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Form PRER14A
October 22, 2004

SCHEDULE 14A INFORMATION

Proxy Statement Pursuant to Section 14(a) of
the Securities Exchange Act of 1934

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King Pharmaceuticals Inc.

(Name of Registrant as Specified In Its Charter)

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IMPORTANT!

1. VOTE EACH WHITE PROXY CARD received since each account must be voted separately. Only your latest dated proxy counts.
2. SIGN your proxy exactly as your name appears hereon.

Joint Owners: If shares are registered in the name of more than one person, each person should sign the proxy.

Include Your Title or Authority: If signing as attorney, executor, administrator, corporate officer, trustee or guardian, please give your full title as such.

3. DATE your proxy.
4. RETURN your proxy card in the enclosed envelope.

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YOUR VOTE IS IMPORTANT

IF YOU HAVE ANY QUESTIONS ON HOW TO VOTE YOUR SHARES, PLEASE CALL OUR
PROXY SOLICITORS:

INNISFREE M&A INCORPORATED AT (877) 750-9497 OR
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KING PHARMACEUTICALS, INC.
SPECIAL MEETING OF SHAREHOLDERS

PLEASE SIGN, DATE AND MAIL YOUR
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PROXY SOLICITED BY THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS OF
KING PHARMACEUTICALS, INC.
FOR THE SPECIAL MEETING OF SHAREHOLDERS
TO BE HELD [DATE]

The undersigned hereby appoints [] and [], each with full power to act without the other, as proxies, with full power of substitution and resubstitution, for and in the name of the undersigned to vote and act with respect to all shares of common stock of KING PHARMACEUTICALS, INC. ("King") standing in the name of the undersigned on October 21, 2004, or with respect to which the undersigned is entitled to vote and act, at the Special Meeting of Shareholders of King to be held [DATE], at [TIME] local time at [ADDRESS], and at any and all adjournments, postponements or reschedulings thereof, with all the powers the undersigned would possess if personally present, and particularly, but without limiting the generality of the foregoing.

The undersigned hereby revokes all proxies heretofore given by the undersigned to vote or act at said meeting, and hereby ratifies and confirms all that the proxy holders identified on the reverse side, or their substitutes, or any of them, may lawfully do by virtue hereof. Receipt is hereby acknowledged of the notice of special meeting and the joint proxy statement/prospectus of Mylan Laboratories Inc. and King Pharmaceuticals, Inc.

(CONTINUED AND TO BE SIGNED ON REVERSE SIDE)

WHITE PROXY CARD

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THE KING BOARD OF DIRECTORS RECOMMENDS THAT YOU VOTE "FOR" ITEM 1 BELOW.

1. To approve and adopt the Agreement and Plan of Merger dated as of July 23, 2004, by and among Mylan Laboratories Inc. ("Mylan"), Summit Merger Corporation (a wholly-owned subsidiary of Mylan) and King, and approve the merger contemplated by the merger agreement, pursuant to which King would become a direct, wholly-owned subsidiary of Mylan and each then outstanding share of King common stock (other than shares held by King or Mylan) would be converted into the right to receive 0.9 shares of Mylan common stock, plus cash in lieu of fractional shares:

FOR ____ AGAINST ____ ABSTAIN ____

THIS PROXY IS SOLICITED ON BEHALF OF THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS. THIS PROXY, WHEN PROPERLY EXECUTED, WILL BE VOTED IN THE MANNER DIRECTED HEREIN. THIS PROXY WILL BE VOTED FOR ITEM 1 IF NO CHOICE IS SPECIFIED. IN ADDITION, THIS PROXY WILL BE VOTED UPON SUCH OTHER MATTERS AS MAY PROPERLY COME BEFORE THE SPECIAL MEETING, AND AT ANY AND ALL ADJOURNMENTS, POSTPONEMENTS OR RESCHEDULINGS THEREOF (INCLUDING ADJOURNMENTS TO SOLICIT ADDITIONAL PROXIES).

PLEASE SIGN, DATE AND RETURN THIS PROXY PROMPTLY IN THE ENCLOSED ENVELOPE.

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SIGNATURE(S) _____ DATE _____, 2004
SIGNATURE(S) _____ TITLE _____

NOTE: Please sign exactly as your name or names appear on the proxy. When shares are held jointly, each holder should sign. When signing as executor, administrator, attorney, trustee or guardian or in any other fiduciary or representative capacity, please give full title as such. If the signer is a corporation, please sign the full corporate name by a duly authorized officer giving full title as such. If signer is a partnership, please sign in the partnership's name by an authorized person.

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