



Food and Drug Administration Rockville, MD 20857

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Dr. Sidney Wolfe Public Citizen Health Research Group 1600 20th Street, N.W. Washington, D. C. 20009

Dear Dr. Wolfe:

Your petition requesting the Food and Drug Administration to immediately remove from the market, the prescription version of Xenical (orlistat, Roche Pharmaceuticals), was received by this office on 04/10/2006. It was assigned docket number 2006P-0154/CP 1 and it was filed on 04/11/2006. 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,

Lyle D. Jaffe

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