

Food and Drug Administration Rockville, MD 20857

January 25, 2006

Robert W. Pollock Lachman Consultant Services, Inc. 1600 Stewart Avenue Westbury, New York 11590

Dear Mr. Pollock:

Your petition requesting the Food and Drug Administration to determine whether Sustiva (efavirenz) Tablets, 300 mg (NDA 21-360), has been voluntarily withdrawn for safety or effectiveness reasons, was received by this office on 01/25/2006. It was assigned docket number 2006P-0052/CP1 and it was filed on 01/25/2006. 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.

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Sincerely,

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