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APPLICATION NUMBER:

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MICROBIOLOGY REVIEW(S)

Product Quality Microbiology Review

06 DEC 2011

NDA: 202-450

Drug Product Name

Proprietary: (proposed) **Non-proprietary:** Aclidinium bromide

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Applicant/Sponsor

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Name of Reviewer: Jessica G. Cole, Ph.D.

Conclusion: This application is recommended for approval.

Product Quality Microbiology Data Sheet

- A. 1. TYPE OF SUBMISSION: 505(b)(1) NDA
 - 2. **SUBMISSION PROVIDES FOR:** A non-sterile dry powder in a
 - 3. MANUFACTURING SITE: Forest Laboratories, Ireland Limited
 Clonshaugh Business & Technology Park
 Dublin 17 Ireland
 FEI: 3002806993
 - 4. DOSAGE FORM, ROUTE OF ADMINISTRATION AND STRENGTH/POTENCY:
 - Non-sterile dry powder in a (b) (4)
 - Oral inhalation
 - 400 µg aclidinium bromide
 - **5. METHOD(S) OF STERILIZATION:** This is a non-sterile drug product
 - **6. PHARMACOLOGICAL CATEGORY:** Indicated for the maintenance treatment of chronic obstructive pulmonary disease
- B. SUPPORTING/RELATED DOCUMENTS: None
- **C. REMARKS:** This submission was in the eCTD format. The following information request was sent to applicant on 21 November 2011 and a response was received on 02 December 2011.

Microbiology Comment:

Provide the results of verification studies for the microbial enumeration tests demonstrating that the proposed methods are suitable for use with the drug product.

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Executive Summary

I. Recommendations

- **A.** Recommendation on Approvability This application is recommended for approval on the basis of product quality microbiology.
- B. Recommendations on Phase 4 Commitments and/or Agreements, if Approvable Not applicable.
- II. Summary of Microbiology Assessments
 - A. Brief Description of the Manufacturing Processes that relate to Product Quality Microbiology This drug product is

 (b) (4) and has established microbial limits which insure the safety of the final dosage form.
 - **B. Brief Description of Microbiology Deficiencies** Not applicable.
 - C. Assessment of Risk Due to Microbiology Deficiencies Not applicable.
- III. Administrative

A.	Reviewer's Signature	
	-	Jessica G. Cole, Ph.D.
В.	Endorsement Block	
		Stephen Langille, Ph.D.
		Senior Microbiology Reviewer

C. CC Block N/A

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