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APPLICATION NUMBER:

74-971

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ANDA APPROVAL SUMMARY

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DRUG PRODUCT: Ketoconazole Tablets USP, 200 mg

FIRM: Novopharm Limited

DOSAGE FORM: Tablets

STRENGTH: 200 mg

CGMP: Statement/EIR Update status:

An EER was found to be acceptable (OC recommendation,
8/10/98)

BIO: Bioequivalence study was acceptable (Div. of Bioequivalence,
8/6/98)

VALIDATION - (DESCRIPTION OF DOSAGE FORM SAME AS FIRM'S):

The drug substance and drug product are covered by
compendial monographs in the USP 23. Method verification by
the New York District Lab was found to be acceptable.

STABILITY: The containers used in the stability study are
identical to those in the container section.

LABELING:

Container, carton and insert labeling have been found
satisfactory (Labeling tentative approval summary, 3/31/98,
reviewed by L. Golson)

STERILIZATION VALIDATION (IF APPLICABLE):

Non-sterile drug product. No sterilization validation study
is required.

SIZE OF BIO BATCH (FIRM'S SOURCE OF NDS OK?):

The proposed production batch size is tablets for the
Ketoconazole Tablets, 200 mg.

The batch size of the executed batch (lot# 3040PD) is
tablets.

The Drug Master File for the drug substance is currently
adequate (reviewed by Liang-Lii Huang, Ph.D., 8/7/98).

**SIZE OF STABILITY BATCHES- (IF DIFFERENT FROM BIO BATCH, WERE
THEY MANUFACTURED VIA THE SAME PROCESS?):**

The executed batch is the biobatch. The size of the stability
batch is the same as the executed batch.

PROPOSED PRODUCTION BATCH - MANUFACTURING PROCESS THE SAME?:

The manufacturing process of the proposed production batch is the
same as the executed batch.

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