

## Washington, D.C. 20549

**Form 6-K**

**REPORT OF FOREIGN PRIVATE ISSUER PURSUANT TO SECTION 13a-16 OR 15d-16 UNDER THE SECURITIES  
EXCHANGE ACT OF 1934**

April 27, 2020

**001-36686**  
**(Commission file number)**

# Forward Pharma A/S

(Translation of registrant's name into English)

**Østergade 24A, 1st Floor**  
**1100 Copenhagen K, Denmark**  
 (Address of principal executive office)

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**Item 1.            Company Presentation**

On April 27, 2020, Forward Pharma A/S (the “Company”) made available an updated investor presentation on its website. A copy of the investor presentation is attached hereto as Exhibit 99.1.

The fact that this presentation is being made available and filed herewith should not be deemed an admission as to the materiality of any information contained in the materials. The information contained in the presentation is being provided as of April 27, 2020 and the Company does not undertake any obligation to update the presentation in the future or to update forward-looking statements to reflect subsequent actual results.

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**SIGNATURE**

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, the registrant has duly caused this report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned, thereunto duly authorized.

Date: April 27, 2020

Forward Pharma A/S

By: /s/ Claus Bo Svendsen

Name: Claus Bo Svendsen

Title: Chief Executive Officer

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## Forward Pharma Investor Slides

*(Nasdaq:FWP)*

April 27, 2020



**Claus Bo Svendsen, MD, PhD**  
**Chief Executive Officer**

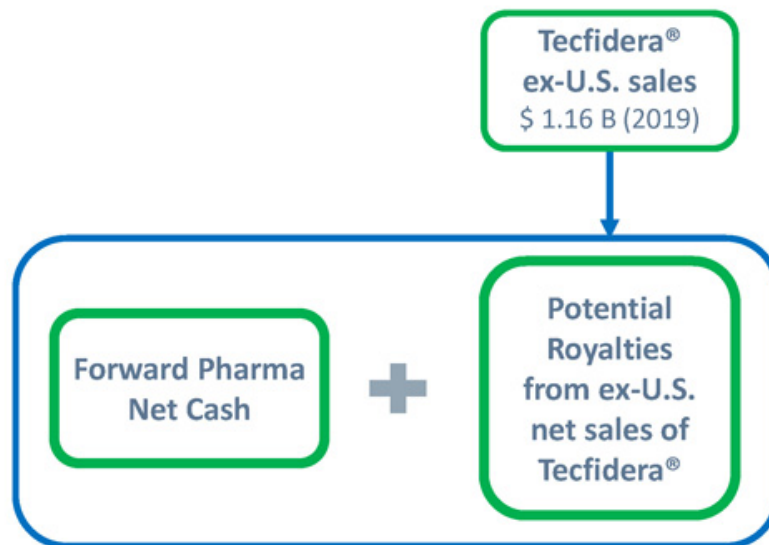
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We are providing this information as of the date of this presentation and do not undertake any obligation to update any forward-looking statements contained in this presentation as a result of new information, future events or otherwise.

- Business optimized to support ongoing IP strategy and continuing obligations per Settlement and License Agreement
- Tecfidera® (DMF) remains a leading therapy for multiple sclerosis
- FWP has IP-gated access to future royalties on Tecfidera® sales outside the U.S. (FY2019: \$ 1.16 B)
  - Irrevocable license to all DMF IP granted to Biogen in January 2017
  - Potential future royalties on Tecfidera® net sales outside the U.S. dependent on outcome of appeal of Opposition Division decision on the EP 2 801 355 (EP'355) patent validity

# Share Value Drivers under the Settlement and License Agreement



Not meant to be comprehensive; size of boxes is arbitrary and not meant to illustrate comparative differences in amounts. Appropriate risk-adjustment should be applied. Potential investors and current shareholders are strongly urged to read the Settlement and License Agreement in its entirety as well as our Annual Report on Form 20-F for the year ended December 31, 2019, where risk factors are identified and described in detail.



