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NDA APPROVAL

Sanofi-Topaz, Inc.
Attention: Lisa DeLuca, Ph.D.
Vice President, Regulatory Affairs and Quality Assurance
100 Witmer Road (Suite 280)
Horsham, PA 19044

Dear Dr. DeLuca:

Please refer to your New Drug Application (NDA) dated and received April 7, 2011, submitted under section 505(b) of the Federal Food, Drug, and Cosmetic Act for Sklice™ (ivermectin) Lotion, 0.5%.

We acknowledge receipt of your amendments dated April 14, May 23, June 9, July 1 and 28, August 12, 23, and 24, September 6, 9, and 16, October 4, 11, and 14, November 4, December 9 and 14, 2011; and January 23, 27, and 31, February 3 and 6, 2012.

This new drug application provides for the use of Sklice (ivermectin) Lotion, 0.5% for the topical treatment of head lice infestations in patients 6 months of age and older.

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

CONTENT OF LABELING

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, text for the patient package insert). 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/Drugs/GuidanceComplianceRegulatoryInformation/Guidances/UCM072392.pdf>.

The SPL will be accessible via publicly available labeling repositories.

CARTON AND IMMEDIATE CONTAINER LABELS

Submit final printed carton and container labels that are identical to the enclosed carton and immediate container labels and carton and immediate container labels submitted on February 3, 2012, as soon as they are available, but no more than 30 days after they are printed. Please submit these labels electronically according to the guidance for industry titled “Providing Regulatory Submissions in Electronic Format – Human Pharmaceutical Product Applications and Related Submissions Using the eCTD Specifications (June 2008).” Alternatively, you may submit 12 paper copies, with 6 of the copies individually mounted on heavy-weight paper or similar material. For administrative purposes, designate this submission “**Final Printed Carton and Container Labels for approved NDA 202736.**” Approval of this submission by FDA is not required before the labeling is used.

Marketing the product(s) with FPL that is not identical to the approved labeling text may render the product misbranded and an unapproved new drug.

REQUIRED PEDIATRIC ASSESSMENTS

Under the Pediatric Research Equity Act (PREA) (21 U.S.C. 355c), all applications for new active ingredients, 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 the claimed indication(s) in pediatric patients unless this requirement is waived, deferred, or inapplicable.

We are waiving the pediatric study requirement for ages newborn up to 6 months of age because the evidence strongly suggests that use of the product would be unsafe in this pediatric age group.

We note that you have fulfilled the pediatric study requirements for ages 6 months to 18 years for this application.

This product is appropriately labeled for use in ages 6 months to 18 years for this indication. Therefore, no additional studies are needed in this pediatric age group.

POSTMARKETING COMMITMENT NOT SUBJECT TO THE REPORTING REQUIREMENTS UNDER SECTION 506B

We remind you of your postmarketing commitment:

- 1872-1 Evaluate options for a child-resistant container closure for your product, Sklice (ivermectin) Lotion, 0.5%. Your response will include your proposed modification of the current packaging.

The timetable you submitted on January 31, 2012, states that you will submit your response to this commitment according to the following schedule:

Final Proposal Submission: 08/2012

Submit clinical protocols to your IND 073134 for this product. Submit nonclinical and chemistry, manufacturing, and controls protocols and all study final reports to this NDA. In addition, under 21 CFR 314.81(b)(2)(vii) and 314.81(b)(2)(viii) you should include a status summary of each commitment in your annual report to this NDA. The status summary should include expected summary completion and final report submission dates, any changes in plans since the last annual report, and, for clinical studies/trials, number of patients entered into each study/trial. All submissions, including supplements, relating to these postmarketing commitments should be prominently labeled “**Postmarketing Commitment Protocol,**” “**Postmarketing Commitment Final Report,**” or “**Postmarketing Commitment Correspondence.**”

PROMOTIONAL MATERIALS

You may request advisory comments on proposed introductory advertising and promotional labeling. To do so, submit, in triplicate, a cover letter requesting advisory comments, the proposed materials in draft or mock-up form with annotated references, and the package insert to:

Food and Drug Administration
Center for Drug Evaluation and Research
Office of Prescription Drug Promotion
5901-B Ammendale Road
Beltsville, MD 20705-1266

As required under 21 CFR 314.81(b)(3)(i), you must submit final promotional materials, and the package insert, at the time of initial dissemination or publication, accompanied by a Form FDA 2253. For instruction on completing the Form FDA 2253, see page 2 of the Form. For more information about submission of promotional materials to the Office of Prescription Drug Promotion (OPDP), see <http://www.fda.gov/AboutFDA/CentersOffices/CDER/ucm090142.htm>.

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 Dawn Williams, Regulatory Project Manager, at (301) 796-5376.

Sincerely,

{See appended electronic signature page}

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ENCLOSURES:

Content of Labeling
Carton and Container Labeling

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SUSAN J WALKER
02/07/2012