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National Stock Exchange of India Limited
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Bandra (East), Mumbai 400051
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Dear Sirs,

Re: **Ban on manufacture and sale of fixed dose combinations**

The Ministry of Health and Family Welfare, Government of India has, by a notification issued on 12th March 2016, banned the manufacture and sale of certain fixed dose combinations.

The Company has filed a Writ Petition on 19th March 2016 in the Delhi High Court challenging the said notification as one of its products AMARYL® MP is sought to be covered by the notification.

The Writ Petition was listed before the Court on 21st March 2016, when the Learned Judge adjourned all the listed matters to 28th March 2016. However, on 22nd March 2016, the Court has ordered that the statement of the Learned Additional Solicitor General that no coercive steps in pursuance of the impugned Notification will be taken till 28th March 2016, has to be followed in the Petitions filed on 21st March 2016 also. Accordingly, the Notification under which the Company's product AMARYL® MP is sought to be covered, will not be enforced until 28th March 2016.

The ban on the manufacture and sale of the said product does not have a material impact on the Company's turnover for the current financial year which commenced on 1st January 2016.

The turnover of the said product constituted only around 0.40% of the turnover of the Company for the financial year ended 31st December 2015.

Thanking you,

Yours faithfully,
SANOFI INDIA LIMITED

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read "K. Subramani", is written over the typed name.

K.SUBRAMANI
COMPANY SECRETARY