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Silver Spring MD 20993

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Re: Disposition of Certain Antiviral Drugs—Zanamivir and Oseltamivir Phosphate

Dear Dr. Frieden:

This letter responds to your request regarding the disposition of certain zanamivir and oseltamivir phosphate drugs upon termination of the authorization of emergency use that was issued on April 27, 2009, pursuant to section 564(b)(1) of the Federal Food, Drug, and Cosmetic Act (the Act), 21 U.S.C. § 360bbb-3.

Attachment 1 provides Questions and Answers Regarding Terminating Certain Emergency Uses of Tamiflu and Relenza.

Attachment 2 provides Update Regarding Stockpiled Antivirals at or Nearing Expiration.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Margaret Hamburg MD MPH". The signature is written in a cursive style.

Margaret Hamburg, M.D.
Commissioner of Food and Drugs