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Dear Ms. Markus:

Your petition requesting the Food and Drug Administration to declare Sterile Vancomycin Hydrochloride USP, 750 mg, in a vial comparable to Hospira, Inc.'s Fliptop Vial, suitable for submission in an Abbreviated New Drug Application, was received by this office on 12/22/2006. It was assigned docket number 2006P-0533/CP1 and it was filed on 12/27/2006. Please refer to this docket number in future correspondence on this subject with the Agency.

Please note that the acceptance of the petition for filing is a procedural matter in that it in no way reflects an agency decision on the substantive merits of the petition.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Lyle D. Jaffe".

Lyle D. Jaffe
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