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(54) Title: METHOD OF ADMINISTERING BISPHOSPHONATES

(57) Abstract: Bisphosphonates, in particular more potent N-bisphosphonates such as zoledronic acid and derivatives, can be used with satisfactory results for prolonged inhibition of bone resorption in conditions of abnormally increased bone turnover, e.g. osteoporosis, by intermittent administration, wherein the periods between bisphosphonate administrations are longer than was previously considered appropriate, e.g. a dosing interval of at least about 6 months or less frequently.