

## **Qualified Person (QP) Eligibility Interviews – 8<sup>th</sup> October 2004**

The purpose of the interview was to assess knowledge and understanding of the duties of the QP, relevant legislation and Good Manufacturing Practice (GMP).

Following a call for applications, 5 applications were received from individuals interested in attaining QP eligibility. 4 applicants were short-listed and invited to attend for an interview. All 4 applicants turned up for the interview.

QP Eligibility Interviews were held on the 8<sup>th</sup> October at the Medicines Authority.

<b>Applications received</b>	<b>Applicants accepted for interview</b>	<b>Attended the interview</b>	<b>Did not attend</b>	<b>Determined as eligible</b>	<b>Determined as not eligible</b>
5	4	4	NA	4	1

The people who were interviewed have been notified of the Medicines Authority's decision and their eligibility to act as a QP and if not considered eligible the reasons for this decision.

The companies that have already submitted an application naming a QP have been notified of the eligibility of their nominee and the approval of that person to act as QP on their licence.

The holder of a licence may apply to name an eligible person to act as QP. This application will be considered by the Medicines Authority with regards to the particular knowledge and experience of the nominee and the nature of the licence.

A person cannot act as a QP unless approved on a manufacturer's/importer's licence.