

NEWS RELEASE

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Aurobindo Pharma receives USFDA Approval for Esomeprazole Magnesium Delayed-release Capsules

Aurobindo Pharma Limited is pleased to announce that the company has received final approval from the US Food & Drug Administration (USFDA) to manufacture and market Esomeprazole Magnesium Delayed-release Capsules USP, 20 mg and 40 mg. The launch of this product is based on the settlement terms/litigation outcome with AstraZeneca.

The approved ANDA is bioequivalent and therapeutically equivalent to the reference listed drug product (RLD) Nexium® Delayed-release Capsules, 20 mg and 40 mg, of AstraZeneca Pharmaceuticals LP.

Esomeprazole Magnesium Delayed-release Capsules is used in the treatment of gastroesophageal reflux disease. The approved product has an estimated market size of US\$ 4.2 billion for the twelve months ending February 2016 according to IMS.

This is the 70th ANDA (including 15 tentative approvals) to be approved out of Unit VII formulation facility in Hyderabad, India for manufacturing Oral Non-Antibiotic products. Aurobindo now has a total of 253 ANDA approvals (217 Final approvals including 10 from Aurolife Pharma LLC and 36 tentative approvals) from USFDA.

About Aurobindo Pharma Limited:

Aurobindo Pharma Limited (www.aurobindo.com) (NSE: AUROPHARMA, BSE: 524804, Reuters: ARBN.NS, Bloomberg: ARBP:IN), headquartered at Hyderabad, India, manufactures generic pharmaceuticals and active pharmaceutical ingredients. The company's manufacturing facilities are approved by several leading regulatory agencies like US FDA, UK MHRA, Japan PMDA, WHO, Health Canada, MCC South Africa, ANVISA Brazil. The company's robust product portfolio is spread over 7 major therapeutic/product areas encompassing Antibiotics, Anti-Retrovirals, CVS, CNS, Gastroenterologicals, Anti-Allergies and Anti-Diabetics, supported by an outstanding R&D set-up. The Company is marketing these products globally, in over 150 countries.

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