



BLA 125156/S-094

SUPPLEMENT APPROVAL

Genentech, Inc.
Attention: Tammy Rose
Associate Director of Regulatory Affairs
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Dear Ms. Rose:

Please refer to your Supplemental Biologics License Application (sBLA), dated April 25, 2013, and received May 31, 2013, submitted under section 351(a) of the Public Health Service Act for Lucentis (ranibizumab injection).

We acknowledge receipt of your amendments dated September 6 and 24, and November 14, 2013, and February 25, 2014. This Prior Approval supplemental biologics application provides for an update of the safety and efficacy of Lucentis in the treatment of neovascular Age-Related Macular AMD with the final 2-year clinical data for Study FVF4579g.

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.

CONTENT OF LABELING

As soon as possible, but no later than 14 days from the date of this letter, submit, via the FDA automated drug registration and listing system (eLIST), the content of labeling [21 CFR 601.14(b)] in structured product labeling (SPL) format, as described at <http://www.fda.gov/ForIndustry/DataStandards/StructuredProductLabeling/default.htm>, that is identical to the enclosed labeling (text for the package insert, text for the patient package insert, Medication Guide) and include the labeling changes proposed in any pending "Changes Being Effected" (CBE) supplements. 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.

Also within 14 days, amend all pending supplemental applications that includes labeling changes for this BLA, including pending "Changes Being Effected" (CBE) supplements, for which FDA has not yet issued an action letter, with the content of labeling [21 CFR 601.12(f)] in MS Word format that includes the changes approved in this supplemental application.

REPORTING REQUIREMENTS

We remind you that you must comply with reporting requirements for an approved BLA (in 21 CFR 600.80 and in 21 CFR 600.81).

If you have any questions, call Christina Marshall, Regulatory Project Manager, at (301) 796-3099.

Sincerely,

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