

## EA Pharma licenses rights to AJT-240 in China to Tasly Pharmaceutical

Torreya advised EA Pharma on the license of AJT-240

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EA Pharmaceutical Co., Ltd., the gastrointestinal disease area subsidiary of Eisai Co., Ltd., signed a licensing agreement for the commercialization of AJT-240 in China with Tasly Pharmaceutical Group, Co. AJT-240 is an allosteric modifier for calcium sensing receptors to treat secondary hyperparathyroidism caused by end-stage renal impairment and hemodialysis. AJT-240 has completed multicenter clinical phase I/II(a) clinical trials. Tasly will carry out development, manufacturing and commercialization of AJT-240 in Greater China. EA Pharma will receive \$3 million in upfront payment and \$21 million in development milestones, as well as 10% royalty payments based on annual net sales.

Hypertension and diabetes mellitus are the main causes of chronic kidney disease, and the pathological development of chronic kidney disease can also cause complications of chronic diseases such as hypertension and diabetes. AJT240 will help enrich Tasly's existing diabetes, cardiovascular and cerebrovascular related therapeutic product portfolio, and further expand the entire product pipeline for chronic disease market.

Torreya served as financial advisor to EA pharma on this transaction. This transaction reinforces Torreya's strength and leadership position as an advisor in the China market. Torreya has advised on 12 strategic and financing transactions in the life sciences industry in 2018 year to date.

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### ABOUT TASLY PHARMACEUTICAL GROUP, CO.

For more information about Tasly Pharmaceutical Group, Co., please see: [www.taslyint.com](http://www.taslyint.com)

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