BS Subcutaneous Injection [YD] <u>was approved by the Pharmaceuticals and Medical</u> <u>Devices Agency (PMDA)</u> of Japan in December 2024.

Biocon Biologics has already launched Ustekinumab in the <u>United States</u> and Europe in February 2025 to help patients manage their chronic conditions.

- Company Spokesperson