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APPLICATION NUMBER:

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Trade Name:

Patanol

Generic Name:

olopatadine

Sponsor:

Alcon Laboratories

Approval Date:

September 4, 1998

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APPROVAL LETTER



DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH & HUMAN SERVICES

Food and Drug Administration Rockville MD 20857

NDA 20-688/S-002

SEP 4 1998

Public Health Service

Alcon Laboratories Attention: Susan H. Caballa Associate Director, Regulatory Affairs 6201 South Freeway R7-18 Fort Worth, Texas 76134

Dear Ms. Caballa:

We acknowledge your supplemental new drug application dated March 6, 1998, submitted under section 505(b) of the Federal Food, Drug, and Cosmetic Act for PATANOL (olopatadine hydrochloride ophthalmic solution) 0.1%.

This supplemental application provides for extension of the expiration dating period.

We have completed the review of this supplemental application and it is approved effective on the date of this letter.

This approval affects only the changes specifically submitted in this supplemental application. Other changes that may have been approved or are pending evaluation are not affected.

We remind you that you must comply with the requirements for an approved NDA set forth under 21 CFR 314.80 and 314.81.

If you have any questions, please contact Raphael R. Rodriguez, Project Manager, at (301) 827-2090.

Sincerely,

Hasmukh B. Patet 9-4-98

Hasmukh B. Patel, Ph.D.

Chemistry Team Leader, DNDC III

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CHEMISTRY REVIEW(S)

DIVISION OF ANTI-INFLAMMATORY, ANALGESIC, AND OPHTHALMIC DRUG PRODUCTS

Review of Chemistry, Manufacturing, and Controls

NDA #: 20-688 CHEM.REVIEW #: S-002

REVIEW DATE: 5/1/98

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3/6/98

3/17/98

3/20/98

NAME & ADDRESS OF APPLICANT:

Alcon Laboratories 6201 South Freeway Fort Worth, Tx. 76134

DRUG PRODUCT NAME

Proprietary: Patanol

Nonproprietary/USAN:

Olopatadine

Hydrochloride

Code Names/#'s: AL 4943A

Chemical Type/ 1S

Therapeutic Class: Anti-allergic

PHARMACOLOGICAL CATEGORY/INDICATION:

Antihistaminic

and

mast

cell

stabilizer

DOSAGE FORM:

Solution

STRENGTHS:

0.1%

ROUTE OF ADMINISTRATION:

Topical/Ocular

DISPENSED:

__X___ Rx _____ OTC

CHEMICAL NAME, STRUCTURAL FORMULA, MOLECULAR FORMULA, MOL.WT:

SUPPORTING DOCUMENTS:

None

RELATED DOCUMENTS (if applicable):

none

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CONCLUSION:

THE APPLICATION IS RECOMMENDED FOR APPROVAL. Since the stability data are obtained from an approved stability protocol, the extension of expiry is acceptable.

Su C. Tso, Ph.D. Chemist

cc: Orig. NDA 20-688

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