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European Medicines Agency decision

P/0087/2020

of 18 March 2020

on the acceptance of a modification of an agreed paediatric investigation plan for ixekizumab (Taltz) (EMEA-001050-PIP01-10-M05) in accordance with Regulation (EC) No 1901/2006 of the European Parliament and of the Council

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The European Medicines Agency,

Having regard to the Treaty on the Functioning of the European Union,

Having regard to Regulation (EC) No 1901/2006 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 12 December 2006 on medicinal products for paediatric use and amending Regulation (EEC) No. 1768/92, Directive 2001/20/EC, Directive 2001/83/EC and Regulation (EC) No 726/2004[1],

Having regard to Regulation (EC) No 726/2004 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 31 March 2004 laying down Community procedures for the authorisation and supervision of medicinal products for human and veterinary use and establishing a European Medicines Agency[2],

Having regard to the European Medicines Agency's decision P/0090/2012 issued on 29 May 2012 the decision P/0100/2016 issued on 15 April 2016, the decision P/0233/2016 issued on 9 September 2016, the decision P/0011/2018 issued on 30 January 2018 and the decision P/0351/2018 issued on 20 November 2018.

Having regard to the application submitted by Eli Lilly Nederland B.V. on 29 May 2012 under Article 22 of Regulation (EC) No 1901/2006 proposing changes to the agreed paediatric investigation plan with a deferral and a waiver,

Having regard to the opinion of the Paediatric Committee of the European Medicines Agency, issued on 31 January 2020, in accordance with Article 22 of Regulation (EC) No 1901/2006,

Having regard to Article 25 of Regulation (EC) No 1901/2006,

Whereas:

(1) The Paediatric Committee of the European Medicines Agency has given an opinion on the acceptance of changes to the agreed paediatric investigation plan.

(2) It is therefore appropriate to adopt a decision on the acceptance of changes to the agreed paediatric investigation plan.

[1] OJ L 378, 27.12.2006, p.1.
[2] OJ L 136, 30.4.2004, p. 1.

Has adopted this decision:

Article 1

Changes to the agreed paediatric investigation plan for ixekizumab (Taltz), solution for injection, subcutaneous use, are hereby accepted in the scope set out in the opinion of the Paediatric Committee of the European Medicines Agency annexed hereto, together with its appendices.

Article 2

This decision is addressed to Eli Lilly Nederland B.V., Papendorpseweg 83, 3528 – Utrecht, The Netherlands.

EMA/PDCO/615410/2019
Amsterdam, 31 January 2020

Opinion of the Paediatric Committee on the acceptance of a modification of an agreed Paediatric Investigation Plan

EMEA-001050-PIP01-10-M05

Scope of the application

Active substance(s):

Ixekizumab

Invented name:

Taltz

Condition(s):

Treatment of psoriasis

Authorised indication(s):

See Annex II

Pharmaceutical form(s):

Solution for injection

Route(s) of administration:

Subcutaneous use

Name/corporate name of the PIP applicant:

Eli Lilly Nederland B.V.

Information about the authorised medicinal product:

See Annex II

Basis for opinion

Pursuant to Article 22 of Regulation (EC) No 1901/2006 as amended, Eli Lilly Nederland B.V. submitted to the European Medicines Agency on 17 October 2019 an application for modification of the agreed paediatric investigation plan with a deferral and a waiver as set out in the European Medicines Agency's decision P/0090/2012 issued on 29 May 2012 the decision P/0100/2016 issued on 15 April 2016, the decision P/0233/2016 issued on 9 September 2016, the decision P/0011/2018 issued on 30 January 2018 and the decision P/0351/2018 issued on 20 November 2018.

The application for modification proposed changes to the agreed paediatric investigation plan.

The procedure started on 3 December 2019.

Scope of the modification

Some measures and timelines of the Paediatric Investigation Plan have been modified.

Opinion

1. The Paediatric Committee, having assessed the application in accordance with Article 22 of Regulation (EC) No 1901/2006 as amended, recommends as set out in the appended summary report:

   - to agree to changes to the paediatric investigation plan in the scope set out in the Annex I of this opinion.

   The Norwegian Paediatric Committee member agrees with the above-mentioned recommendation of the Paediatric Committee.

2. The measures and timelines of the paediatric investigation plan and the subset(s) of the paediatric population and condition(s) covered by the waiver are set out in the Annex I.

This opinion is forwarded to the applicant and the Executive Director of the European Medicines Agency, together with its annexes and appendix.

Annex I

The subset(s) of the paediatric population and condition(s) covered by the waiver and the measures and timelines of the agreed paediatric investigation plan (PIP)

1. Waiver

1.1. Condition

Treatment of psoriasis

The waiver applies to:

- the paediatric population from birth to less than 6 years of age;
- solution for injection, for subcutaneous use;
- on the grounds that the specific medicinal product does not represent a significant therapeutic benefit over existing treatments.

2. Paediatric Investigation Plan

2.1. Condition

Treatment of psoriasis

2.1.1. Indication(s) targeted by the PIP

Treatment of psoriasis

2.1.2. Subset(s) of the paediatric population concerned by the paediatric development

From 6 to less than 18 years of age

2.1.3. Pharmaceutical form(s)

Solution for injection

2.1.4. Studies

Area	Number of studies	Description
Quality	1	**Study 1** Development of prefilled syringe presentations to accommodate weight strata subcutaneous (SC) dosing in children
Non-clinical	2	**Study 2** Repeat-Dose Fertility Study to investigate the potential effects of Ixekizumab **Study 3** PPND Toxicity Study to evaluate development of the F1 offspring, including the immune system, following in utero exposure to Ixekizumab

Clinical	1	**Study 4** Study moved to EMEA-001050-PIP02-18 **Study 5** Study deleted in EMEA-001050-PIP01-10-M03 **Study 6 (I1F-MC-RHCD)** Multicentre, double-blind, randomized, active- and placebo-controlled study to evaluate safety, tolerability, and efficacy of Ixekizumab in patients from 6 to less than 18 years of age with plaque psoriasis

3. Follow-up, completion and deferral of PIP

Concerns on potential long term safety issues in relation to paediatric use:	Yes
Date of completion of the paediatric investigation plan:	By July 2023
Deferral for one or more studies contained in the paediatric investigation plan:	Yes

Annex II

Information about the authorised medicinal product

Condition(s) and authorised indication(s):

1. Treatment of psoriasis

Authorised indication(s):

- Plaque psoriasis

  Taltz is indicated for the treatment of moderate to severe plaque psoriasis in adults who are candidates for systemic therapy.

- Psoriatic arthritis

  Taltz, alone or in combination with methotrexate, is indicated for the treatment of active psoriatic arthritis in adult patients who have responded inadequately to, or who are intolerant to one or more disease-modifying anti-rheumatic drug (DMARD) therapies.

Authorised pharmaceutical form(s):

Solution for injection in pre-filled syringe

Authorised route(s) of administration:

Subcutaneous