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BEFORE THE PATENT TRIAL AND APPEAL BOARD

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ZIMMER HOLDINGS,  
INC. and ZIMMER, INC.  
Petitioner,

v.

BONUTTI SKELETAL INNOVATIONS LLC

Patent Owner

Case: IPR2014-00191

Patent 7,837,736

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Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 42.8, Patent Owner, BONUTTI SKELETAL

INNOVATIONS LLC, submits the following Mandatory Notices in response to the Petition for *Inter Partes* Review of U.S. Patent No. 7,837,736 (hereinafter the “’736 patent”).

### **1. Real Party-In-Interest**

In accordance with 37 C.F.R. § 42.8(b) (1), Patent Owner identifies the real party-in-interest as the assignee Bonutti Skeletal Innovations LLC. Bonutti Skeletal Innovations LLC is a subsidiary of Advanced Skeletal Innovations LLC, which is a subsidiary of Acacia Research Group LLC, which in turn is a subsidiary of Acacia Research Corporation.

### **2. Related Matters**

In accordance with 37 C.F.R. § 42.8(b) (2), Patent Owner identifies the following related proceedings which may affect or be affected by a decision in this proceeding: *Bonutti Skeletal Innovations, LLC v. Zimmer Holdings, Inc et al.*, Case No.12-cv-01107 (D. Del.), which concerns the ’736 patent which is the subject of this proceeding.

The Patent Owner also identifies the following applications and patents that claim the benefit of the priority of the filing date of the ’736 patent, or that the ’736 patent claims priority from: U.S. Patent Nos. 7,635,390, 7,104,996, 6,770,078, 6,702,821, 6,503,277, 6,635,073, 6,503,267, 6,423,063, 6,575,982,

6,620,181, and 6,468,289.

### **3. Lead and Back-Up Counsel**

In accordance with 37 C.F.R. § 42.8(b)(3), Patent Owner identifies

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**CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

I hereby certify that on this 12<sup>th</sup> day of December, 2013, a true and correct copy of the foregoing PATENT OWNER'S MANDATORY NOTICES was served by electronic mail and U.S. Post Office Express Mail, upon the following counsel of record for Petitioners ZIMMER HOLDINGS, INC. and ZIMMER, INC.:

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