

Antengene Announces XPOVIO® Regulatory Approval in Hong Kong for the Treatment of Relapsed and/or Refractory Multiple Myeloma

- XPOVIO (selinexor) is the **first and only XPO1 inhibitor** approved in **Hong Kong**
- XPOVIO* has received regulatory approvals in 41 countries and regions including the United States, Israel, the United Kingdom, the European Union (the 27 member countries including France and Italy), Canada, Norway, Iceland, Lichtenstein, South Korea, mainland of China, Taiwan China, Hong Kong China, Singapore, Australia and Northern Ireland.

Shanghai and Hong Kong, PRC, July 17, 2023 — Antengene Corporation Limited ("Antengene" SEHK: 6996. HK), leading innovative. a biopharmaceutical company dedicated to commercial-stage global developing and commercializing first-in-class and/or best-in-class therapeutics in hematology and oncology, today announced that the Department of Health, the Government of the Hong Kong Special Administrative Region (HKSAR) has approved a New Drug Application (NDA) for XPOVIO (selinexor), applicable in combination with dexamethasone (Xd), for the treatment of adult patients with relapsed and/or refractory multiple myeloma (R/R MM) who have received at least four prior therapies and whose disease is refractory to at least two proteasome inhibitors (PIs), two immunomodulatory agents (IMiDs), an anti-CD38 monoclonal antibody, and who have demonstrated disease progression on the last therapy.

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XPOVIO is the world's first oral selective inhibitor of the nuclear

export protein (XPO1), with regulatory approvals in 41 countries and

regions including the United States, Israel, the United Kingdom, the

European Union (the 27 member countries including France and Italy),

Canada, Norway, Iceland, Lichtenstein, South Korea, mainland of China,

Taiwan China, Hong Kong China, Singapore, Australia and Northern

Ireland. To date, 6 XPOVIO regimens received a total of 27 inclusions

into 7 clinical guidelines of major oncology societies in the U.S.,

the EU, and APAC, including:

• 5 regimens for the treatment of myeloma and 1 regimen for the

treatment of lymphoma added to the guidelines of the National Cancer

Care Network (NCCN)

• 4 regimens for the treatment of myeloma and 1 regimen for the

treatment of lymphoma added to the guidelines of the Chinese Society

of Clinical Oncology (CSCO)

• 5 regimens for the treatment of myeloma added to the guidelines for

the Diagnosis and Management of First Relapsed Multiple Myeloma in

China

• 4 regimens for the treatment of myeloma added to the guidelines for

the Diagnosis and Management of Multiple Myeloma in China

4 regimens for the treatment of myeloma added to the China Anti-

Cancer Association's Guidelines for the Holistic Integrative

Management of Cancers (CACA)

• 2 regimens for the treatment of myeloma added to the guidelines of

the European Society of Medical Oncology (ESMO)

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ullet 1 regimen for the treatment of myeloma added to the guidelines of

the International Myeloma Working Group (IMWG)

"Antengene is very pleased to receive regulatory approval for XPOVIO"

in Hong Kong. Despite recent advances in the treatment of R/R MM, there

remains an unmet need to extend survival for patients with this life-

threatening disease and the approval of XPOVIO* presents Hong Kong

patients with access to a novel therapy in their treatment of R/R MM.

We will continue to build out Antengene's presence across APAC markets

and strive to expand the indications of XPOVIO® in Hong Kong and the

broader APAC region, in efforts to bring renewed hope to more cancer

patients." said Thomas Karalis, Antengene's Corporate Vice President,

Head of Asia Pacific Region.

"I am pleased that XPOVIO" has become the first and only XPO1 inhibitor

approved for the treatment of R/R MM in Hong Kong," said Dr. Jay Mei,

Antengene's Founder, Chairman and CEO. Dr. Mei continued, "the

Company's Named Patient Program (NPP), a growing group of

investigator-sponsored studies and ongoing advisory boards have helped

us to ready the path for the successful adoption of XPOVIO in Hong

Kong. Moving forward, we will establish access to ASEAN markets that

have a total population exceeding 600 million. To date, Antengene has

successfully submitted NDAs in Macau China, Thailand, Malaysia and

Indonesia."

About Multiple Myeloma

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Multiple myeloma (MM) is caused by the dysregulated proliferation of

plasma cells. It is the second most common hematologic malignancy in

many countries. Despite availability of a number of treatments for

relapsed patients, MM is prone to relapse and most patients still

succumb to their disease. MM is the second most common hematologic

malignancy in China, with an estimated about 15,000 to 20,000 new MM

patients and 10,300 deaths per year.

About XPOVIO (selinexor)

XPOVIO[®] is the world's first approved orally-available, selective

inhibitor of the nuclear export protein XPO1. It offers a novel

mechanism of action, synergistic effects in combination regimens, fast

onset of action, and durable responses.

