EXHIBIT A



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              IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
                  FOR THE DISTRICT OF DELAWARE
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      UNIVERSITY OF MASSACHUSETTS )
      MEDICAL SCHOOL and CARMEL
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      LABORATORIES, LLC,
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                   Plaintiffs,
                                   ) C.A. No.17-868-CFC-SRF
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      v.
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      L'OREAL S.A. and L'OREAL
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      USA, INC.,
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                   Defendants.
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                   Friday, April 24, 2020
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                   11:00 a.m.
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                   844 King Street
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                   Wilmington, Delaware
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      BEFORE: THE HONORABLE SHERRY R. FALLON
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            United States District Court Judge
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      APPEARANCES:
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                     THE COURT: Good morning,
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       everyone. It's Magistrate Judge Sherry Fallon.
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       I'm prepared to address the discovery dispute in
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       U Mass versus L'Oreal. Let me find out who is
       on the call. First, do we have our court
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       stenographer, Ms. Gunning?
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                     COURT REPORTER: Yes. This is
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       Stacy Ingram from Hawkins, Your Honor.
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                     THE COURT: Oh, sorry, Stacy. I
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       was informed it might be Val Gunning. Thank you
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       for being available this morning. Is my law
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       clerk, Ms. Polito, on the line?
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                     LAW CLERK: Yes, Judge, I'm on the
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       line.
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                     THE COURT: All right.
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       And let's start with appearances of counsel for
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       the University of Massachusetts, et al. Who is
       on the line starting with Delaware counsel?
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                     MR. FARNAN: Good morning, Your
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       Honor. Brian Farnan on behalf of the plaintiff
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       and with me is Justin Nelson, Tamar Lusztig and
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       Beatrice Franklin, all from Susman Godfrey.
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                     THE COURT: All right. And who is
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       on the line for L'Oreal?
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1 MS. MOWERY: Good morning, Your 2 This is Kate Mowery from Richards, 3 Layton & Finger on the line for L'Oreal USA. Ι 4 have Fred Cottrell on the line as well from my 5 office and then Isaac Ashkenazi from Paul Hastings and Katherine Murray from Browne George 6 7 Ross. 8 MS. MURRAY: Good morning, Your 9 Honor. 10 THE COURT: Good morning, 11 Just making my notes here. I'll just everyone. remind everyone, you're probably familiar with 12 13 this from the last time we did the call, but 14 please announce your name before you start 15 speaking. Since there is a slight delay since 16 we're all remotely connected, please speak 17 slowly so that the court stenographer can make 18 an accurate record of our proceedings today and 19 if you're not speaking, keep your phone on mute 20 so there aren't any outside or extraneous noises 21 interrupting or obscuring the audio on those who 22 are speaking. If you're going to cite to any particular exhibits, the filings that I received 23 24 for this dispute were rather lengthy, just give

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