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**SUPPLEMENT APPROVAL**

GlaxoSmithKline  
Attention: Linda Rebar  
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Dear Ms. Rebar:

Please refer to your Supplemental New Drug Applications (sNDAs) dated and received June 6, 2012, and October 3, 2012, submitted under section 505(b) of the Federal Food, Drug, and Cosmetic Act (FDCA) for Avodart® (dutasteride) Soft Gelatin Capsules.

We acknowledge receipt of your amendment dated February 11, 2013.

These “Changes Being Effected” supplemental new drug applications provide for:

1. The addition of “depressed mood” and “testicular pain and testicular swelling” to Section 6.2 of the Adverse Reactions, Postmarketing Experience section of the labeling
2. The addition of new language to Table 1 and Table 2 in Section 6.1 (Adverse Reactions Clinical Trials Experience) of the labeling, regarding the persistence of sexual adverse reactions following discontinuance of dutasteride
3. A corresponding update to the Patient Information Section, “What are the possible side effects of AVODART?”

We have completed our review of these supplemental applications, as amended. They are 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 <http://www.fda.gov/ForIndustry/DataStandards/StructuredProductLabeling/default.htm> registration and listing system (eLIST), as described at Content of labeling must be identical to the enclosed labeling (text for the package insert, text for the patient 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/UCM072392.pdf>

The SPL will be accessible from publicly available labeling repositories.

Also within 14 days, amend all pending supplemental applications that includes labeling changes 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).

### **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.

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

### **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 George Lyght, Pharm.D., Sr. Regulatory Health Project Manager, at (301) 796-0948.

Sincerely,

*{See appended electronic signature page}*

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ENCLOSURE: Content of Labeling

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