



## ***Commentary***

### **Interim Revision Announcements proposed in: *Pharmacopeial Forum* 43(1) [Jan.–Feb. 2017]**

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**Comments were received for the following IRAs, when they were proposed in *Pharmacopeial Forum*:**

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| <b>Monograph/Sections:</b> | Sulindac Tablets/Multiple Sections |
| <b>Expert Committee:</b>   | Chemical Medicine Monographs 2     |
| <b>No. of Commenters:</b>  | 1                                  |

**Comment Summary #1:** The commenter recommended revising the impurity profile to be consistent with what has been approved by the FDA

**Response:** Comment not incorporated. The Expert Committee will consider future revisions to the monograph upon receipt of necessary supporting data.

**Comment Summary #2:** The commenter recommended adding the storage temperature –controlled room temperature in the *Package and Storage*

**Response:** Comment not incorporated. The Expert Committee will consider future revisions to the monograph.