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Board to consider Buyback of equity shares

Dear Sirs,

With reference to the earlier announcement dated May 18, 2016, regarding intimation of the Board meeting to be held on May 26, 2016, the Board will also consider a proposal for Buyback of the Company's equity shares, constitution of buyback committee, and appointment of intermediaries in accordance with all applicable provisions of laws.

This is for your information.

Thanking you

Yours sincerely, For Novartis India Limited,

Monaz Noble Chief Financial Officer Girish Tekchandani Company Secretary & Compliance Officer