ANNEXURE –II

QUESTIONNAIRE FOR MEDICOS

1) Your perspective about the level of awareness on the enforcement of intellectual property rights protection and its strategic importance in medical fraternity: (Please tick(✓) from the following whichever you feel is true).
   a) Very low
   b) Low
   c) High
   d) Very High

2) Do you think that medical fraternity takes interest in understanding of changing intellectual property regime specially when it has significant implication on drug prices?
   Yes
   No
   Do not know

3) Considering the standard of living and large number of people living below the poverty line do you think price is one of the essential factor considered by you in prescribing medicine?
   Yes
   No
   Not Sure

4) Do you think that the new Intellectual Property Rights regime which recognizes product patent in India will have direct impact on drug prices?
   Yes
   No
   Can not say
5) Do you think Intellectual Property (IP) protection is now considered as one of the strategic element post-2005 by majority of companies in Indian Pharma Industry:

Yes ☐

No ☐

Still many companies are ignoring IP Protection as an important strategic element ☐

6) Kindly go through the statements below and put a tick mark (✓) in the appropriate box against each statement as per your opinion:

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7) Do you think government institutions will play an important role in determining the fate of the Indian Pharmaceutical Industry?

Yes ☐

No ☐

Can not say

8) Please explain briefly about your perception on the impact of product patent regime on the public health concern.


(9) Your name, Experience(no. of years) and City (Optional):


THANK YOU