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Re: Citizen Petition 02P-0469

Dear Sir or Madam:

We represent Bausch & Lomb Inc. The citizen petition noted in the caption to this letter was submitted by Allergan, Inc. The petition requests that FDA refuse to approve, or suspend the approval of, ANDAs for brimonidine tartrate ophthalmic solution 0.2%. Bausch & Lomb has a pending ANDA for this product.

In the near future, we will submit comments on behalf of Bausch & Lomb in opposition to Allergan's citizen petition.

Sincerely,



Thomas Scarlett

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