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Our STN: BL 125019/88

Biogen Idec Inc.
Attention: Nadine D. Cohen, Ph.D.
Senior Vice President, Regulatory Affairs
5200 Research Place
San Diego, CA 92122

Dear Dr. Cohen:

Your request to supplement your biologics license application for Ibritumomab tiuxetan to revise the Dosage and Administration section of the package insert by reducing the number of scans required to assess biodistribution prior to administration of ⁹⁰Y-Ibritumomab tiuxetan from two scans to a single scan has been approved.

Please submit all final printed labeling at the time of use and include implementation information on FDA Form 356h. Please provide a PDF-format electronic copy as well as original paper copies (ten for circulars and five for other labels). In addition, you may wish to submit draft copies of the proposed introductory advertising and promotional labeling with a cover letter requesting advisory comments to the Division of Drug Marketing, Advertising and Communication (HFD-42), Center for Drug Evaluation and Research, 5600 Fishers Lane/Room 8B45, Rockville, MD 20857. Final printed advertising and promotional labeling should be submitted at the time of initial dissemination, accompanied by an FDA Form 2253.

All promotional claims must be consistent with and not contrary to approved labeling. You should not make a comparative promotional claim or claim of superiority over other products unless you have substantial evidence to support that claim.

Please refer to <http://www.fda.gov/cder/biologics/default.htm> for important information regarding therapeutic biological products, including the addresses for submissions. Effective October 4, 2004, the new address for all submissions to this application is:

CDER Therapeutic Biological Products Document Room
Center for Drug Evaluation and Research
Food and Drug Administration
12229 Wilkins Avenue
Rockville, Maryland 20852

This information will be included in your biologics license application file.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Patricia Keegan".

Patricia Keegan, M.D.

Director

Division of Biologic Oncology Products

Office of Oncology Drug Products

Center for Drug Evaluation and Research

Enclosure: Final draft labeling