DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES

Food and Drug Administration
Silver Spring MD 20993

NDA 21366/S-018 **SUPPLEMENT APPROVAL**

AstraZeneca Pharmaceuticals LP
US Agent for IPR Pharmaceuticals, Inc.
Attention: Pat DeFeo, MS
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Dear Ms. DeFeo:

Please refer to your supplemental new drug application dated July 23, 2009, received July 23, 2009, submitted under section 505(b) of the Federal Food, Drug, and Cosmetic Act (FDCA) for Crestor (rosuvastatin calcium) Tablets.

We acknowledge receipt of your submission dated January 19 (email), 2010.

This supplemental new drug application provides for changes to the **DOSAGE AND ADMINISTRATION**, **WARNINGS AND PRECAUTIONS**, **DRUG INTERACTIONS**, and **CLINICAL PHARMACOLOGY** sections of the Crestor package insert to add additional information on protease inhibitors.

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 text.

CONTENT OF LABELING

As soon as possible, but no later than 14 days from the date of this letter, please submit the content of labeling [21 CFR 314.50(l)(1)(i)] in structured product labeling (SPL) format as described at http://www.fda.gov/oc/datacouncil/spl.html that is identical to the enclosed labeling (text for the package insert and patient package insert submitted January 19, 2010, by email). For administrative purposes, please designate this submission, "SPL for approved NDA 21366/S-018."

PROMOTIONAL MATERIALS

You may request advisory comments on proposed introductory advertising and promotional labeling. To do so, submit, in triplicate, a cover letter requesting advisory comments, the proposed materials in draft or mock-up form with annotated references, and the package insert(s) to:

Food and Drug Administration
Center for Drug Evaluation and Research
Division of Drug Marketing, Advertising, and Communications
5901-B Ammendale Road
Beltsville, MD 20705-1266

As required under 21 CFR 314.81(b)(3)(i), you must submit final promotional materials, and the package insert(s), at the time of initial dissemination or publication, accompanied by a Form FDA 2253. For instruction on completing the Form FDA 2253, see page 2 of the Form. For more information about submission of promotional materials to the Division of Drug Marketing, Advertising, and Communications (DDMAC), see http://www.fda.gov/AboutFDA/CentersOffices/CDER/ucm090142.htm.

LETTERS TO HEALTH CARE PROFESSIONALS

If you issue a letter communicating important safety related information about this drug product (i.e., a "Dear Health Care Professional" letter), we request that you submit an electronic copy of the letter to both this NDA and to the following address:

MedWatch
Food and Drug Administration
5600 Fishers Lane, Room 12B05
Rockville, MD 20857

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, call Margaret Simoneau, M.S., R.Ph., Regulatory Project Manager, at (301) 796-1295.

Sincerely,

{See appended electronic signature page}

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Enclosure
Content of Labeling

Application Type/Number	Submission Type/Number	Submitter Name	Product Name
NDA-21366	SUPPL-18	IPR PHARMACEUTICALS INC	CRESTOR(ROSUVASTATIN CALCIUM)10/20/40/80

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01/22/2010