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To

THE SUN PHARMA

MUMBAI

**Subject: Prolong use of Proton Pump inhibitors (In my case 11Years) and its side effects.**

Dear sir,

I am a patient of GERD with Barrett`s from long time (Approximate from 25 years). **Eleven years ago**, I was vomited with blood. After that a Gastroenterologist do U GI Endoscopy and found many ulcers in ESOPHAGUS and diagnose **GERD WITH** **BARRETT`S AND LARGE HIATUS HERNIA**. My treatment was started with **20mg Rabeprazole one OD** with some other medicines. From that time **(January 2012)** to till date I am still on the daily dose of different type of Proton Pump inhibitors, which was Prescribed by my Gastroenterologist. **Now I am taking** **SOMPRAZ-L ONE OD DAILY from last two years**.

In the mean while I was operated on 14/08/2015 (**Fundoplication and Hiatus Hernia repair done**). But the problem of GERD, Barrett`s and Hiatus Hernia is not resolve.

Now I know from your literature that the administration of **SOMPRAZ-L** is only for short time uses.

**I want to know from you, about the probable side effect of long term uses (**More than 10 years in my case**) of this drug i.e. SOMPRAZ-L ONE OD DAILY. Please advise me.**

**Thanking you**

**Yours faithfully**

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