CLAIMS

1. A pharmaceutical composition for treating, preventing or improving premature ejaculation, which comprises 7 to 13 wt% of clomipramine hydrochloride, 70 to 80 wt% of lactose, 7 to 13 wt% of pregelatinized starch and 1 to 5 wt% of sodium starch glycolate based on the total weight of the composition, the composition being taken on demand prior to sexual activity.

2. The pharmaceutical composition of claim 1, which comprises clomipramine hydrochloride in an amount of 15 mg.

3. The pharmaceutical composition of claim 1, which is to be administered 2 to 6 hours prior to sexual activity.

4. The pharmaceutical composition of any one of claims 1 to 3, which exhibits a dissolution rate of 90 wt% or more at 15 minutes of testing time in all of a buffer solution of pH 1.2, a buffer solution of pH 4.0, purified water and a buffer solution of pH 6.8 when the composition is subject to a dissolution test using a paddle and a 900 ml dissolution medium.

5. The pharmaceutical composition of claim 1, which further comprises a binder or a lubricant.

6. The pharmaceutical composition of claim 5, wherein the binder is povidone.

7. Use of the pharmaceutical composition according to claim 1 in the manufacture of a medicament for treating, preventing or improving premature ejaculation in a male patient, wherein the pharmaceutical composition is formulated for administration 2 to 6 hours prior to sexual activity.

8. The use of claim 7, wherein the pharmaceutical composition comprises clomipramine hydrochloride in an amount of 15 mg.