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Subject: RE: HSR Form Item 5 & 7

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see responses below in bracketed all caps. PNPM #190 also speaks to these issues.

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Hi Timothy – I have a general question related to completing Items 5 and 7 of the HSR Form with regard to manufacturing codes.

For Item 5, the instructions indicate to only submit data at the 10-digit product code level for manufacturing codes. Can you please confirm that it is not necessary to provide aggregate revenue at the 6-digit code level for manufacturing codes? [CONFIRMED]

Additionally, if there is an overlap for the 10-digit code, do we check the overlap box? [YES, CHECK THE OVERLAP BOX IN ITEM 5] I'm unclear on that issue based on this sentence of the instructions – "If there is only a 6-digit overlap in a manufacturing code in Item 7, do not check the Overlap box for a related 10-digit code in Item 5." Does this mean if there is overlap at the 6-digit manufacturing code level but not at the 10-digit code level, that you only report the overlap in Item 7, but you do not check the overlap box for Item 5? [YES]

Thank you for your help!

Best regards,