UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

BEFORE THE PATENT TRIAL AND APPEAL BOARD

PFIZER, INC., Petitioner,

v.

CHUGAI PHARMACEUTICAL CO. LTD., Patent Owner.

> Case IPR2017-01357 Patent 7,332,289 B2

PETITIONER'S UNOPPOSED MOTION FOR COUNSEL TO WITHDRAW

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Petitioner Pfizer, Inc. respectfully moves for withdrawal of its back-up counsel, Ilan Wurman, as counsel for Petitioner in the above-captioned matter, pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 41.5(c).

STATEMENT OF MATERIAL FACTS AND RELIEF REQUESTED

As provided for in 37 C.F.R. §11.116(a)(3), withdrawal is requested because Mr. Wurman is no longer at Winston & Strawn LLP.

Pursuant to the provisions of 37 C.F.R. §11.116(b)(1), withdrawal can be accomplished without material adverse effect – Petitioner's Lead Counsel, Mr. Jovial Wong, has not changed.

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §11.116(c), Petitioner requested permission from the Board to file this motion for counsel to with draw on May 30, 2018, via email. The Board granted permission on May 31, 2018, via email.

With respect to the requirements of 37 C.F.R. §11.116(d), Mr. Wurman has conferred with Petitioner, and Petitioner agrees that under the circumstances, withdrawal is appropriate and will not injure Petitioner's interests.

Patent Owner has previously indicated that it does not oppose this motion.

Therefore, Petitioner respectfully requests that Mr. Wurman be withdrawn from further action in this matter.

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Dated: May 31, 2018

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §§ 42.6(e) and 42.105(a), I certify that, on May 31, 2018, true and correct copies of the foregoing PETITIONER'S UNOPPOSED MOTION FOR COUNSEL TO WITHDRAW, were served by via email to the following addresses:

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