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Dockets Management Branch (HFA-305)
Food and Drug Administration
5630 Fisher Lane
Room 1061
Rockville, MD 20857

Dear Sir/Madam:

Re: Docket Nos. 92N-0297 and ~~88N-0258~~

We purchase pharmaceuticals from a local wholesale distributor who buys from full-line wholesalers and from other small wholesalers. I understand FDA is requiring much more extensive prescription drug sales history information than has been required under the 1988 FDA Guidance on this issue that wholesalers have followed for the past 12 years. As a result, my wholesale supplier wholesalers have followed for the past 12 years. As a result, my wholesale supplier may be put out of business.

We are not easily able to purchase from large full-line wholesalers or manufacturers. Our supplier is important to our business. Please make the regulations consistent with the guidance that was previously in effect so that our supplier may stay in business.

Sincerely yours,



Flavia West MD

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