

**ORDER SHEET**  
**IN THE HIGH COURT OF SINDH, KARACHI**

**Suit No.519 of 2010**  
**Suit No.557 of 2010**

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**Date**                      **Order with signature of Judge**  
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**Present:**  
**Mr. Justice Muhammad Ali Mazhar**

**Suit No.519 of 2010**

Novartis AG & another.....Plaintiffs

V E R S U S

Atco Laboratories (Private) Limited.....Defendant

**Suit No.557 of 2010**

Novartis AG & another.....Plaintiffs

V E R S U S

M/s. Getz Pharma Pakistan (Private) Limited.....Defendant

**05.04.2017**

Ms. Amna Salman, Advocate for the Plaintiffs.  
Mirza Mehmood Baig, Advocate for the Defendants.

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**Muhammad Ali Mazhar, J:** The last diary dated 20.03.2017 shows that the counsel for the plaintiffs informed the court that patent in question (in both the suits) after enjoying its statutory period got expired extinguishing their cause of action, however, she sought time to affirm this from the record and to seek clients' instructions for future course of action, therefore, on her request two weeks' time was allowed. Today, the learned counsel for the plaintiffs stated at bar that since both the patents have expired, therefore, the plaintiffs have given her instructions to withdraw both the suits. The counsel for the defendants in both the suits has no objection to this withdrawal.

In view of the above statements, both the suits are disposed of accordingly alongwith pending applications.

Judge

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