# Errata corrections to repro-tox studies for BMS: To be distributed on July 14, 2000

#### Under Conclusions:

The old sentence stated:

1. Pravastatin when given during pregnancy produces splitting of cervical ribs in rat fetuses

The corrected sentence is:

Pravastatin when given during pregnancy produces cervical rib changes in rat fetuses

# **Under study A in rats**

# 2. The old sentence stated:

100 mg/kg/day (24 times the human dose of 40 mg/day, based on body surface area), given from day 4-17 of gestation increased the splitting of cervical rib in fetuses (6.7% vs 2.7% in controls)

The corrected sentence is:

100 mg/kg/day (24 times the human dose of 40 mg/day, based on body surface area), given from day 7-17 of gestation increased the cervical rib changes in fetuses (6.4% vs 2.7% in controls)

#### 3. The old sentence stated:

Pravastatin also increased the number of stillborn (1-2% Vs 0% in controls)

The corrected sentence is:

Pravastatin also increased the number of stillborn (0.8-1.8% Vs 0% in controls)

# **Under study B in rats**

# 4. The old sentence stated:

Pre-implantation losses were slightly higher at the high dose (46% Vs 34% in controls, p = ns at 0.01). Note that in study A, when the drug was given little early in gestation (from day 4, instead of day 7), the skeletal defects and newborn/stillborn deaths occurred at one tenth the dose in the current study.

## The corrected sentence is:

Note that in study A, the skeletal changes and newborn/stillborn deaths occurred at one tenth the dose in the current study.