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Jean R. Grieve
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Dear Ms. Grieve:

Your petition requesting the Food and Drug Administration to allow for the interim marketing of ecamsule, upon a finding by the Food and Drug Administration that ecamsule qualifies as a Category 1, generally recognized safe and effective (GRASE) sunscreen active ingredient under 21 CFR 352 Sunscreen Drug Products For Over-The-Counter Human Use, was received by this office on 07/13/2009. It was assigned docket number FDA-2009-P-0323-0001/CP and it was filed on 07/13/2009. 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,



Carolyn Kachovec, Director
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Office of Shared Services
Office of Management

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