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Government of India  
Directorate General of Health Services  
Central Drugs Standard Control Organisation  
(New Drug Division)

FDA Bhawan, Kotla Road  
New Delhi - 110 002

Dated:

22 JUL 2020

To

M/s Optimus Pharma Pvt. Ltd.,  
Plot No. 73/B, 73/B/2, EPIP,  
Pashamylaram (Village),  
Sangareddy (District),  
Hyderabad-502307, Telangana, India

**Subject: Permission to manufacture and market Favipiravir 200mg - regarding**

**Reference: Your application no. ND/CT21/BO/2020/19870 dated 27.05.2020.**

Sir,

Please find enclosed herewith permission no. **MF-ND-126/2020** dated 22/07/2020 in **Form CT 23** under Drugs and Cosmetics Act, 1940 and New Drugs & Clinical Trials Rules, 2019 there under granted based on evaluation in consultation with Subject Expert Committee as part of accelerated approval process considering the emergency situation and unmet medical need in light of Covid 19 outbreak for restricted emergency use in the country.

Please acknowledge receipt of the same.

Yours faithfully,



(Dr. V. G. Somani)  
Central Licensing Authority

Copy to:-

1. The Director, Drugs Control Bhawan, Drugs Control Administration, Vengalrao Nagar, Hyderabad-500038
2. DDC (I), CDSCO, Zonal office, Hyderabad.





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**Form CT-23**

(See rules 81, 82, 83 & 84)

**PERMISSION TO MANUFACTURE PHARMACEUTICAL FORMULATION OF A NEW DRUG FOR SALE OR FOR DISTRIBUTION**

Number of the permission and date of issue **MF-ND-126/2020** dated \_\_/07/2020

1. The Central Licensing Authority hereby grant permission to **M/s Optimus pharma Pvt. Ltd., Plot No. 73/B, 73/B/2, EPIP, Pashamylaram (Village), Patancheru (Mandal), Sangareddy (District), Hyderabad-502307, Telangana, India, Telephone no. 040-40069400, Fax:04027174641, E-Mail:hemanth.p@optimuspharma.com** to manufacture for sale of pharmaceutical formulation manufactured by a manufacturer specified below.
2. Details of manufacturer and its manufacturing site under the license

Sr. No.	Name and address of manufacturer (Full name and address with telephone and e-mail address of manufacturer)	Name and address of manufacturer (Full name and address with telephone and e-mail address of manufacturing site)
01	M/s Optimus pharma Pvt. Ltd., Plot No. 73/B, 73/B/2, EPIP, Pashamylaram (Village), Patancheru (Mandal), Sangareddy (District), Hyderabad-502307, Telangana, India, Telephone no. 91-40-33889898, +91-8455-223653 Fax: 04027174641 Email: <a href="mailto:raveendra.y@optimuspharma.com">raveendra.y@optimuspharma.com</a>	M/s Optimus pharma Pvt. Ltd., Plot No. 73/B, 73/B/2, EPIP, Pashamylaram (Village), Patancheru (Mandal), Sangareddy (District), Hyderabad-502307, Telangana, India, Telephone no. 91-40-33889898, +91-8455-223653 Fax: 04027174641 Email: <a href="mailto:raveendra.y@optimuspharma.com">raveendra.y@optimuspharma.com</a>

3. Details of Pharmaceutical formulation

<b>Name of the New Drug to be manufactured:</b>	Favipiravir tablets
<b>Dosage Form:</b>	Film coated tablet
<b>Composition</b>	Each film coated tablet contains: Favipiravir 200mg
<b>Indication</b>	For the treatment of patients with mild to moderate Covid-19 disease.



*[Handwritten Signature]*



<b>Shelf life with storage Condition</b>	Initially 03 months. Store at a temperature not exceeding 30°C.
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4. This is subject to the conditions prescribed in Chapter X of the New Drugs and Clinical Trials Rules, 2019 under the Drugs and Cosmetics Act, 1940.

