

Acronyms and Abbreviations

AGCM	Autorità Garante della Concorrenza e del Mercato
ANDA	Abbreviated New Drug Application
Art.	Article
CDK inhibitor	Cyclin dependent kinase inhibitor
CI	Clinical Investigation
C.F.R.	Code of Federal Regulation
CJEU	Court of Justice of the European Union
D.C.	District Court
DCP	Decentralized Procedure
EC	European Community
ECJ	European Court of Justice
EMA	European Medicines Agency
EFPIA	European Federation of Pharmaceutical Industries and Associations
EPC	European Patent Convention
EPO	European Patent Office
FDA	Food and Drug Administration
FDLI	Food and Drug Law Institute
Fed. Cir.	Federal Circuit
Ger.	Germany
HIV	Human Immunodeficiency Virus
ICA	Italian Competition Authority
IP	Intellectual Property
It.	Italy
MRP	Mutual Recognition Procedure
NCE	New Chemical Entity
NDA	New Drug Application
NHS	National Health System
O.J.	Official Journal
PGF_{2a}	Prostaglandin F2 alpha
SPC	Supplementary Protection Certificate
R.	Rule
R&D	Research and Development
TRIPs	Agreement on Trade-Related Aspects of Intellectual Property Rights, Apr. 15, 1994, Marrakesh Agreement Establishing the World Trade Organization, Annex 1C, THE LEGAL TEXTS: THE RESULTS OF THE URUGUAY ROUND OF MULTILATERAL TRADE NEGOTIATIONS 320 (1999), 1869 U.N.T.S. 299, 33 I.L.M. 1197 (1994)
UK	United Kingdom

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U.S.	United States of America
U.S.C.	United States Code
USPTO	United States Patent and Trademark Office