DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES

Food and Drug Administration
Silver Spring MD 20993

NDA 20796/S-026 and NDA 21485/S-033

SUPPLEMENT APPROVAL

Orion Corporation
c/o B&H Consulting Services, Inc.
Attention: Sandy Lee, M.S., RAC, Senior Project Manager
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Somerville, NJ 08876

Dear Ms. Lee:

Please refer to your Supplemental New Drug Applications (sNDAs) dated July 6, 2015, received July 6, 2015, submitted under section 505(b) of the Federal Food, Drug, and Cosmetic Act (FDCA) for Comtan (entacapone) Tablets and Stalevo (levodopa/carbidopa/entacapone) Tablets.

These "Prior Approval" supplemental new drug applications propose updates to both the Comtan and Stalevo labels to reflect the results from the Phase 4 carcinogenicity study, per the Agency's Fulfillment of Postmarketing Commitment Letter, dated August 25, 2009, and the results of studies that evaluated the mechanism behind the induction of kidney tubular tumors found in the 104-week rat carcinogenicity study of entacapone.

APPROVAL & LABELING

We have completed our review of this supplemental application. 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, submit the content of labeling [21 CFR 314.50(l)] in structured product labeling (SPL) format using the FDA automated drug registration and listing system (eLIST), as described at http://www.fda.gov/ForIndustry/DataStandards/StructuredProductLabeling/default.htm. Content of labeling must be identical to the enclosed labeling (text for the package insert), with the addition of any labeling changes in pending "Changes Being Effected" (CBE) supplements, as well as annual reportable changes not included in the enclosed labeling.

Information on submitting SPL files using eList may be found in the guidance for industry titled "SPL Standard for Content of Labeling Technical Qs and As at http://www.fda.gov/downloads/DrugsGuidanceComplianceRegulatoryInformation/Guidances/UCM072392.pdf

The SPL will be accessible from publicly available labeling repositories.

Also within 14 days, amend all pending supplemental applications that includes labeling changes for this NDA, including CBE supplements for which FDA has not yet issued an action letter, with the content of labeling [21 CFR 314.50(l)(1)(i)] in MS Word format, that includes the changes approved in this supplemental application, as well as annual reportable changes and annotate each change. To facilitate review of your submission, 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).

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 Stacy Metz, PharmD, Regulatory Project Manager, at (301) 796-2139.

Sincerely,

{See appended electronic signature page}

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ENCLOSURE(S):
Content of Labeling

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