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The following statement was provided by Allergan, Inc. (we) in response to media inquiries regarding the presentation made by Valeant Pharmaceuticals International, Inc. (Valeant) on July 18, 2014:

Valeant continues to cherry pick data that fails to provide analysts and investors with the financial information necessary to truly evaluate Bausch & Lomb 's performance. Valeant 's latest attempt to hide the ball appears to involve focusing investors on growth from medical device products rather than on pharmaceutical products that continue to stagnate or decline. We believe that if Valeant really wants to provide the financial community with a more accurate picture of Bausch & Lomb 's performance, Valeant will disclose more data points to the market than just organic growth that has once again been redefined and broadened, including Bausch & Lomb 's sales by segment, market share, price and volume. We continue to be concerned that Valeant may go to extremes to show growth at any cost, including inventory builds and aggressive rebating. Investors will need to see Valeant 's same store price and volume growth rates over several quarters in order to understand the appropriate context and support for the growth they have suggested has occurred at Bausch & Lomb.