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V.
FONTEM HOLDINGS 1 B.V.,
Patent Owner.
Case IPR2016-01268
Patent No. <b>8,365,742</b>

## PATENT OWNER'S SUPPLEMENTAL MANDATORY NOTICES



Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 42.8, Patent Owner, Fontem Holdings 1 B.V., submits the following Mandatory Notices in response to the above-captioned Petition for *Inter Partes* Review of U.S. Patent No. 8,365,742 ("the '742 patent" or "the involved patent").

## **Related Proceedings**

In accordance with 37 C.F.R. § 42.8(b)(2), Patent Owner identifies the following related judicial proceedings (involving, among other patents, U.S. Patent No. 9,456,632, which claims priority to the '742 patent):

**nn.** Fontem Ventures B.V. and Fontem Holdings 1 B.V. v. R.J. Reynolds Vapor Company, Civil Action No. 17-CV-00175, U.S. District Court for the Middle District of North Carolina.

Respectfully submitted,

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## **CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

The undersigned hereby certifies that service on Petitioner was made as follows, in accordance with 37 CFR 42.6(e):

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