

NDA 019667/S-071

## SUPPLEMENT APPROVAL

Novartis Pharmaceuticals Corporation Attention: Kimberly Biango, M.S. Global Program Regulatory Manager One Health Plaza East Hanover, NJ 07936-1080

Dear Ms. Biango:

Please refer to your supplemental new drug application (sNDA) dated and received March 12, 2021, submitted under section 505(b) of the Federal Food, Drug, and Cosmetic Act (FDCA) for Sandostatin (octreotide acetate) injection.

This "Changes Being Effected" sNDA provides for revision of the route of administration statement "For Subcutaneous Injection" on all carton and container labeling to read "For Subcutaneous or Intravenous Use", in response to our supplement request letter dated February 10, 2021.

# **APPROVAL & LABELING**

We have completed our review of this application. It is approved, effective on the date of this letter, for use as recommended in the enclosed agreed-upon labeling.

#### **CARTON AND CONTAINER LABELING**

Submit final printed carton and container labeling that are identical to the enclosed carton and container labeling submitted on March 12, 2021, as soon as they are available, but no more than 30 days after they are printed. Please submit these labeling electronically according to the guidance for industry *Providing Regulatory Submissions in Electronic Format* — *Certain Human Pharmaceutical Product Applications and Related Submissions Using the eCTD Specifications*. For administrative purposes, designate this submission "Final Printed Carton and Container Labeling for approved NDA 019667/S-071." Approval of this submission by FDA is not required before the labeling is used.

#### **REQUIRED PEDIATRIC ASSESSMENTS**

Under the Pediatric Research Equity Act (PREA) (21 U.S.C. 355c), all applications for new active ingredients (which includes new salts and new fixed combinations), new indications, new dosage forms, new dosing regimens, or new routes of administration are required to contain an assessment of the safety and effectiveness of the product for

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the claimed indication in pediatric patients unless this requirement is waived, deferred, or inapplicable.

Because none of these criteria apply to your supplemental application, you are exempt from this requirement.

### **PROMOTIONAL MATERIALS**

You may request advisory comments on proposed introductory advertising and promotional labeling. For information about submitting promotional materials, see the final guidance for industry *Providing Regulatory Submissions in Electronic and Non-Electronic Format-Promotional Labeling and Advertising Materials for Human Prescription Drugs.*<sup>1</sup>

You must submit final promotional materials and Prescribing Information, accompanied by a Form FDA 2253, at the time of initial dissemination or publication [21 CFR 314.81(b)(3)(i)]. Form FDA 2253 is available at FDA.gov.<sup>2</sup> Information and Instructions for completing the form can be found at FDA.gov.<sup>3</sup>

#### **REPORTING REQUIREMENTS**

We remind you that you must comply with reporting requirements for an approved NDA (21 CFR 314.80 and 314.81).

If you have any questions, call Jennifer Johnson, Regulatory Health Project Manager, at (301) 796-2194.

Sincerely,

{See appended electronic signature page}

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ENCLOSURES:

• Carton and Container Labeling

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<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> For the most recent version of a guidance, check the FDA guidance web page at <u>https://www.fda.gov/media/128163/download</u>.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> http://www.fda.gov/downloads/AboutFDA/ReportsManualsForms/Forms/UCM083570.pdf

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3</sup> http://www.fda.gov/downloads/AboutFDA/ReportsManualsForms/Forms/UCM375154.pdf

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