Disclosure by the Promoter(s) to the stock exchanges and to the target company for release of encumbrances of shares in terms of Regulation 31(1) and 31(2) of SEBI (Substantial Acquisition of Shares and Takeovers) Regulations, 2011.

Name of the Target Company (TC)	AUROBINDO PHARMA LIMITED
Name of the Promoter(s) on whose shares encumbrance was created/ invoked/ released.	K. NITHYANANDA REDDY
Date of reporting	26.03.2013
Names of the Stock Exchange(s) where the shares of TC are listed	National Stock Exchange of India Limited BSE Limited

Details of the promoters' holding:
(The term "event" indicates creation/ invocation/ release of encumbrance, as the case may be)

Promoter(s) or PACs with him	Pre-event holding		Details of event pertaining to encumbrance		Post event holding (encumbered shares to be excluded)		(*) Details of encumbrance (pledge/ lien or others – give details)
Names	Number	% of total share capital	Type-creation/ invocation/ release	Date(s)	Number	% of total share capital	
K. Nithyananda Reddy	1,37,62,350	4.73	Pledge on 16,00,000 shares	19.03.2013	92,15,053	3.16	The present pledge of 16,00,000 shares is in favour of IFCI Factors Ltd., and release of 13,50,000 shares pledged in favour of Investorsmart Financial Services Ltd. 42,97297 Shares (already pledged) +16,00,000 shares (Present pledge) - 13,50,000 shares (present release of pledge)= 45,47,297 shares (Total pledge)
			Release of pledge of 13,50,000 shares	26.03.2013			

(*) Details shall include the details regarding the person(s) on whose favour the encumbrance has been created and other important features of such encumbrance.

K. NITHYANANDA REDDY

Place: Hyderabad
Date: 26.03.2013

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