Via Facsimile and U.S. Mail Mail Stop 6010

January 28, 2008

Ms. Carolyn J. Logan President and Chief Executive Officer Salix Pharmaceuticals, Ltd. 1700 Perimeter Park Drive Morrisville, North Carolina 27560

Re: Salix Pharmaceuticals, Ltd.

Form 10-K for Fiscal Year Ended December 31, 2006 Filed March 15, 2007 Form 10-Q for the Period Ended September 30, 2007

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Dear Ms. Logan:

We have completed our review of your Forms 10-K and 10-Q and have no further comments at this time.

Sincerely,

Suzanne Hayes Branch Chief