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# SUPPLEMENT APPROVAL

Digestive Care, Inc Attention: Tibor Sipos, PhD President and Chief Scientific Officer 1120 Win Drive Bethlehem, PA 18017

Dear Dr. Sipos:

Please refer to your supplemental biologics license application (sBLA), dated and received on March 16, 2023, and your amendments, submitted under section 351(a) of the Public Health Service Act for Pertzye (pancrelipase) delayed-release capsules.

This Prior Approval supplemental biologics application provides for updates to the Prescribing Information (PI) to clarify and reorganize information throughout the labeling, including the following sections:

- INDICATIONS AND USAGE
- DOSAGE AND ADMINISTRATION
- WARNINGS AND PRECAUTIONS
- USE IN SPECIFIC POPULATIONS, Pediatric Use

## **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 with minor editorial revisions listed below and reflected in the enclosed labeling:

• Update the revision date in the Instructions for Use to the approval date

#### 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 FDA.gov,<sup>1</sup> that is identical to the enclosed labeling (text for the Prescribing Information (PI), Medication Guide, and Instructions for Use) and include the labeling changes proposed in any pending "Changes Being Effected" (CBE) supplements.

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

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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.*<sup>2</sup>

The SPL will be accessible via publicly available labeling repositories.

Also within 14 days, amend all pending supplemental applications that include 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 Microsoft Word format that includes the changes approved in this supplemental application, as well as annual reportable changes. To facilitate review of your submission(s), 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 (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(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.

## **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.*<sup>3</sup>

As required under 21 CFR 601.12(f)(4), 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.<sup>4</sup> Information and Instructions for completing the form can be found at FDA.gov.<sup>5</sup>

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> 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>.

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

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>4</sup> <u>http://www.fda.gov/downloads/AboutFDA/ReportsManualsForms/Forms/UCM083570.pdf</u> <sup>5</sup> <u>http://www.fda.gov/downloads/AboutFDA/ReportsManualsForms/Forms/UCM375154.pdf</u>

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#### **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, contact Anum Shami, PharmD, Senior Regulatory Project Manager, at 301-837-7103 or <a href="mailto:anum.shami@fda.hhs.gov">anum.shami@fda.hhs.gov</a>

Sincerely,

{See appended electronic signature page}

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ENCLOSURES:

- Content of Labeling
  - Prescribing Information
  - Medication Guide
  - Instructions for Use

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