NDA APPROVAL



NDA 213218

Sarfez Pharmaceuticals, Inc. Attention: Salim Shah, PhD, JD Director Regulatory Affairs 8000 Tower Crescent Drive, Suite 1350 Vienna, VA 22182

Dear Dr. Shah:

Please refer to your new drug application (NDA) dated February 5, 2019, received March 15, 2019, and your amendments, submitted pursuant to section 505(b)(2) of the Federal Food, Drug, and Cosmetic Act (FDCA) for Soaanz (torsemide) 20 mg and 60 mg Tablets.

We acknowledge receipt of your amendment dated December 15, 2020, which constituted a complete response to our January 10, 2020, action letter.

This new drug application provides for the use of Soaanz (torsemide) 20 mg and 60 mg tablets in adults for the treatment of edema associated with heart failure or renal disease.

APPROVAL & LABELING

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.

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(I)] in structured product labeling (SPL) format using the FDA automated drug registration and listing system (eLIST), as described at FDA.gov.¹ Content of labeling must be identical to the enclosed labeling (text for the Prescribing Information) 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 *SPL Standard for Content of Labeling Technical Qs and As.*²

The SPL will be accessible via publicly available labeling repositories.

¹ <u>http://www.fda.gov/ForIndustry/DataStandards/StructuredProductLabeling/default.htm</u>

² We update guidances periodically. For the most recent version of a guidance, check the FDA Guidance Documents Database <u>https://www.fda.gov/RegulatoryInformation/Guidances/default.htm</u>.

CARTON AND CONTAINER LABELING

Submit final printed carton and container labeling that are identical to the enclosed carton and container labeling as soon as they are available, but no more than 30 days after they are printed. Please submit these labeling electronically according to the guidance for industry *Providing Regulatory Submissions in Electronic Format* — *Certain Human Pharmaceutical Product Applications and Related Submissions Using the eCTD Specifications*. For administrative purposes, designate this submission "**Final Printed Carton and Container Labeling for approved NDA 213218**." Approval of this submission by FDA is not required before the labeling is used.

DATING PERIOD

Based on the stability data submitted to date, the expiry dating period for Soaanz (torsemide) tablets shall be 24 months from the date of manufacture, when stored at controlled room temperature (USP) of 20°C to 25°C (68°F to 77°F) in the proposed commercial packaging. Excursions are permitted from 15°C to 30°C (59°F to 86°F).

REQUIRED PEDIATRIC ASSESSMENTS

Under the Pediatric Research Equity Act (PREA) (21 U.S.C. 355c), all applications for new active ingredients (which includes new salts and new fixed combinations), 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 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.

PROMOTIONAL MATERIALS

You may request advisory comments on proposed introductory advertising and promotional labeling. For information about submitting promotional materials, see the final guidance for industry *Providing Regulatory Submissions in Electronic and Non-Electronic Format*—*Promotional Labeling and Advertising Materials for Human Prescription Drugs.*³

As required under 21 CFR 314.81(b)(3)(i), you must submit final promotional materials, and the Prescribing Information, at the time of initial dissemination or publication, accompanied by a Form FDA 2253. Form FDA 2253 is available at FDA.gov.⁴ Information and Instructions for completing the form can be found at FDA.gov.⁵

³ For the most recent version of a guidance, check the FDA guidance web page at <u>https://www.fda.gov/media/128163/download</u>.

 ⁴ http://www.fda.gov/downloads/AboutFDA/ReportsManualsForms/Forms/UCM083570.pdf
⁵ http://www.fda.gov/downloads/AboutFDA/ReportsManualsForms/Forms/UCM375154.pdf

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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, please call Maryam Changi, Regulatory Project Manager, at (240) 402 2725.

Sincerely,

{See appended electronic signature page}

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ENCLOSURE(S):

- Content of Labeling
 - Prescribing Information
- Container Labeling

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