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American Regent Increases Production of Furosemide Injection, USP

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Shirley, NY (June 2, 2010) – Due to the ongoing critical shortage of Furosemide Injection, USP, in the United States, American Regent, Inc. is increasing its production of the product to help alleviate near term shortages following backorders from other manufacturers.

American Regent is committed to providing the US market with additional quantities of Furosemide Injection, USP, to help address the critical shortage until the marketplace stabilizes.

American Regent does not, however, have sufficient capacity to supply Furosemide Injection, USP, to meet the requirements for the entire US market. Another loop diuretic Torsemide Injection, is available from American Regent.

Please contact your local wholesaler/distributor to place orders or for information regarding product availability or drop shipment requests. You may also contact American Regent's Customer Service department at 800-645-1706 or by e-mail at inquiry@americanregent.com.

Furosemide Injection, USP, 10mg/mL, is available in the following sizes:

NDC# 0517-5702-25, 20 mg/2 mL; 2 mL Single Dose Vials; Shelf Packs of 25
NDC# 0517-5704-25, 40 mg/4 mL; 4 mL Single Dose Vials; Shelf Packs of 25
NDC# 0517-5710-25, 100 mg/10 mL; 10 mL Single Dose Vials; Shelf Packs of 25

Torsemide Injection, 10mg/mL, is available in the following sizes:

NDC# 0517-0770-10, 20 mg/2 mL; 2 mL Single Dose Vials; Shelf Packs of 10
NDC# 0517-0771-10, 50 mg/5 mL; 5 mL Single Dose Vials; Shelf Packs of 10

Headquartered in Shirley, NY, American Regent, Inc. distributes over 80 pharmaceutical products under the PharmaForce or their own label, including Venofer® (iron sucrose injection, USP), the #1 selling IV iron therapy in the U.S. For more information about these or other American Regent products, please visit us at www.americanregent.com.

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