

Food and Drug Administration Silver Spring MD 20993

NDA 21427/S-031

SUPPLEMENT APPROVAL

Eli Lilly and Company Attention: Mathew Kuntz, RPh, MBA, RAC Manager, Global Regulatory Affairs Lilly Corporate Center Indianapolis, IN 46285

Dear Mr. Kuntz:

Please refer to your Supplemental New Drug Application (sNDA) dated March 6, 2009, received March 6, 2009, submitted under section 505(b) of the Federal Food, Drug, and Cosmetic Act (FDCA) for Cymbalta (duloxetine hydrochloride) 20 mg, 30 mg, and 60 mg Capsules.

We acknowledge receipt of your amendments dated:

December 22, 2009 January 12, 2011 February 17, 2011

June 2, 2010, February 7, 2011

This Prior Approval supplemental new drug application provides for changes to sections 7.4, 7.10, and 7.18 of the United States Prescribing Information for Cymbalta based on the results of Study F1J-MC-HMFP entitled, "Evaluation of the Effect of Duloxetine on the Pharmacodynamics of Warfarin at Steady-State in Healthy Subjects," submitted on March 6, 2009.

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

As soon as possible, but no later than 14 days from the date of this letter, submit the content of labeling [21 CFR 314.50(l)] in structured product labeling (SPL) format using the FDA automated drug registration and listing system (eLIST), as described at http://www.fda.gov/ForIndustry/DataStandards/StructuredProductLabeling/default.htm. Content of labeling must be identical to the enclosed labeling (text for the package insert), with the addition of any labeling changes in pending "Changes Being Effected" (CBE) supplements, as well as annual reportable changes not included in the enclosed labeling.

Information on submitting SPL files using eLIST may be found in the guidance for industry titled "SPL Standard for Content of Labeling Technical Qs and As" at http://www.fda.gov/downloads/DrugsGuidanceComplianceRegulatoryInformation/Guidances/U CM072392.pdf.

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The SPL will be accessible from publicly available labeling repositories.

Also within 14 days, amend all pending supplemental applications for this NDA, including CBE supplements for which FDA has not yet issued an action letter, with the content of labeling [21 CFR 314.50(l)(1)(i)] in MS Word format, that includes the changes approved in this supplemental application, as well as annual reportable changes and annotate each change. To facilitate review of your submission, provide a highlighted or marked-up copy that shows all changes, as well as a clean Microsoft Word version. The marked-up copy should provide appropriate annotations, including supplement number(s) and annual report date(s).

LETTERS TO HEALTH CARE PROFESSIONALS

If you decide to issue a letter communicating important safety-related information about this drug product (i.e., a "Dear Health Care Professional" letter), we request that you submit, at least 24 hours prior to issuing the letter, an electronic copy of the letter to this NDA to the following address:

MedWatch Program Office of Special Health Issues Food and Drug Administration 10903 New Hampshire Ave Building 32, Mail Stop 5353 Silver Spring, MD 20993

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 Hiren Patel, Pharm.D., Regulatory Project Manager, at (301) 796-2087.

Sincerely,

{See appended electronic signature page}

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ENCLOSURE(S):
Content of Labeling

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