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BEFORE THE PATENT TRIAL AND APPEAL BOARD

ARGENTUM PHARMACEUTICALS LLC

Petitioner

v.

CIPLA LIMITED

Patent Owner

Case No. IPR2017-00807

U.S. Patent No. 8,168,620

JOINT REQUEST TO TREAT SETTLEMENT AGREEMENT (EX. 2183) AS BUSINESS CONFIDENTIAL INFORMATION AND KEEP SEPARATE UNDER 35 U.S.C. § 317(B) AND 37 C.F.R. § 42.74(C)

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Pursuant to 35 U.S.C. § 317(b) and 37 C.F.R. § 42.74(c), Petitioner

Argentum Pharmaceuticals LLC and Patent Owner Cipla Limited jointly request that the settlement agreement filed concurrently as Exhibit 2183, and referenced in the concurrently filed Joint Motion to Terminate Proceeding Pursuant to 35 U.S.C. § 317, be treated as business confidential information and kept separate from the files of the involved patent and IPR2017-00807, and only made available to Federal Government agencies upon written request or to any other person upon written request and a showing of good cause.

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE (37 C.F.R. §§ 42.6(e))

The undersigned hereby certifies that a copy of the foregoing "Joint Request To Treat Settlement Agreement (Ex. 2183) As Business Confidential Information and Keep Separate Under 35 U.S.C. § 317(b) and 37 C.F.R. § 42.74(c)" was served in its entirety on May 17, 2018, via email upon the following counsel of record for the Detect Owner.

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