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Federal Circuit Upholds Mylan's U.S. Patents on Perforomist® Inhalation Solution; Decision Prevents Approval of Teva ANDA

POTTERS BAR, England and PITTSBURGH, April 17, 2015 /PRNewswire/ -- Mylan N.V. (Nasdaq: MYL) today announced the United States Court of Appeals for the Federal Circuit upheld the validity and infringement of all four patents asserted by Mylan Specialty, L.P. protecting its Perforomist® (formoterol fumarate) Inhalation Solution. The Court summarily affirmed the previous decision by the district court against Teva.



Today's decision prevents Teva from receiving final approval of its ANDA from the U.S. Food and Drug Administration (FDA) prior to expiration of U.S. Patent Nos. 6,667,344; 6,814,953; 7,348,362; and 7,462,645. Those patents cover Perforomist® until they expire in June 2021.

Mylan CEO Heather Bresch commented: "The court's decision today again recognizes the validity of the patents covering Mylan's Perforomist® Inhalation Solution, reaffirming the strength of our intellectual property on this product. We are excited about the growth of our respiratory franchise and look forward to continuing to meet unmet needs in this increasingly important space."

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