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To whom it may concern,

## RE: Safety Data Sheets for Fresenius Kabi Canada Ltd. products

This letter is to communicate to interested parties that pharmaceutical products and medical devices of the Fresenius Kabi Canada Ltd. portfolio, do not legislatively require a Safety Data Sheet (herein referred to as "SDS") as defined under the <u>Hazardous Products Act</u> (HPA) and <u>Hazardous Products Regulations</u> (HPR) requirements of Canada. Such exemption is listed within the "Non-Application of Part II" of the Act.

In 2015, the Government of Canada published the Hazardous Products Regulation (HPR), which along with the amended Hazardous Products Act (HPA) updated the Workplace Hazardous Materials Information System (WHMIS). Under the WHMIS 2015 legislation, the following categories of products continue to be exempted from the requirement of maintaining an SDS:

Explosives (as defined in the Explosives Act), <u>Cosmetics, devices, drugs or</u> <u>foods (as defined in the Food and Drugs Act)</u>, Pest control products (as defined in the Pest Control Products Act), Consumer products (as defined in the Canada Consumer Product Safety Act), Wood or wood products; Tobacco or tobacco products (as defined in the Tobacco Act), Nuclear substance that is radioactive (as defined in the Nuclear Safety and Control Act), Manufactured articles, Hazardous waste; refers to hazardous product that is sold for recycling/recovery and is intended for disposal

The labelling pertinent to these products is covered under other legislative requirements, namely for drugs and medical devices, it is the Food and Drugs Act.

Fresenius Kabi Canada Ltd. is committed to continuously providing patients and healthcare professionals with the applicable and legislatively required handling requirements through the product labelling in addition to concise and current information on the products and devices it sells as per the Food and Drugs Act of Canada. Product labelling is available for all products accordingly.

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Further information on the requirements and exemptions of the <u>Hazardous Products Act</u> (HPA) and <u>Hazardous Products Regulations</u> (HPR) can be garnered on the following webpages:

**Workplace Hazardous Materials Information System (WHMIS)** 

https://www.canada.ca/en/health-canada/services/environmental-workplace-health/occupational-health-safety/workplace-hazardous-materials-information-system/frequently-asked-questions.html

Thank you for the continued interest in our product portfolio.

Sincerely,

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