Coalition for Affordable Drugs II LLC Petitioner

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NPS Pharmaceuticals, Inc.
Patent Owner

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Patent Owner's Demonstratives for June 23, 2016, Oral Argument

§ 103 cannot bar patentability when the invention "is more than the PREDICTABLE use of prior art elements according to their established functions." KSR Int'l Co. v. Teleflex Inc., 550 U.S. 398, 417 (2007).

Peptide formulation is a HIGHLY UNPREDICTABLE ART.

"each molecule has its own unique physical and chemical properties which determine *in vitro* stability. The formulation scientist must also be concerned about the *in vivo* stability of the drug. Thus, the development of successful formulations is dependent upon the ability to study both the in vitro and in vivo characteristics of the drug as well as its intended application."

(PO Resp., 24-27; Ex. 1024, 2 (Cleland); Carpenter Dec., ¶¶ 66-68; Ob. of Palmieri, No. 14)

Peptide ≠ Protein (PO Resp., 27; Palmieri Ob. 16, 30)

Peptide ≠ Small Molecule (PO Resp., 10, 27)

Flucagon \neq GLP-2 or analogs (PO Resp., 43-48)

Serendipity ≠ Predictability (PO Resp., 48)

What matters is the path that the person of ordinary skill in the art would have followed. Otsuka Pharmaceutical Co., Ltd. V. Sandoz, Inc., 687 F.3d 1280 (Fed. Cir. 2012)

The parties agree that the person of ordinary skill in the art has knowledge in formulating peptides. (Pet., 21; PO Resp., 24)

Peptide formulators study these primary physical and chemical properties of the subject peptide: (PO Resp., 19-20, 25-26; Carpenter Dec., ¶ 68-71, 87, 88)

pH (PO Ob. of Dr. Palmieri, No. 26; Carpenter Dec., ¶¶ 87, 88);
solubility (PO Ob. of Dr. Palmieri, No. 29; Carpenter Dec., ¶¶ 87, 88);

degradation pathways (triage) (PO Ob. of Dr. Palmieri, No. 9; Carpenter Dec., ¶¶ 87, 88).

Petitioner did not consider any of these properties. (PO Resp., 3, 6, 14, 15, 28-30)

They all differ for glucagon v. GLP-2 = Unpredictability (PO Resp., 43-48)

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POSA would have expected Petitioner's application of the prior art to be unpredictable.

(PO Resp., 4-7)

No reasonable expectation of success because glucagon and GLP-2 are so different.

(PO Resp., 4-7)

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