# Balance Sheet and Operating Results

## Balance Sheet<sup>#</sup>

	At December 31, 2019 USD '000s
Cash	\$ 77,598
Other assets	567
<b>Total assets</b>	<b>78,165</b>
<b>Total shareholder equity</b>	<b>77,569</b>
<b>Total liabilities</b>	<b>596</b>
<b>Total shareholder equity and liabilities</b>	<b>\$ 78,165</b>

## Operating Results<sup>#</sup>

	Year ended December 31, 2019 USD '000s
Revenue	\$ -
Operating expenses*	(5,283)
Other income	1,062
<b>Net loss</b>	<b>\$ (4,221)</b>

\* Includes non-cash share-based compensation of \$ 2.1 million

- Staff of 4 employees, including 2 part-time employees (all in Management and Finance function)
- **Share information** (per April 24, 2020)
  - Closing price per ADS: \$ 6.69
  - Market Cap: \$ 45.4 M
  - Number of issued shares: 95,073,864, of which ~24% are listed as American Depositary Shares (ADS) (*Ticker: FWP*) / 1 ADS represents 14 shares

<sup>#</sup> Based on (i) condensed consolidated statement of Forward Pharma's financial position as of December 31, 2019 and condensed consolidated statement of profit or loss for 12-month period ended December 31, 2019. See Form 20-F dated April 24, 2020

# Potential Royalties on Tecfidera® Net Sales outside the U.S.

## Gating event

If we prevail in the EP'355 Opposition Proceeding, including any appeals, and as a result thereof obtain issuance of a patent with a claim that covers treatment for MS by orally administering 480 mg per day of DMF

Negative  
Outcome

No Royalties  
payable

Positive Outcome

January 1, 2021 until December 31, 2028:  
January 1, 2029 and after:

Royalty

10%

20%

- Royalties are payable on a country-by-country basis on DMF-containing products indicated for MS that, but for the Settlement and License Agreement, would infringe a Forward licensed patent and subject to, among other things, expiration or invalidation of the patents or impact of generic entry on a country-by-country basis, as defined in the Settlement and License Agreement
- Assuming that the EP'355 patent is ultimately maintained following the final conclusion of the Opposition Proceeding, including any appeals, the patent has a maximum duration until October 2025 (subject to possible SPC extension until January 2029 on a country-by-country basis, as discussed in the Annual Report on Form 20-F for the year ended December 31, 2019).

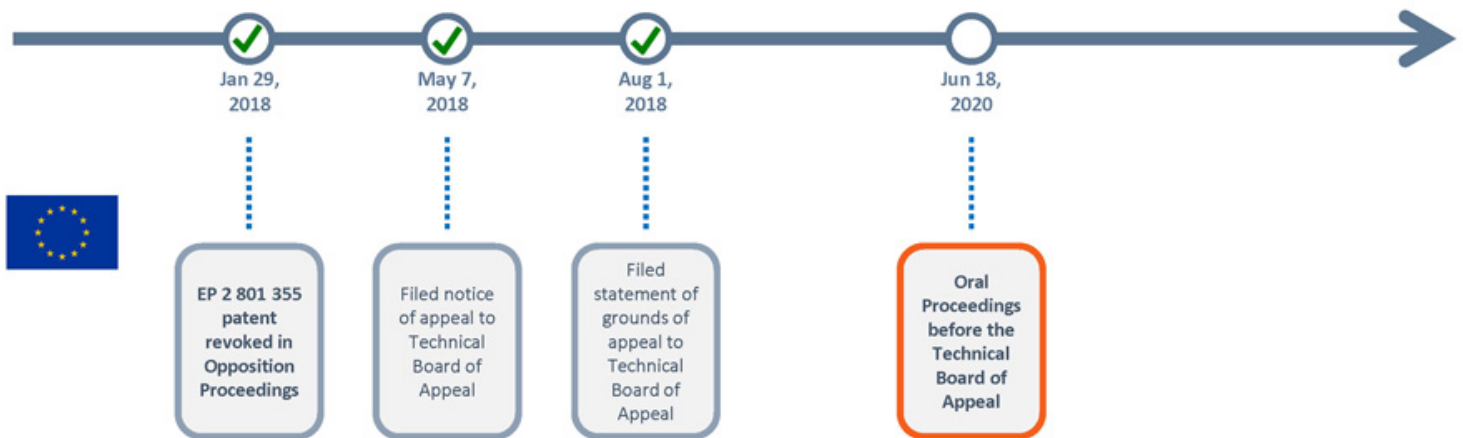
The summary of the Settlement and License Agreement in this presentation does not purport to be complete and is subject to, and qualified in its entirety by, the full text of the Settlement and License Agreement, which is available on Forward's website. Potential investors and current shareholders are strongly urged to read the Settlement and License Agreement in its entirety as well as our Annual Report on Form 20-F for the year ended December 31, 2019.

