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RPG Active Pharma acquires API business of Raghava Life Sciences for Rs 135 Cr

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Strengthening RPGAP's ability to capture a larger share of the growing API market



Mumbai-based RPG Life Sciences has announced that its wholly owned subsidiary, RPG Active Pharma (RPGAP), has entered into a Business Transfer Agreement to acquire the Active Pharmaceutical Ingredients (API) and Intermediates business undertaking of Raghava Life Sciences on a going-concern basis through a slump sale.

Acquisition of the API and intermediates business undertaking for consideration up to Rs 135 crore, subject to customary adjustments and closing conditions, adds approximately 300 KL of installed capacity in a state-of-the-art EU-GMP approved plant and a portfolio of 22 commercialised APIs plus 7 under development, with strong regulatory approvals.

The acquisition is the next step in RPGAP's consolidation play based on a well-planned buy-and-build strategy to bolster organic growth and create an integrated, scaled API focused organization. Following the recent acquisition of Actis Generics, this transaction broadens RPGAP's manufacturing base, product portfolio, regulatory capabilities and customer access across geographies.

Raghava operates a modern API manufacturing facility near Hyderabad, spread across approximately 9 acres, with around 300 KL of installed capacity and a dedicated R&D set-up.