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UNITED STATES
SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION
Washington, D.C. 20549

FORM 6-K

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

For the month of August, 2007

Commission File Number 000-22286

Taro Pharmaceutical Industries Ltd. (Translation of registrant's name into English)

14 Hakitor Street, Haifa Bay 26110, Israel (Address of principal executive office)

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Taro to Reschedule Shareholders Meeting on Proposed Merger with Sun Following the Availability of Financial Results

HAWTHORNE, N.Y.--(BUSINESS WIRE)--Aug. 16, 2007--Taro Pharmaceutical Industries Ltd. ("Taro," the "Company," Pink Sheets: TAROF) today announced that it will reschedule its shareholders meeting, previously scheduled for September 25, 2007, on the proposed merger with Sun Pharmaceutical Industries Ltd. ("Sun," Reuters: SUN.BO, Bloomberg: SUNP IN, NSE: SUNPHARMA, BSE: 524715), to a time following the availability of financial results for the year ended December 31, 2006 and for the first and second quarters of 2007.

The Company noted that a number of its shareholders have requested updated financial information in conjunction with their consideration of the proposed merger with Sun. Taro has decided to defer the shareholders meeting pending the availability of these financial

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statements or a detailed update on current financial results. At this time the Company hopes that audited financial statements for 2006 and unaudited financial statements for the first two quarters of 2007 will be available in September and that the shareholders meeting can be rescheduled for late October or November. Taro will set a new record date for the upcoming meeting and will mail supplemental proxy materials to its shareholders.

About Taro and Sun

Taro is a multinational, science-based pharmaceutical company, dedicated to meeting the needs of its customers through the discovery, development, manufacturing and marketing of the highest quality healthcare products. For further information on Taro Pharmaceutical Industries Ltd., please visit the Company's website at www.taro.com.

Established in 1983, listed since 1994 and headquartered in India, Sun Pharmaceutical Industries Ltd. is an international, integrated specialty pharmaceutical company. It manufactures and markets a large basket of pharmaceutical formulations as branded generics as well as generics in India, the U.S., and several other markets across the world.

#### SAFE HARBOR STATEMENT

Certain statements in this release are forward-looking statements within the meaning of the Private Securities Litigation Reform Act of 1995. These statements include, but are not limited to, statements that do not describe historical facts and statements that refer or relate to events or circumstances the Company "hopes," "intends," or "expects" to happen, or similar language, and statements with respect to the availability of financial information and the shareholders meeting on the transaction with Sun described in this press release. Although Taro Pharmaceutical Industries Ltd. believes the expectations reflected in such forward-looking statements to be based on reasonable assumptions, it can give no assurances that its expectations will be attained. Factors that could cause actual results to differ include the possible unavailability of financial information, the inability to conduct a shareholders meeting on the transaction with Sun, actions of the Company's lenders, creditors and Sun, general domestic and international economic conditions, industry and market conditions, changes in the Company's financial position, litigation brought by any party in any court in Israel, the United States, or any country in which Taro or Sun operates, litigation, regulatory actions and legislative actions in the countries in which Taro or Sun operates, and other risks detailed from time to time in the Company's SEC reports, including its Annual Reports on Form 20-F. Forward-looking statements speak only as of the date on which they are made. The Company undertakes no obligations to update, change or revise any forward-looking statement, whether as a result of new information, additional or subsequent developments or otherwise.

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SIGNATURES

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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: August 16, 2007

TARO PHARMACEUTICAL INDUSTRIES LTD.

By: /s/ Tal Levitt

Name: Tal Levitt

Title: Director and Secretary