Place: \_\_\_\_\_

Date: 21/07/2020

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**Central Licensing Authority  
Stamp**

Dr. V. G. SOMANI  
Drugs Controller General (India)  
Dte. General of Health Services  
Ministry of Health and Family Welfare  
FDA Bhawan, Kotla Road, I.T.O.  
New Delhi - 110003

**Condition of permission**

1. The new drugs shall conform to the specifications approved by the Central Licensing Authority;
2. The labeling of the drugs shall conform to the requirements specified in the Drugs and Cosmetics rules, 1945;
3. The label on the immediate container of the drug as well as the packing in which the container is enclosed should contain the following warning:

**“WARNING: To be sold on the prescription of medical specialist”** which shall be in box with red background;

4. As post marketing surveillance, the applicant shall submit Periodic Safety Update Reports as specified in the Fifth Schedule;
5. All reported serious unexpected adverse reactions related to drug shall be intimated to the Central Licensing Authority and regulatory action resulting from their review shall be complied with;
6. No claims except those mentioned above shall be made for the drug without prior approval of the Central Licensing Authority;
7. **Specimen of the carton, labels, package insert that will be adopted for marketing the drug in the county shall be got approved from the Central Licensing Authority before the drugs is marketed;**
8. **Updated stability study data shall be submitted at periodic interval. If long-term stability data submitted do not cover the proposed shelf-life of the product, the stability study shall be continued to firmly establish the shelf-life and the complete stability data shall be submitted.**
9. **Written informed consent from each patient/ or his representative prior to administration of the drug shall be obtained by the prescriber i.e. Medical Specialist. Informed consent form to be used should contain in a language understandable to the patient/ or his representative the factual detail about the drug, its restricted emergency use approval,**

*(Handwritten Signature)*



alternative therapy available etc. The copy of the informed consent form should be submitted to CDSCO before launching the drug product for marketing.

10. The drug is contraindicated in patients with severe renal, hepatic impairment, pregnant and lactating women.
11. The drug should be used with caution in patient with history of abnormalities in metabolism of uric acid or having Gout.
12. Firm is required to conduct Phase IV clinical trial with the drug and accordingly the firm should submit Phase IV clinical trial protocol within one month.



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DRUGS CONTROL ADMINISTRATION  
Government of Telangana



L.Dis.No:27333/TS/2019

Dated:27/07/2019  
Valid until:26/07/2020

## GOOD MANUFACTURING PRACTICES CERTIFICATE

This is to certify that M/s OPTIMUS PHARMA PRIVATE LIMITED situated at address PLOT NO.73/B,73/B/2 EPIP, PASHAMYLARAM(V), PATANCHERU(M), SANGAREDDY(DIST.),502307s holding Drug Manufacturing Licence in Form 25 bearing No. 22/SRD/TS/2017/F/G Date.21/07/2017 Valid upto 20/07/2022 for manufacture for sale or distribution of drugs approved by this Department.The firm is subjected to periodical inspection by this Department.

The firm is following **GOOD MANUFACTURING PRACTICES** as stipulated under the provisions of Schedule "M" of the Drugs and Cosmetics Rules, 1945.

The firm should however carry out self inspection from time to time to ensure that the requirements of Good Manufacturing Practices are complied with.

Digitally Signed By  
**DR BOLLAM VENKATESWARLU**  
Deputy Director and Certifying Authority  
DRUGS CONTROL ADMINISTRATION  
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**Establishment Inspection Report**  
Optimus Pharma Private Limited  
Hyderabad, India

FEI: **3013914542**  
EI Start: 09/02/2019  
EI End: 09/06/2019

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**SUMMARY**

The Pre-approval and current Good Manufacturing Practice (cGMP) inspection of this drug manufacturer of oral solid dosage forms (i.e., tablets, capsules, and pellets) and topical dosage forms (i.e., ointments and creams) was conducted to provide coverage for ANDA [REDACTED] [REDACTED] under FACTS assignment ID 11943343 and MARCS Operation ID 126860. This inspection was conducted in accordance to Compliance Programs 7346.832, Drug Pre-Approval Inspections, and 7356.002, Drug Manufacturing Inspections. Additionally, this inspection provided GMP coverage to the Quality, Production, Facilities and Equipment, Materials, Packaging and Labeling, and Laboratory Control Systems.

