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U.S. MAGISTRATE JUDGE

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VIA ECF

The Honorable Douglas E. Arpert, U.S.M.J.  
United States District Court  
Clarkson S. Fisher Building & U.S. Courthouse  
402 East State Street  
Trenton, NJ 08608

Re: Helsinn Healthcare S.A., et al. v. Teva Pharmaceuticals USA, Inc., et al.  
Civil Action No. 15-8663 (MLC)(DEA)

Dear Judge Arpert:

This firm, together with Paul Hastings LLP and Loeb & Loeb LLP, represents Plaintiffs in the above-referenced matter. We write jointly with defendants Teva Pharmaceuticals USA, Inc. and Teva Pharmaceutical Industries, Ltd. (collectively, "Teva") to request an adjournment of the Rule 16 conference scheduled for March 29, 2016 (D.I. 17) and a stay of this matter pending the results of Teva's appeal in a related action.

As Your Honor is aware, the parties to this action were also parties to Civil Action No. 11-3962, which resulted in a Final Judgment in favor of Plaintiffs on November 13, 2015. (C.A. 11-3962, D.I. 361.) Teva has appealed Judge Cooper's decision in that action, and the appeal is currently pending before the Federal Circuit as Appeal No. 2016-1284 ("the ANDA appeal"). The parties believe that the Federal Circuit's decision on the ANDA appeal may either streamline the disputed issues or obviate the need for further proceedings in this action. Accordingly, the parties respectfully request that Your Honor stay this action pending a decision from the Federal Circuit in the ANDA appeal. The parties further propose that the parties notify the Court within one week of the issuance of a mandate from the Federal Circuit on the ANDA appeal. If this meets with Your Honor's approval, we respectfully request that Your Honor sign the below form of endorsement and have it entered on the docket.

Thank you for Your Honor's kind attention to this matter.

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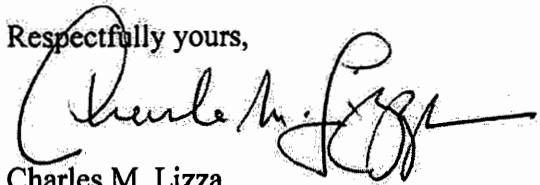
Respectfully yours,

s/ Mayra V. Tarantino

Mayra V. Tarantino

*On behalf of Defendants*

Respectfully yours,



Charles M. Lizza

*On behalf of Plaintiffs*

cc: Hon. Mary L. Cooper, U.S.D.J.  
All Counsel (via e-mail)

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED on this 24<sup>th</sup> day of March, 2016 that:

This action is hereby STAYED pending a decision from the Federal Circuit on Appeal No. 2016-1284. The March 29, 2016 Rule 16 conference is hereby adjourned, and the parties need not submit a Joint Discovery Plan at this time. The parties are ordered to notify the Court within one week of the issuance of a mandate from the Federal Circuit on Appeal No. 2016-1284.

  
Hon. Douglas E. Arpert, U.S.M.J.

*The Clerk shall administratively terminate this action subject to reinstatement on the written request of any party.*