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ARGENTUM PHARMACEUTICALS LLC, Petitioner,

V.

RESEARCH CORPORATION TECHNOLOGIES, INC., Patent Owner.

Case No. IPR2016-00204 Patent No. RE38551

DECLARATION OF WILLIAM R. ROUSH, PH.D., IN SUPPORT OF PATENT OWNER RESPONSE PURSUANT TO 37 C.F.R. § 42.120



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### I. PRELIMINARY STATEMENT

I, WILLIAM R. ROUSH, Ph.D., hereby state as follows:

- 1. I have been retained as a consultant on behalf of Research Corporation Technologies, Inc. ("RCT"), the patent owner in the present proceeding. I understand that the petition names Argentum Pharmaceuticals LLC ("Argentum") as the petitioner, and that Intelligent Pharma Research LLC, APS GP LLC, and APS GP Investors LLC have been identified as real parties-in-interest. I further understand that KVK-TECH, Inc. has also been identified as a potential real party-in-interest. I have no financial interest in, or affiliation with, the petitioner, the identified actual or potential real parties-in-interest, or the patent owner. I am being compensated for my work at my usual and customary consulting rate, and my compensation is not dependent upon the outcome of, or my testimony in, the present *inter partes* review or any litigation proceedings.
- 2. I have reviewed the Petition for *Inter Partes* Review of Patent No. RE38,551 ("the '551 Patent") filed by Argentum Pharmaceuticals LLC, including Dr. Wang's Declaration, as well as the exhibits and articles cited in those documents. I have also reviewed the articles and documents cited in this declaration.



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