There was no previous inspection of this manufacturing facility.

No Form FDA 483, Inspectional Observations was issued, no samples were collected, and no refusals were encountered.



**Establishment Inspection Report**Optimus Pharma Private Limited  
Hyderabad, IndiaFEI: 3013914542  
EI Start: 09/02/2019  
EI End: 09/06/2019**ADMINISTRATIVE DATA**

Inspected firm: Optimus Pharma Private Limited  
Location: Plot No. 73/B, 73/B/2, EPIP, PASHAMYLARAM,  
PATANCHERU, SANGAREDDY  
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PATANCHERU, SANGAREDDY Hyderabad, India  
Email address: srini@optimuspharma.com  
Dates of inspection: 09/02/2019 to 09/06/2019  
Days in the facility: 5  
Participants: [REDACTED] Investigator

On 09/02/2019, I presented my credentials and explained the purpose of my visit to Dr. Desireddy Srinivasa Reddy, Managing Director who identified himself as the firm's most responsible individual. Also present were Dr. Kanwal Pandita, Technical Advisor, Mr. Vivek Dhar, President-Operations and Group Audit Coordinator, Mr. Dillip Kumar Jena, President – Formulation, R&D, and Operation (Site Head), Mr. Yalaya Raveendra Reddy, GM – Head Quality Assurance and Regulatory Affairs, Mr. Ramesh Nethala, Sr. Manager -QC, and Mr. Anil Sahebrao Shejawal, AGM – Production.

On 09/06/2019, I conducted a closeout meeting with Dr. Desireddy Srinivasa Reddy, Managing Director, who identified himself as the firm's most responsible individual. Also present were Dr. Kanwal Pandita, Technical Advisor, Mr. Vivek Dhar, President-Operations and Group Audit Coordinator, Mr. Dillip Kumar Jena, President – Formulation, R&D, and Operation (Site Head), Mr. Yalaya Raveendra Reddy, GM – Head Quality Assurance and Regulatory Affairs, Mr. Ramesh Nethala, Sr. Manager -QC, and Mr. Anil Sahebrao Shejawal, AGM – Production.

**All FDA correspondence, including FMD 145, should be addressed to:**

Mr. Dillip Kumar Jena, President – Formulation R&D and Operations  
Plot No. 73/B, 73/B/2, EPIP, Pashamylaram (Village), Patancheru (Mandal), Sangareddy (District),  
Hyderabad-502307, Telangana, India  
Tel: +91-8455-223653, e-mail: [dillipkumar.J@optimuspharma.com](mailto:dillipkumar.J@optimuspharma.com)

**Name of person most responsible for the company overall (company headquarters)**

Dr. Desireddy Srinivasa Reddy, Managing Director  
Plot No. 6P, 2<sup>nd</sup> floor Signature Towers Kothaguda, Kondapur, Hyderabad-500084, Telangana,  
India. Tel: +91 40 33889898, e-mail: [srini@optimuspharma.com](mailto:srini@optimuspharma.com)





**GENERAL DISCUSSION WITH MANAGEMENT**

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- [REDACTED]
- [REDACTED]
- [REDACTED]
- [REDACTED]
- [REDACTED]
- [REDACTED]

Dr. Desireddy Srinivasa Reddy acknowledged the [REDACTED]

**ADDITIONAL INFORMATION**

N/A

**SAMPLES COLLECTED**

No samples were collected during the inspection.

**VOLUNTARY CORRECTIONS**

N/A

**EXHIBITS COLLECTED**

- 1 Building's layout, 1 page
- 2 Organogram, 1 page
- 3 List of products manufactured by Optimus Pharma Private Limited
- 4 [REDACTED] Finished Product Specification



- 5 [REDACTED]
- 6 [REDACTED]
- 7 [REDACTED]
- 8 [REDACTED]
- 9 [REDACTED]
- 10 List of [REDACTED] exhibit batches and stability studies
- 11 Manufacturing process for [REDACTED] tablets

**ATTACHMENTS**

Initial Field Recommendation (IFR), 2 pages

[REDACTED] 10/10/2019  
[REDACTED]  
Investigator

