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To Graeme Robertson  
Director Access Operations & Emerging Markets  
Gilead Sciences Europe Ltd.

Dear Graeme,

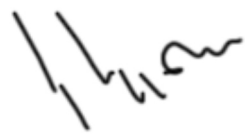
According to the Georgian legislation the conditions for the storage of the medicinal products are regulated with the “law of Georgia on the medicines and pharmaceutical activities” and relevant legislative acts, and are as follows:

- 1) Space of the storage, planning and technical equipment should be in accordance with international and national regulations.
- 2) The storage conditions should ensure safety of the medications from the external negative damages: light, humidity, evaporation, high/low temperature and natural gases.
- 3) Management of remnants of the pharmaceutical products according to the legislation: accounting, safe segregation, collection, storage and utilization.
- 4) Technical equipment for storage, shelving and distribution of pharmaceutical products.

In addition to the abovementioned requirements, because of the high market value of medicines, we deem necessary that the storage facility should be ensured with 24/7 armed security and surveillance. Such requirements are met by some of the warehouses, but as currently through Central warehouse of Ministry of Internal Affairs of Georgia the storage and distribution of narcotics – morphine is undertaken, and the warehouse of of LEPL “Center for mental health and prevention of addiction” ensures storage of methadone supply, The safety of the Warehouses are ensured by armed security units and are equipped with alarms, security signalization of perimeter, video surveillance, vibration and smoke detectors and both are governmental owned entities we can recommend these 2:

- 1) Central warehouse of Ministry of Internal Affairs of Georgia (#5 Kisikhi st., Tbilisi Georgia)
- 2) Warehouse of LEPL “Center for mental health and prevention of addiction” (#21a Kavtaradze st., Tbilisi, Georgia,).

Minister

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