By blocking the nuclear export protein XPO1, XPOVIO* can promote the

intranuclear accumulation and activation of tumor suppressor proteins

and growth regulating proteins, and down-regulate the levels of

multiple oncogenic proteins. XPOVIO* delivers its antitumor effects

through three mechanistic pathways: 1) exerting antitumor effects by

inducing the intranuclear accumulation of tumor suppressor proteins;

2) reducing the level of oncogenic proteins in the cytoplasm by

inducing the intranuclear accumulation of oncogenic mRNAs; 3) restoring

hormone sensitivity by activating the glucocorticoid receptors (GR)

pathway. To utilize its unique mechanism of actions, XPOVIO* is being

evaluated for use in multiple combination regimens in a range of

indications. At present, Antengene is conducting 8 clinical studies of

XPOVIO[®] in mainland of China for the treatment of relapsed/refractory

hematologic malignancies and solid tumors (3 of these studies are being

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jointly conducted by Antengene and Karyopharm Therapeutics Inc.

[Nasdaq:KPTI]).

XPOVIO is approved in South Korea for the following two indications:

• In combination with dexamethasone for the treatment of adult

patients with relapsed or refractory multiple myeloma (R/R MM) who have

received at least four prior therapies and whose disease is refractory

to at least two proteasome inhibitors, at least two immunomodulatory

agents, and an anti-CD38 monoclonal antibody.

• As a monotherapy for the treatment of adult patients with

relapsed or refractory diffuse large B-cell lymphoma (R/R DLBCL), not

otherwise specified, including DLBCL arising from follicular lymphoma,

after at least 2 lines of systemic therapy.

XPOVIO is approved in mainland of China for the following indication:

• In combination with dexamethasone for the treatment of adult

patients with relapsed or refractory multiple myeloma (R/R MM) who have

received prior therapies and whose disease is refractory to at least

one proteasome inhibitor, at least one immunomodulatory agent, and an

anti-CD38 monoclonal antibody.

XPOVIO is approved in Taiwan China for the following three indications:

• In combination with dexamethasone (Xd) for the treatment of

adult patients with relapsed or refractory multiple myeloma (R/R MM)

who have received at least four prior therapies and whose disease is

refractory to at least two proteasome inhibitors (PIs), at least two

immunomodulatory agents (IMiDs), and an anti-CD38 monoclonal antibody.

• In combination with bortezomib and dexamethasone (XVd) for the

treatment of adult patients with MM who have received at least one

prior therapy.

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As a monotherapy for the treatment of adult patients with

relapsed or refractory diffuse large B-cell lymphoma (R/R DLBCL) , not

otherwise specified, including DLBCL arising from follicular lymphoma,

after at least 2 lines of systemic therapy.

XPOVIO is approved in Hong Kong China, for the following indication:

• In combination with dexamethasone for the treatment of adult

patients with relapsed or refractory multiple myeloma (R/R MM) who have

received at least four prior therapies and whose disease is refractory

to at least two proteasome inhibitors (PIs), two immunomodulatory

agents (IMiDs), an anti-CD38 monoclonal antibody (mAb), and who have

demonstrated disease progression on the last therapy.

XPOVIO is approved in Australia for the following two indications:

In combination with bortezomib and dexamethasone (XVd) for the

treatment of adult patients with multiple myeloma (MM) who have

received at least one prior therapy.

• In combination with dexamethasone (Xd) for the treatment of

adult patients with relapsed or refractory multiple myeloma (R/R MM)

who have received at least three prior therapies and whose disease is

refractory to at least one proteasome inhibitor (PI), at least one

immunomodulatory agent (IMiD), and an anti-CD38 monoclonal antibody

(mAb).

XPOVIO is approved in Singapore for the following three indications:

In combination with bortezomib and dexamethasone for treatment

of adult patients with multiple myeloma (MM) who have received at least

one prior therapy.

• In combination with dexamethasone for the treatment of adult

patients with relapsed or refractory multiple myeloma (R/R MM) who have

received at least four prior therapies and whose disease is refractory

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to at least two proteasome inhibitors, at least two immunomodulatory

agents, and an anti-CD38 monoclonal antibody.

· As a monotherapy for the treatment of adult patients with

relapsed or refractory diffuse large B-cell lymphoma (R/R DLBCL), not

otherwise specified, including DLBCL arising from follicular lymphoma,

after at least 2 lines of systemic therapy who are not eligible for

haematopoietic cell transplant.

About Antengene

Antengene Corporation Limited ("Antengene", SEHK: 6996.HK) is a leading commercial-stage R&D-driven global biopharmaceutical company

focused on the discovery, development, manufacturing and commercialization of innovative first-in-class/best-in-class therapeutics for the treatment of hematologic malignancies and solid

tumors, in realizing its vision of "Treating Patients Beyond Borders".

Since 2017, Antengene has built a pipeline of 9 oncology assets at

various stages going from clinical to commercial, including 6 with global rights, and 3 with rights for the APAC region. To date, Antengene has obtained 29 investigational new drug (IND) approvals in the U.S.

and Asia, and submitted 10 new drug applications (NDAs) in multiple Asia Pacific markets, with the NDA for XPOVIO® (selinexor) already

approved in Mainland of China, Taiwan China, Hong Kong China, South

Korea, Singapore and Australia.

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Reference

[1]. Statistics released by the International Myeloma Foundation at https://www.myeloma.org/

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