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## Sun Pharma announces USFDA approval for generic Uroxatral® ER Tablets

Company gets 180 day marketing exclusivity on first-to-file ANDA with para IV certification

Mumbai, July 19, 2011: Sun Pharmaceutical Industries Ltd. (Reuters: SUN.BO, Bloomberg: SUNP IN, NSE: SUNPHARMA, BSE: 524715) announced that USFDA has granted its subsidiary an approval for its Abbreviated New Drug Application (ANDA) to market a generic version of Uroxatral<sup>®</sup> ER, alfuzosin hydrochloride extended release tablets.

Sun Pharma, being the first-to file an ANDA for generic Uroxatral® ER with a para IV certification, received a 180 day marketing exclusivity.

These alfuzosin hydrochloride 10 mg tablets are therapeutically equivalent to Uroxatal Extended Release<sup>®</sup> tablets from sanofi-aventis. Alfuzosin hydrochloride extended release tablets have annual sales of approximately USD 250 million in US.

Alfuzosin is an alpha 1 blocker for the treatment of signs and symptoms of benign prostatic hyperplasia.

Uroxatral <sup>®</sup> is a registered trademark of Sanofi-Aventis U.S. LLC.

## **About Sun Pharmaceutical Industries Ltd.**

Established in 1983, listed since 1994 and headquartered in India, Sun Pharmaceutical Industries Ltd. (Reuters: SUN.BO, Bloomberg: SUNP IN, NSE: SUNPHARMA, BSE: 524715) is an international, integrated, speciality pharmaceutical company. It manufactures and markets a large basket of pharmaceutical formulations as branded generics as well as generics in India, US and several other markets across the world. In India, the company is a leader in niche therapy areas of psychiatry, neurology, cardiology, diabetology, gastroenterology, and orthopedics. The company has strong skills in product development, process chemistry, and manufacturing of complex API, as well as dosage forms. More information about the company can be found at www.sunpharma.com.

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