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BEFORE THE PATENT TRIAL AND APPEAL BOARD

OBALON THERAPEUTICS, INC. Petitioner,

v.

POLYZEN, INC. Patent Owner.

Case IPR2017-01023 U.S. Patent No. 6,712,832

JOINT REQUEST TO KEEP SEPARATE PURSUANT TO 35 U.S.C. § 317 AND 37 C.F.R. § 42.74

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Patent Owner Polyzen, Inc. ("Polyzen") and Petitioner Obalon Therapeutics, Inc. ("Obalon") (collectively, the "Parties") hereby jointly request that Exhibit 1018 and 1019, true copies of the written settlement agreements between the Parties that are referenced in the Joint Motion to Terminate Proceeding filed concurrently herewith, be treated as business confidential information and kept separate from the files of the involved patent, U.S. Patent No. 6,712,832, and be made available only to Federal Government agencies on written request, or to any person on a showing of good cause pursuant to 35 U.S.C. § 317(b) and 37 C.F.R. § 42.74(c). The terms of the settlement agreements require the settlement agreements to be kept confidential.

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