If Forward obtains a Relevant Patent in the European EP'355 opposition proceeding including all appeals therefrom, and can show on a country-by-country basis outside the U.S. that Tecfidera® infringes a valid licensed patent, royalties may be payable. In Europe, there are presently four patents and patent applications with potentially royalty-bearing claims.

	Application Number	Description
Europe	EP14172398.1 (Pat. No. EP 2 801 355)	Treating MS with 480 mg/day of DMF wherein the pH controlled release compositions have an enteric coat <b>Revoked by Opposition Division – January 29, 2018</b> <b>Appeal filed – May 7, 2018</b>
	EP15166243.4 (Pat. No. EP 2 965 751)	Treating MS with 480-600 mg fumaric acid esters (including DMF)/day where the composition releases fumaric acid esters depending on pH. <b>Application pending</b>
	EP14172396.5 (Pat. No. EP 2 792 349)	Controlled release composition of DMF for use in treating hyperproliferative, inflammatory or autoimmune disorders other than psoriasis with 480 mg/day <b>Application pending</b>
	EP16001391.8 (Pat. No. EP 3 093 012)	Controlled release pharmaceutical composition comprising DMF in an amount of 50-90% by weight <b>Application pending</b>

A Relevant Patent is a patent that covers treatment for MS by orally administering 480 mg per day of DMF.

## Timeline for the appeal of the first instance decision in the EP 2 801 355 Opposition Proceedings



Dates represent current estimates of the timeline; a green tick mark signifies actual date of completed event. The June 18, 2020 oral proceedings of the Technical Board of Appeal (TBA) may be delayed as a result of the ongoing novel coronavirus 2019 (COVID-19) pandemic and, if the proceedings are delayed, a new date is currently unknown. If the ruling of the TBA is favorable, we expect the TBA to remit the case to the Opposition Division to resolve the remaining elements of the original opposition. We estimate this process to take approximately two to three years. Documents can be located through <https://register.epo.org/regviewer>

# European EP 2 801 355 Opposition Proceeding

- EP 2 801 355 patent granted by European Patent Office (EPO) on May 20, 2015
- Subject to several oppositions filed with the EPO by third parties (including Biogen)
- On January 29, 2018, the Opposition Division (OD) of the EPO revoked the EP 2 801 355 patent
- Appeal of the decision of the OD to the Technical Board of Appeal (TBA) was initiated on May 7, 2018, with an oral hearing before the TBA scheduled for June 18, 2020.
  - The hearing may be delayed as a result of the ongoing novel coronavirus 2019 (COVID-19) pandemic and, if the hearing is delayed, a new hearing date is currently unknown
  - If the ruling is favorable, we expect the TBA to remit the case to the OD to resolve the remaining elements of the original opposition. We estimate this process to take approximately two to three years



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## APPENDIX: Key IP Overview: Core Composition Patent Family

Patent / Application	Patent Family	Status
EP 2 801 355	Core Composition	Revoked by decision of January 29, 2018; under appeal.
EP 1 799 196	Core Composition	Revoked by decision of September 18, 2018; under appeal.
EP 2 801 354	Core Composition	Revoked by decision of May 7, 2019; under appeal.
EP 3 093 012	Core Composition	Pending.
EP 2 965 751	Core Composition	Pending.
EP 2 792 349	Core Composition	Pending.

Beyond the Core Composition patent family, other patent families include the Erosion Matrix patent family, the European Patent Application Nos. EP 2 879 672, EP 3 038 606 and EP 3 038 605. As a result of the corporate restructuring that was completed pursuant to Appendix D of the Settlement and License Agreement, the intellectual property of Forward Pharma that is the subject of the Settlement and License Agreement was ultimately transferred to FWP IP ApS, a Danish limited liability company, and the capital stock of FWP IP ApS was transferred to a newly formed independent Danish foundation. For more information regarding this restructuring and transfer, see our Form 6-K and press release dated November 22, 2017.

*Date of preparation: April 21, 2020*